Financial and Commercial

HAY ONLY OFFERING ON MARKET TODAY

Hay was the only thing offered for sale on the market this monring. Most of the hay was of the new crop, and sold at $11 to $12 a ton.

Grain, Per Cwt.			
Wheat, per cwt.	$1 58	to	$1 58
Oats, per cwt.	1 10	to	1 17
Grain, Per Bushel.			
Wheat, per bu.	95	to	97
Oats, per bu.	38	to	41
Vegetables.			
Lettuce, per doz.	20	to	20
Potatoes, bag, wholesale	75	to	75
Potatoes, bag, retail	90	to	90
Parsnips, per bu.	45	to	50
Beets, per bu.	30	to	30
Cabbage, per doz.	75	to	75
Carrots, per bu.	80	to	85
Parsley, per doz.	30	to	30
Green onions, per doz.	20	to	20
Rhubarb, per doz.	20	to	25
Watercress, per doz.	25	to	25
Radishes, per doz.	25	to	25
Asparagus, per doz.	50	to	60
Spinach, per bu.	40	to	40
Cucumbers, per doz.	50	to	75
Strawberries, per box.	13	to	15
Fruits.			
Apples, per bbl.	1 75	to	2 25
Apples, per bag	60	to	1 00
Apples, per bu.	55	to	75
Strawberries, per box.	13	to	14
Hay and Straw.			
Old hay, per ton	13 00	to	15 00
New Hay, per ton	11 00	to	12 00
Straw, per ton	6 50	to	8 00
Dairy Produce.			
Butter, rolls, per lb.	24	to	25
Butter, fancy, retail, lb	25	to	26
Butter, store lots, lb.	21	to	22
Butter, creamery, lb.	26	to	27
Buter, crocks, lb.	22	to	23
Eggs, crate, wholesale.	21	to	22
Eggs, basket, wholesale	22	to	23
Honey, strained, 10 lbs.	1 20	to	1 20
Honey, sections, doz.	2 20	to	2 40
Live Stock.			
Milch cows, each	50 00	to	70 00
Fat sows, each	5 50	to	6 00
Small pigs, pair	7 50	to	10 00
Select hogs, per cwt.	8 75	to	8 75
Poultry Alive.			
Old fowl, per lb.	13	to	14
Poultry Dressed.			
Old fowl, per lb.	15	to	16
Turkeys, per lb.	19	to	22
Old fowl, per pair	1 50	to	1 50
Butchers' Meats.			
Lamb, per lb.	15	to	16
Dressed hogs choice	13 00	to	13 50
Veal, per cwt.	9 50	to	11 00
Beef, young, cwt.	10 00	to	10 50
Mutton, per cwt.	9 00	to	10 50
Beef cows, cwt.	8 00	to	9 00
Hides, Wool, etc.			
Cow hides, No. 1, lb.	11	to	11
Cow hides, No. 2, lb.	10	to	10
Cow hides, No. 3, lb.	9	to	9
Wool, unwashed, lb.	15	to	16
Wool, washed, lb.	23	to	24
Calfskins, per lb.	15	to	15
Tallow, rendered, lb.	6	to	6½

For Other Markets See Page 9

LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y. July 11. — Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; firm. Veals—Receipts, 800 head; steady. Hogs—Receipts, 5,600; slow, 5c to 15c higher. Heavy, $9 50 to $9 55; mixed, $9 55 to $9 60; Yorkers, $9 60 to $9 70; pigs, $9 65 to $9 75; roughs, $8 15 to $8 25; stags, $6 50 to $7 50; dairies, $9 25 to $9 60. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,600 head; sheep active, 25c higher; lambs slow, 60c lower. Lambs, $5 50 to $8 65; yearlings, $4 to $7; wethers, $5 60 to $6; ewes, $2 50 to $5 25; sheep, mixed, $5 35 to $5 60.

