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Mr. Cook, the Boston lecturer, instances as one of the evidences of the existence of Deity the self-reformation of hermit nations. Another instance is now offered in the self-reformation of the Court of Appeal. The indulgence of this court in the past has been unlimited. It has been known to sit for two hours in a morning listening to the hum of the St. John's Ward factories, waiting for counsel who have not been ready, owing to unforeseen causes, when their cases have been called. All this is now changed by the peremptory under-mentioned rule. Everybody is pleased. No one is kept waiting. What is first to-day may be last to-morrow and first again the day after. Perpetual motion and perpetual justice are now within human grasp. The general list has suddenly become kaleidoscopical.

To-day's Lists.

Judges' Chambers will be held at 11 a.m.: Divisional Court will not sit to-day.

Court of Appeal at 10 a.m.: Fowler v. Fowler; Powell v. T., H. & B. Railway; Birely v. T., H. & B. Railway; Rowan v. Toronto Railway; Janes v. Hendrie; Hill v. Broodbent; McKain v. Ottawa Electric Ry.; Dwyer v. Ottawa Electric Ry. (two appeals); Hodgson v. G. T. Ry.; White v. T., H. & B. Ry.; Cross v. Davidson; McGregor v. Township of Harwich; Grand Trunk Railway v. Hamilton Radial Electric Railway.

Any case not ready when called will be placed at the foot of the general list and if one side only is represented the appeal will nevertheless be proceeded with and heard ex parte.

TRADE IN CANADA.

R. G. Dun & Co. Report Improvement in Wholesale Circles—Sugars are Dull.

Wholesale trade at Montreal begins to show signs of revival after the holiday quietude. Drygoods travelers are all out, and most leading houses report quite satisfactory orders, with the volume of ordinary current remittances better than at this time last year. The little run of city failures in this line noted last week seems to have come to an end, and has no special significance. In groceries there is more doing than a week ago, but retailers have hardly yet had time to go over stock and make up their sorting wants. Sugar refiners report a very slack demand from jobbers at the moment. Both local factories are shut down just now, and, owing to the somewhat erratic character of outside markets for raws, quotations for refined are off an eighth of a cent. On the other hand, molasses is very firm and advanced, with unusually small stocks on spot for the season. Canned goods continue high; tea jobbers seem still pretty well stocked up, and the movement from first hands is light, it is yet early for much activity in general hardware, and prices of pig iron show some tendency to weakness, but orders for glass, paints, oils, etc., are being booked in fair number for spring shipment. The annual meeting of the White Lead Association was held this week, but no change was made in price list. Turpentine is advanced 2c, and prices for Paris green have been fixed on a rather higher basis than last year. The boot and shoe factories are all again at work and fully employed on the good spring orders previously noted. Hides are firm at the last advance, and stiffness marks prices in all lines of leather.

Business in wholesale circles at Toronto has improved slightly in some lines this week. Dry goods dealers generally report good orders for heavy materials, and stocks in country stores are said to be comparatively small. A satisfactory sorting-up trade is in progress, and the trend in prices is towards firmness. Manufacturers in many small lines are very busy, and they will have all they want to do to fill orders for spring delivery. Trade is good in hardware, there being a fair demand for all seasonable lines. The grocery trade continues fairly active. There is a decline of ¼c in refined sugars, with standard granulated now jobbing at 4½c per pound. Dried fruits and canned vegetables in good demand and firmer. In leathers and boots and shoes trade is fairly active. Remittances are satisfactory, and, although failures were somewhat more numerous, they are less than the corresponding period of last year. In the grain trade, the movement shows a falling-off in wheat and flour, while pens are in active demand and firmer. Dealers are bidding 50c to 51c north and west, while forward delivery will bring more.—Daily Bulletin.

KETCHAM'S CASE UPSET.

He Was Given a Verdict for $21,000 Damages, But it is Set Aside.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—The verdict given Engineer Fred. R. Ketcham against the Chicago & Northwestern Railway for alleged blacklisting was to-day set aside by Judge Richard W. Clifford. A new trial is granted. Ketcham had been awarded $21,000 damages. The case was an outgrowth of the Debs strike.

The ground upon which the court set aside the verdict and grants a new trial is that of an improper instruction given the jury in the plaintiff's behalf. The court said, in giving the decision, that the Reviewing Court would need nothing more than a mere inspection of the verdict to set it aside.

Death of a Warrior Aged 106.

Southampton, Ont., Jan. 13.—There died yesterday in the Saugeen Indian Reserve Charles Meshekewawedong, at the great age of 106 years—one of the few survivors of the war of 1812. He was with Tecumseh during part of the war, and was at Queenston Heights when General Sir Isaac Brock was killed.