PRODUCE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

WINNIPEG, July 11.—Close—Wheat—July, 99⅛c; October, 92⅞c. Oats—October, 36¼c.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 11. — Close — Wheat—September, 91c.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

CHICAGO, July 11.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
July	88	88	87	87
Sept.	89⅛	89⅛	88	88
Corn—				
July	60½	60½	59⅝	59⅝
Sept.	61⅝	61⅝	60¼	60¼
Oats—				
July	38¼	38¾	38	38
Sept.	40	40	39¼	39¼
Pork—				
Sept.	20 97	21 15	20 95	20 95
Lard—				
Sept.	11 72	11 75	11 72	11 72
Ribs—				
Sept.	11 90	11 90	11 80	11 80

COTTON.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

NEW YORK, July 11.—Cotton prices up to 2:30—July, 12.13c; October, 11.48c.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, July 11—Morning prices today:

	Ask.	Bid.
Brazilian .. L. and P.	83⅝	83¼
B. C. Packers, com.	..	130
Bell Telephone Co.	1[illegible]	..
Burt, F. N., pfd.	90½	..
Canada Bread, com.	..	19
Canada Cement, com.	26⅛	..
Can. Interlake, com.	64	..
Can. Interlake, pfd.	95	..
Canada General Electric	107	..
Canada Machinery, com.	50	45
Canada Locomotive, com.	49	..
Canada Locomotive, pfd.	90	..
Canadian Pacific Railway	212	211¼
Canadian Salt	112	..
City Dairy, com.	102	..
City Dairy, pfd.	99	..
Consumers' Gas	174	173
Detroit United	67½	..
Dominion Canners	68	..
Dominion Canners, pfd.	98	..
Dominion Coal, pfd.	109¾	..
Dominion Steel	..	43¼
Dominion Telegraph	101	..
Duluth-Superior	..	55
Electric Dev., pfd.	84	..
Macdonald	..	3½
Mackay, com.	76	..
Mackay, pfd.	68	66¼
Maple Leaf, com.	46	43
Maple Leaf, pfd.	91	90
Mexican L. and P.	65	..
Montreal Power	211	..
Monarch, com.	76	..
Monarch, pfd.	88	..
N. S. Steel	..	70
Pacific Burt, com.	..	30
Pacific Burt, pfd.	85	..
Penmans, com.	54	..
Penmans, pfd.	84	..
Porto Rico Railway	52	50
R. and O. Navigation	..	105
Rogers, com.	..	140
Rogers, pfd.	112	..
Russell, M. C., com.	40	..
Russell, M. C., pfd.	80	..
Sawyer-Massey, com.	..	29
Sawyer-Massey, pfd.	80	..
St. L. and C. Navigation	120	118
Spanish River, com.	46	45¼
Spanish River, pfd.	89	..
Steel of Canada, com.	20	..
Steel of Canada, pfd.	86½	86
Tooke Bros., com.	45	..
Toronto Paper	94	..
Toronto Railway	136½	136
Tucketts, com.	..	42½
Tucketts, pfd.	..	92
Twin City, com.	..	102
Winnipeg Railway	190	..
Coniagas	7.60	7.35
Crown Reserve	3.35	3.30
Hollinger	..	16.00
La Rose	2.22	2.20
Nipissing Mines	8.45	8.35
Trethewey	.34	.30
Bank of Commerce	..	202½
Dominion Bank	215	214
Bank of Hamilton	202	..
Imperial Bank	210	..
Merchants' Bank	188½	..
Metropolitan Bank	190½	..
Bank of Montreal	..	224
Bank of Nova Scotia	256	..

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Royal Bank	215½
Standard Bank	213
Bank of Toronto	206
Union Bank	140
Canada Landed	158
Canada Permanent	188
Central Canada	185½
Colonial Investment	80
Dominion Savings	77
Great West Permanent	130½
Hamilton Provident	133
Huron and Erie	216¾
Imperial Loan	40
Landed Banking	133
London and Canadian	121½
National Trust	215½
Ontario Loan	167
Ontario Loan, 20 p. c. paid	151½
Real Estate	103½
Toronto General Trust	183
Toronto Mortgage	148
Toronto Savings	200
Union Trust	180
Canada Bread bonds	90
Canada Loco. bonds	97
Dominion Canners bonds	100
Dominion Steel bonds	94
Electric Dev. bonds	87½
Mexican L. and P. bonds	89½
Penmans bonds	94¼
Rio Janeiro, 1st mort.	96
Spanish River bonds	92
Steel Co. of Canada bonds	86

TORONTO, July 11.—Morning Sales — Canada Bread, 10 at 18¾; N. S. Steel, 10 at 70¾; Macdonald, 25 at 40 to 40¼; Toronto Rails, 35 at 136; Brazilian 16 at 83¾ to 83⅝; Maple Leaf, preferred, 70 at 90 to 90½; MacKay, 20 at 76; Interlake, preferred, 25 at 95; Twin City, 30 at 102¼; Imperial, 32 at 210 to 211; Standard, 37 at 212; Huron and Erie, 39 at 208; La Rose, 500 at 2.23 and 15 shares miscellaneous.

Montreal Stock Exchange.

MONTREAL, July 11.—Brazilian, 60 at 83½; Bell Telephone Co., 22 at 138 to 139; C. P. R., 100 at 211½ to 212; Kaministiquia, 117 at 119¼; Ottawa L., H. and P., 25 at 149½; Ottawa L., H. and P. rights, 182½ at 19; Quebec Rails, 100 at 10¾ to 10½; R. and O. Navigation, 124 at 105 to 105⅝; Toronto Rails, 25 at 136; Canada Cement, 25 at 26; Canadian Cottons, 25 at 37; Canadian Cottons, preferred, 50 at 73 to 72¼; Dominion Bridge, 25 at 115; Dominion Textile, 50 at 77½; Sherwin-Williams, 75 at 50; Steel Corporation, 43 at 43½ to 43; Crown Reserve, 25 at 3.34; Union Bank, 33 at 138. Bonds—Canada Cement, $60,000 at 95; Dominion Textile, $1,000 at 100; Porto Rico, $2,500 at 88.

COBALT STOCKS.

[Edward Cronyn & Co., members of the Toronto Stock Exchange, report the following quotations on the mining market this morning.]

TORONTO, July 11.—Bever, 29 to 30; Chambers-Ferland, 17 to 19; Coniagas, 7.35 to 7.60; City of Cobalt, 63 to 67; Cobalt Lake, 66 to 68; La Rose, 2.20 to 2.30; McKinley-Darragh, 1.63 to 1.66; Nipissing, 8.35 to 8.45; Peterson Lake, 22½ to 23; Temiskaming, 33½ to 34; Dome Extension, 9 to 9½; Dome, 15.00 to 15.25, Hollinger, 15.70 to 16.20; Jupiter, 33¼ to 35; Preston E. Dome, 22¼ to 23; Swastika, 4 to 4½; Vipond, 10 to 11.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

NEW YORK, July 11.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m
Amal. Copper	63⅞	64	63½	63⅝
Amer. Foundry	41¼	41⅜	41¼	41⅜
Amer. Refining Co.	61¼	61¼	60⅝	60¾
Atchison, com.	95½	..	..	..
Anaconda	32	..	..	..
Brook. Rapid Tran.	86¼	..	..	..
Can. Pacific Ry.	211¾	211¾	211¼	211½
Ches. & Ohio	51⅜	51½	51¼	51⅜
Erie	24½	..	..	..
G. Northern, pfd.	122	..	..	..
Illinois Central	112¼	..	..	..
Kan. & Texas, com.	20½	20½	20¼	20¼
Lehigh Valley	145⅝	145⅝	145	145
Petroleum	59½	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	30	..	..	..
New York Central	95½	95½	95¼	95¾
Northern Pacific	105½	105⅝	105½	105⅝
Norfolk & Western	102¾	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	110¾	..	..	..
People's Gas	110½	110½	110	110
Reading	156⅝	156¾	156¼	156¾
Southern Pacific	91½	92	90⅝	90¾
Union Pacific	144⅞	145	144½	144½
U. S. Steel	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝

London Stock Exchange.

LONDON, July 11.—Stocks closed as follows—Consols for money, 72 5-16; Consols for account, 72 7-16; Amalgamated Copper, 65½; Atchison, 97¾; Baltimore and Ohio, 94¾; Canadian Pacific, 217¾; Chesapeake and Ohio, 52¾; Chicago Great Western, 13¼; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 105; De Beers, ex. div., 20½; Denver and Rio Grande, 16½; Erie, 25⅝; Erie 1st, preferred, 39¾; Grand Trunk, 21¼; Illinois Central, 115; Louisville and Nashville, 134; Missouri, Kansas and Texas, 21¼; New York Central, 98½; Norfolk and Western, 105½; Ontario and Western, 29¼; Pennsylvania, 57⅛; Rand Mines, 6¼; Reading 30⅝; Southern Railway, 21½; Southern Pacific, 94½; Union Pacific, 148¾; United States Steel, 53⅞; Wabash, 2¾. Bar Silver steady, 26 15-16d per oz. Money, 2¾ to 3 per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅞ to 4 per cent; for three months' bills, 4 5-16 per cent.