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THE TANNERS' SECTION.

Chairman Presented His Annual Report and Officers for Year Were Appointed.

The Tanners' Section of the Board of Trade met yesterday to receive annual report and to elect officers for the year. Mr. A. R. Clark of Toronto was elected chairman and Mr. C. J. Miller of Orillia vice-chairman. The Executive Committee are as follows: W. D. Beardmore, C. Breithaupt, C. McCordick, W. J. Bickell and George Lang. The committee on inspection and arbitration: F. D. Daville, M. Robson and M. J. Beale.

The retiring chairman, Mr. Lang, entertained the section at luncheon at the National Club.

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WHEAT MARKET IRREGULAR.

Most of the News Bearish, With Liverpool Cables Very Weak.

Exports are Smaller—Provisions at Chicago Were Strong Early, But Later Became Weak—Lard Higher in Liverpool.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 13.

Lard is 3d higher in Liverpool.

Liverpool wheat futures ⅝d to 1d lower and corn ¼d to ⅝d lower.

Cash wheat in Chicago ¼c lower at 90⅝c.

May wheat on curb 90⅛c.

Puts on May wheat 89⅞c to 90c, calls 91c.

Puts on May corn 29⅛c, calls 29c to 29⅛c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $3.10 for Feb, and $3.15 for March.

Dun & Co. report 45 business failures in Canada this week, as against 32 last week and 71 the corresponding week of last year.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 180 barrels and 10,550 sacks; wheat, 80,553 bushels.

Total clearances of wheat and flour at four ports to-day were 321,000 bushels and of corn 559,311 bushels.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day were 332 cars, as against 277 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day were 27,000, or 9000 less than expected; official on Wednesday, 33,493; left over, 5000. Estimated for Friday 25,000. Market fairly active and 5c to 10c higher. Heavy shippers $3.45 to $3.75.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 9000; best grades shade higher. Sheep 12,000; market firm.

The Cincinnati Price-Current says: "Wheat area now bare. The condition continues favorable. The mid-winter hog packing to date is 5,150,000. The week's packing in the west was 560,000."

Leading Wheat Markets.

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

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 90⅝	$0 90⅛
New York	0 98½	0 92½
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 89½	0 90½
St. Louis	0 93¼	0 93⅝
Toledo	0 90⅝	0 92¼
Detroit	0 91½	0 91½
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	0 90½
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91	0 90½
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 01	....

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

FLOUR—The flour market continues quiet and prices unchanged. Straight rollers $3.80 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is unchanged. Red winter sold outside at 81c west. Spring is quoted on Midland at 82c for No. 2 and goose 77½c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.01, grinding in transit, Toronto freight; 89c to 90c Fort William, and 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 34c. No. 3 extra at 27c to 29c, and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market rules firm, with sales of white at 25c to 25½c west and at 24c to 24½c for mixed.

PEAS—The demand is good, with dealers quoting 51c to 52c outside, north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c to 31c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c to 27½c west for new, and 28c for old.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK.

The receipts of live stock at the Western Cattle Market were light to-day, 11 carloads, composed of 213 cattle, 500 hogs and 100 sheep. Only a very few sales were made. Some of the dealers stated that drovers were holding their cattle at too high a price.

Prices remained the same for all kinds of stock.

William Levack bought 30 cattle at $2.75 to $3.30 per cwt., and several bulls from $3.37 to $3.45.

A. W. Maybee bought 18 butcher cattle, weighing 900 lbs. each, at $3.15.

Wilson & Rountree shipped one car of dressed beef, containing about 50 carcases.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of grain were larger to-day, about 4000 bushels. Wheat steady, 1500 bushels selling at following prices: White at 84c to 86½c, red at 88c to 88½c, and goose at 77c to 77½c per bushel. Rye, 200 bushels sold at 46c. Barley steady, with sales of 800 bushels at 30c to 34c. Oats firm at 27½c to 28c for 800 bushels. Peas, 400 bushels sold at 51c to 52c. Hay firmer, 20 loads selling at $8 to $9.50 per ton. Straw easy at $6 to $7 per ton.

Dressed hogs, prices firmer, light selling at $6.30 to $6.35, heavy $6.15 to $6.25 per cwt.