Wall Street, Noon.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The course of the stocks during the morning made it apparent that factors now bearing upon the market had spent their force. Although a sagging tendency was noticeable, declines were so small as to deprive the movement of significance, and traders expressed their opinion that little in the way of activity could be expected until some new influences were brought to bear. Continued uncertainty over tariff and currency legislation, the threatened strike of employees of eastern railroads and disturbed conditions in Europe tend to discourage speculative ventures at this time. Large losses by the banks from sub-treasury operations and gold exports foreshadowed another unfavorable statement, which was reflected in stiffer rates for day-to-day accommodation. Call money opened higher at 2¼ per cent. Bonds were easy.

Building Strike Is Likely at Calgary

Men Are Demanding Seventy Cents an Hour and Agreement.

[Canadian Press.]

Calgary, Alta., July 11. — Relations between the Builders' Exchange and the Brick and Stone Masons' Union are strained, and either a general strike or lockout, either of which would tie up all building in the city, is expected within the next 24 hours.

The men are demanding 70 cents an hour. The builders agreed to pay this demand, providing the men would do no work for individuals or concerns not actually engaged in building business, for less than 80 cents per hour. At a meeting the union rejected this proposition.

Personal Mention

James Wheaton, who resides between Thorndale and Wyton, had a horse killed by lightning in the storm that passed over the district Wednesday night. The horse was standing close to the house at the time.

EFFICIENCY CAMPAIGN.

[Canadian Press.]

Los Angeles, July 11. — A campaign for efficiency and expansion was launched today by the International Christian Endeavor convention.

Plans to increase the society's membership and to harmonize the work were advocated at each of many meetings in the various churches of the city.

Addresses on the subject of efficiency were delivered by prominent delegates.

WHAT ABOUT OTHER REPORTS

Eastman Views on Electrification Are To Be Here Shortly.

MARSHALL STILL SILENT

Now that Engineer Warfield's report on electrification has been handed in and carefully filed away where it will not see the daylight for an indefinite period, citizens are inquiring whether the other reports to be furnished, namely, the Eastman and Marshall reports, are on their way.

It was stated at the city hall this morning that the Eastman report would come in very shortly. At the second last council meeting Ald. Bennett inquired what progress was being made with the Marshall report. No one was able to give him any information whether the report was being prepared, and he accordingly moved that City Clerk Baker be instructed to write and ascertain when the report would be completed. This Mr. Baker has done, but he stated today that he had not yet received any reply.

Mr. Marshall's report is on the traffic end of the Port Stanley road. Rumor has it that Mr. Marshall and Mr. Eastman both being out-of-town experts, have been told to take their time about preparing their reports.

Husband Says Wife Tried to Kill Him

Mrs. Nelson Shaw Was Sent for Trial at Belleville.

[Canadian Press.]

Belleville, July 11.—Mrs. Nelson Shaw, of Point Ann, was today before Police Magistrate Masson of this city, committed to stand her trial at the next court of competent jurisdiction on a charge of attempting to murder her husband by placing oil of cedar in his food. His worship contended that a prima facia case had been sufficiently made out to warrant this being done. Owing to the nature of the offence the magistrate was powerless to grant the application for bail.

Legal Tangle Over Move for Deportation

[Canadian Press.]

Vancouver, B. C., July 11.—Strong comment on the Minister of the Interior attempting to interfere with the course of justice was made yesterday by Mr. Justice Murphy in the case of Roma Graham, who is applying on habeas corpus to prevent her deportation to the United States.

Counsel for the woman said the minister had ordered her arrest when she was out on bail, and the judge remarked: "It is entirely wrong for anyone to step in at this period. The woman shall not go to jail until I have heard the application."

For the woman, it is contended, she was the wife of a Canadian, and therefore a Canadian by marriage, and cannot be deported.

WEDDING BELLS

SHUNN—JAMES.

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. James, 41 Palace street, this city, when their youngest daughter, Ethel, was united in marriage to Mr. Jack Shunn of this city. Rev. Dr. Flanders, of First Methodist Church, performed the ceremony. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Lillian James, and the groom by Mr. Peter E. Jolliffe. Little Mary James, niece of the bride, made a dainty little flower girl. Only the immediate friends of the couple were present. The happy couple left later for a trip to Brantford, Hamilton and points east, and on their return will reside in this city.

ANGUS—MOWAT.

On Tuesday afternoon at Toronto at 2:30 the marriage was celebrated of Blanche Jennie, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mowat, of 57 Harbord street, to Mr. Harry H. Angus, B. A. Sc., of London. Rev. John McNicol, B. D., officiated. The wedding music was rendered by Mr. R. Nicholson, organist of Whitby Presbyterian Church. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Angus left for New York, Atlantic City, and other points. On their return they will reside at their new home on Eastfield avenue, Eglinton.

FRENCH HOLIDAY

National Festival in Quebec Will Be Held Four Days.

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, July 11.—Tomorrow will begin a four-day celebration of the French national festival, the most important function in connection witn which will be the unveiling on Sunday afternoon of a statue of La France outside the French legation. The cruiser Descartes, whose officers have been sent by the French Government to take part in the celebration, is now in port.

BODY FOUND IN RIVER.

[Canadian Press.]

Edmonton, July 11. — The body of Mrs. Everett Case was found today in the Saskatchewan River and positively identified by her husband, the sole survivor of the recent launch tragedy. This leaves only the body of Patton to be recovered.

BLAZE AT BRIDGEWATER.

Halifax, N. S., July 11. — The town of Bridgewater, 60 miles from Halifax, was swept by a serious fire last night which destroyed three business buildings on King street, owned by Frank Davidson, causing a loss of $100,000.

GIVEN STIFF SENTENCE.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, July 11.—Jos. Lectare, of this city, for assaulting and robbing a visitor, David Gauthier, of Casselman, Ontario, of $84 in a local hotel, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment in Kingston.

C. P. R. Earnings.

MONTREAL, July 11.—Canadian Pacific Railway earnings for week ended July 7, $2,700,000; increase, $129,000.

RAILWAY TIE-UP IN UNITED STATES GOOD FOR LONDON

Would Mean That Huge Traffic Would Be Diverted This Way.

All Canadian Lines Unaffected By Threatened Gigantic Walkout.

London will likely receive another impetus as a railway centre should the strike of 75,000 railway conductors and trainmen of the eastern American railroads materialize next week. Canadian roads—the Canadian Pacific, Canadian Northern, Grand Trunk, Grand Trunk Pacific, and the Canadian lines of the Michigan Central, are not affected by the strike order. The result of a strike will mean additional traffic for the lines throughout Canada. London, now on the main line of considerable eastern. and western American traffic, will benefit by the switching of traffic to the Canadian roads.

Giant Tie-Up.

Unless the employees of the Canadian roads are called out in sympathy with the strike that seems imminent on the lines of the Eastern Passenger Association, these will prove the only avenues of traffic for eastbound freight. Fifty thousand miles of railway in the United States and 50,000,000 people are affected by the strike. The railway union leaders declare that the strike will absolutely tie up transportation for that area. Freight will not move save via the Canadian roads. The result of an additional teritrory of 50,000,000 population being added to the freight possibilities af Canada are easily seen.

Would Help London.

With their own terminals in Chicago, the Canadian roads will be a salvation to the American shipper, should the walkout be declared. The only way that shipments west of Chicago could reach the coast would be via either Grand Trunk or C. P. R. Naturally it would have to be taken right through to the Canadian coast line, but the belief in local railway circles is that if the strike is ever called, the permanent results to London and to the entire eastern divisions of the Canadian railways would be immeasurable.

There is a question of accepting freight, brought to the border by non-union crews, if strikebreakers were obtained.

It is hardly likely that union train crews in Canada would handle this freight, and it would be allowed to pile up in the border yards. From Chicago an Michigan points, however, the problem is a different one. Neither the Canadian Pacific nor the Grand Trunk is in the eastern association that the men are now fighting. The crews of these roads would be unaffected, save in a sympathy strike, and American freight via Chicago, Port Huron, Detroit and other large centres would be handled by the union crews of the Canadian roads, even though these were operating in the United States.

LOCAL NEWS

Going to Foreign Field. — Miss Bertha Hodge, of this city, is shortly to leave for the foreign mission field of the Presbyterian church.

Band Concert.—The First Hussars Band under the leadership of Mr. Roselle Pocock entertained a good-sized crowd at Victoria Park Thursday night.

Found the Suitcase.—The suitcase reported as stolen from Springbank Park Wednesday, was found by Superintendent Benbow in the west end of the grounds, and returned to the owner.

A Good Showing.—Eighty-seven per cent. of the total number of London Collegiate Institute pupils prepared for the Normal School entrance examination were successful, or 92 out of a total of 106. Of these 28 passed with honors. This is a very high percentage, and is very far above the percentage of successful candidates for the province at large.

Choir Picnic.—The choir of the First Presbyterian Church held their picnic to Port Stanley on Thursday. About 50 ladies and gentlemen went on the Pere Marquette. Mrs. George Reid entertained the choir to supper, and a musical evening was provided at the summer home of Mrs. W. D. I. Wright. The party returned home on a late train, having had a delightful outing.

Going on the Land.—Most of the newly-arrived English immigrants are farm laborers and are anxious to go on the land. A party of about 50 arrived yesterday and are now at the fair grounds. They are a fine lot of men. Mr. John Riggs, Dominion immigration agent ,is looking after the comfort of the new arrivals at the fair grounds, and expects that they will all be settled in their new positions in a few days.

Youthful Firebug Is Under Arrest

Boy Liked To See Brigade at Work, and Fired Buildings.

[Canadian Press.]

Pittsburg, Pa., July 11.—Desire to be a hero, and his fascination for observing firemen at work, was the reason for his starting numerous fires on the north side, given in the confession of Raymond Raab, aged 15, who is under arrest charged wit harson. Young Raab enumerates the fires he started, one of them being the Library Office Building, which was destroyed with a $50,000 loss last December.

Raab had been suspected for some time, as it was observed he was often among the first on the scene of a fire when an alarm was sent in. He was arrested last night, and under severe questioning confessed.

He started four fires last week, according to his confession.

Last Monday he fired mattresses and papers in a large furniture house, which sustained a $700 loss. Tuesday he obtained employment as elevator boy in an apartment house, and had been at work but a few hours when he threw a lighted match into a box of waste paper in the basement, and then rung in an alarm.

His latest attempt was yesterday in the same apartment house, when he tried to destroy the building.

The boy is being brought before the police for investigation.

INSANITY IS INCREASING FASTER THAN ASYLUMS

Reports Show That Institutions Are Filled and Many Are on the Waiting List.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, July 11.—"An over-population of 75, and 130 applicants on file "waiting." This growing need of more accommodation for the feeble-minded in Ontario is stated in terse terms in a report issued by E. R. Rogers, inspector of prisons and hospitals in a report just laid before Hon. W. J. Hanna, who is taking the matter up with a view to finding a remedy for the existing condition of things.

In the Orillia Hospital for Feeble-Minded last year there were 817 patients, of whom 415 were male and 402 female. In the Woodstock Asylum for Epileptics there were 196 inmates, of whom 103 were male and 93 female.

The total revenue from these institutions last year amounted to $25,181, and the expenditure $133,462, of which about one-third is paid in salaries.

TOO MANY IN LODGING HOUSE

Thirty One Men Rooming In Place Meant for About Seven.

THE NEIGHBORS AROUSED

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, July 11.—Thirty-one men quartered in a house intended for about seven persons is one of the housing conditions existing among the foreigners working in Sarnia that is causing considerable comment.

Others who live in the vicinity of the lodging-house claim that not 32, but some 70, odd persons dwell in the place.

Even the porch of the house has been transformed into a sleeping room, and every available bit of space economized on.

Most of the aliens residing there work at the Imperial Oil Company's works, and each man pays one dollar a week rent.

NOTHING DONE YET

Citizens Wonder When Big Harbor Improvements Will Start.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, July 1.—The fact that no further action has been taken in regard to the improvements to Sarnia Bay relative to the construction of a harbor there, is causing much indignation among those who hope to place Sarnia in a prominent position as a marine port.

Earlier in the year the Government allowed $50,000 towards the project, but that seems to be as far as the matter ever got. It is likely that the question will be agitated until some definite action is taken.

Lobbying Charges Are Being Probed

Federal Grand Jury Is Investigating Case of David Lamar.

New York, July 11.—The federal grand jury continued its investigation today into the case of David Lamar under that section of the United States statutes which provides punishment for the impersonation of an officer or employee of the Government.

Paul D. Cravath, an attorney, who testified before the Senate lobby investigating committee in connection with Lamar's activities in the so-called Union Pacific conspiracy, was one of the witnesses under subpoena to appear before the jury today.

Other witnesses, it is said, would be United States Senator Stone and Representatives Riordan and Palmer, whom Lamar confessed before the committee that he had impersonated in telephone conversation with Lewis Cass Ledyard and others.

The first witnesses examined today were George F. Baker, chairman of the First National Bank, and J. S. Cream, a lawyer, prominent in Tammany circles.

Both were mentioned in the testimony before the lobby committee in connection with the activities of Lamar and Edward Lauterbach relative to the investigation of the United States Steel Corporation by the Stanley committee.

General Hamilton Is In Favor of Cadets

[Canadian Press.]

Halifax, N. S., July 11. — Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton concluded his visit to Halifax today with a lecture on the cadets movement delivered before the Summer School of Science now in session here.

Sir Ian holds the opinion that cadet training is absolutel yessential in the proper development of the young people. This morning Sir Ian and his staff inspected the citadel and Wellington Barracks. He has inspected in all 111 units since his arrival in Canada. He goes from here to Hamilton, Ont.

MAY END STRIKE

Intercolonial Trainmen and Conductors oT Meet Officials.

[Canadian Press.]

St. John, N. B., July 11.—Matters at issue between the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors on the Intercolonial Railway were declared today to be in such a shape that a strike or arbitration is possible.

The heads of the orders are to confer at Moncton with the officials tomorrow.

FIRED A MAIL BOX.

[Canadian Press.]

Newport, Eng., July 11.—A fine of $50 or one month's imprisonment was inflicted today on Mrs. Margaret Haigh Mackworth, daughter of the "coal king," David A. Thomas, by the police magistrate here, for setting fire to a public mail box on June 26.

Mrs. Mackworth elected to go to jail. Her husband is Captain Humphrey Mackworth, of the Royal Monmouthshire Engineers. He is the eldest son of Sir Arthur Mackworth, and heir to the baronetcy.

Seven Coaches in a Runaway Accident

Somebody Started Empty Marquette Cars Down the Incline at Siding and Piled Them Up in the Cinder Heap.

Motive power supplied by a pinch bar started a train of seven empty Pere Marquette coaches over a Chelsea Green siding beside the London and Lake Erie Transportation Company's power house last night and piled the cars into a cinder heap. The cars were excursion coaches, left on the Chelsea Green siding until wanted.

Someone who "wanted to see the wheels go round" evidently started them on their journey last night down the cinder-pile siding. The first car of the "train" jumped the tracks and sank down to the axles in cinders. The remainder of the coaches jammed in behind it.

Pere Marquette officials claim that no damage was done, but an investigation is being conducted to find out just who started the cars down the incline. Heavy damages to rolling stock might have resulted from the breaking away of the cars, which could not have been started assert the railwaymen, without human assistance.

POLICE NOT SATISFIED WITH JURY'S VERDICT

Body of Wayward Girl Missing Three Days Found in Lake.

[Canadian Press.]

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 11.—The police authorities of Luzerne County said today that they are not satisfied with the verdict of the coroner's jury late last night exonerating Herbert Johns in connection with the death of Alice Crispell, whose body was found in Harvey's Lake last Monday, after she had been missing for three days.

The verdict stated that "Evidence in this case fails to show any motive for crime on the part of Herbert Johns, and we fell certain that he had no part in the death of Alice Crispell."

Representatives of the district attorney's office said today that while there was nothing in the testimony on which to charge Johns with the crime, the jurors should have rendered a verdict simply of "death by drowning," without accusing or exonerating anyone.

County Detective McKelvey, who is at work on the case, said today that he did not think that three deputy coroners should have made up half of the coroner's jury. For this reason, he said, he did not present all the evidence he had, but will introduce additional evidence when Johns will be given a hearing before a justice of the peace tomorrow.

Little that was new was developed at the inquest, except that members of the Crispell family testified that the girl had been wayward, and that on this account she had had trouble with her father. The father in his testimony admitted pointing an unloaded gun at Alice.

Trainmen's Leaders Were Not Notified

Know Nothing of Any Conference to Try and Avoid Strike.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, July 11. — A. B. Garretson and W. G. Lee, presidents, respectively, of the Brotherhoods of Trainmen and Conductors, announced today that they knew nothing of the conference of representatives of the railroads and their respective organizations, reported to have been called by President Wilson at the White House next Monday for the purpose of averting the strike now threatened.

"If the President of the United States has either considered or called a conference to avert industrial conflict," their announcement read, "we have never heard of it directly or indirectly, nor have we ever commented upon or refused to attend such a conference, notwithstanding public utterances to the contrary."

Members of the general committee representing the trainmen and conductors of the various railroads involved in the threatened strike, known as the committee of one thousand, began arriving here today for the meeting which they will hold tomorrow morning for the purpose of ratifying the strike vote already taken.

IMA RUBENSTEIN, a 5-year-old Toronto boy who was coaxed into following a stranger on the street and was kept in a stable overnight, it is believed by a maniac.

MICHIGAN MAY DEPORT A FORMER LONDON WOMAN

Was Once Inmate of Hospital for Insane—Miss Connor Still Missing.

Miss Geraldine Evans, who some two years ago was an inmate of the London Hospital for the Insane, and a short time ago disappeared from the home of relatives with whom she was living, but was located at Pontiac, Mich., will probably be deported by the United States authorities. The sheriff of Pontiac was in London on Thursday and conferred with Dr. Robinson, superintendent of the London Hospital, and Detective Thomas Nickle in regar dto her case. In the event of her deportation to Canada it is not certain whether steps would be taken to have her sent back to the asylum. She has one brother living in this country.

No trace has been found of Miss Mary Connor, more recently a patient at the local hospital, who disappeared from East London, where she had been living, about a month ago.

Wellington School Picnicked at Port

The Wellington Street Methodist Sunday school held its annual picnic at Port Stanley on Wednesday. A large number of officers, parents and scholars attended. After dinner the following races were run off:

Primary, girls under eight years—1 Reta Logan, 2 Olive Merrett, 3 Dorothy Merrett.

Girls from 8 to 12 years—K. Heard, O. Bendle, M. Case.

Boys from 8 to 12 years—1 Bert Craig, 2 W. Foote, 3 W. Bradley.

Girls' chum race—1 M. Ashton and O. Murray, 2 E. Fysh and W. Harris, 3 G. Bendle and L. Dunn, 4 M. Cross and E. Barrett.

Boys' three-legged race—1 A. Fuller and C. Hutchison, 2 A. Hiltzs and A. Craig.

Girls 15 years and under—1 Nellie Harris, 2 Queenie Harris, 3 Mildred Harris.

Boys, 15 years and under—1 W. Allen, 2 E. Mapletoft, 3 H. Corbett.

Girls, 18 years and over—1 A. Merrett, 2 M. Dibbs.

Boys, 18 years and over—1 W. Luney, 2 O. Luney.

After the races the children were given a free ride on the roller coaster. The rest of the day was spent on the beach.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. William Skelly and family, of 123 Tecumseh avenue, wish to thank the many friends for their kindness and sympathy during their sudden bereavement, also for the many beautiful floral tokens. b

SMASHED WINDOWS.

[Canadian Press.]

Liverpool, July 11.—Militant suffragettes started a window-smashing demonstration during King George's visit here today. Armed with pokers, squads of women shattered several large windows along the route of the procession, but the police quickly rounded them up and order has been restored before the arrival of his majesty.

To Anyone Interested in OUTDOOR ROSES

We extend a hearty invitation to view the show at our nurseries, Knollwood Park, at their earliest opportunity.

The garden roses, and particularly the climbers, are at their best, and the sight for a few days will be well worth the trip.

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