Grain—		
Wheat, white, bush	$0 84	to $0 86½
" red, bush	0 88	0 88½
" goose, bush	0 77	0 77½
Barley, bush	0 30	0 34
Rye, bush	0 46	....
Oats, bush	0 27½	0 28
Peas, bush	0 51	0 52
Buckwheat, bush	0 34	....
Seeds—		
Red clover, bush	$3 40	to $3 60
Alsike clover, bush	3 25	4 00
Timothy, bush	1 25	1 35
Beans, white, bush	0 60	0 75
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, per ton	$8 00	to $9 50
" baled, cars	7 50	8 25
Straw, sheaf, per ton	6 00	7 00
" loose, ton	4 00	5 00
" baled, cars	4 60	5 00
Dairy Products—		
Butter, lb. rolls	$0 17	to $0 20
" creamery	0 18	0 21
" large rolls	0 14	0 16
Eggs, fresh, case lots	0 17	0 18
" fresh, per doz	0 20	0 22
Cheese, per lb	0 09	0 10½
Fresh Meats—		
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	$6 50	to $7 50
" forequarters, cwt	4 00	5 00
Lamb, cwt	7 00	7 50
" each	4 75	4 90
Mutton, carcase, cwt	5 00	6 00
Veal, carcase, cwt	7 00	8 00
Hogs, dressed, light	6 30	6 35
" heavy	6 15	6 25
Poultry—		
Chickens, per pair	$0 40	to $0 70
Ducks, per pair	0 50	0 80
Geese, per lb	0 07	0 08
Turkeys, per lb	0 08	0 10
Fruit and Vegetables—		
Apples, per bbl	$2 00	to $2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 60	0 70
Cabbage, per doz	0 15	0 20
Beets, per bag	0 05	0 08
Cauliflower, per head	0 10	0 20
Beets, per bag	0 45	0 50
Onions, per bag	0 50	0 60
Carrots, red, per bag	0 25	0 30
Turnips, per bag	0 15	0 20
Parsnips, per bag	0 40	0 50
Squash, each	0 10	0 20

Chicago Markets.

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

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—Jan	90⅝	....	....	....
" —May	90	90⅝	89⅞	90½
" —July	80⅞	81⅛	80½	81
Corn—May	29	29¼	28⅞	29¼
" —July	30	30¼	30	30⅛
Oats—May	23½	23⅞	23½	23⅝
" —July	22¼	22⅜	22¼	22¼
Pork—Jan	....	....	9 30	9 37
" —May	9 50	9 52	9 42	9 42
Lard—Jan	....	....	....	4 67
" —May	4 85	4 85	4 77	4 77
Ribs—Jan	4 65	4 65	4 62	4 62
" —May	4 80	4 80	4 72	4 72

British Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 13.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 7d to 7s 7½d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 0d to 8s 0½d; red winter, 7s to 7s 0½d; peas, 5s 2d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 25s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 27s 6d; do., light, 27s 0d; do., short cut, 27s 0d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, 47s 6d.

London—Wheat on passage, very little doing. No. 1 Manitoba hard, March and April, 37s 3d. English country markets easy. Maize on passage quieter.

Paris—Wheat 27f 40c for June. Flour 58f 10c for March.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat dull at 7s 1½d for March, 6s 11½d for May and 6s 8½d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1½d for Feb. and 3s 1¼d for March, and 3s 1½d for May. Flour 25s.

London—Close—Wheat off coast uncertain, on passage very little doing. Maize on passage rather easier.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 27f 50c for Feb. Flour firm at 59f 35c for March.

Chicago Gossip

Henry A King & Co. 12 King-street east, received the following despatch to-day from Chicago:

The wheat market has been very sensitive all day. There has been quite a gist of bear news, but the clique brokers have sustained prices every time it broke to 90c. The break from 94c some time since has resulted in the creation of a big short interest. The professional bears succeeded in getting the price of May down to 89⅞c on their sales, but when they tried to cover their contracts found very little for sale, on comparatively small amount of buying by the shorts. We think that prices legitimately are high enough. The only trouble just at present is we have too much company, and they are of the class who will frighten easily.

Provisions have ruled steady to a shade lower to-day. There was some buying of lard early by a prominent packing house. The offerings have not been heavy at any time. Some realizing by local longs. We feel very friendly to provisions, and advise buying on any further reaction.

Oats—This has been a dull day in oats, hardly any change in prices. The cash demand has been fair. We are firm believers in better prices later on, and with the small stocks in store it would be an easy matter to advance prices. Buy them around 23c for May.

Corn—Steady, with no material change from yesterday's prices. Country buying has been pretty fair. There has been no feature to-day worthy of note. We can see nothing to change our opinion as long as receipts continue so large. We cannot see how prices can advance very much, and we see no particular change either way.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from Chicago:

Wheat—Cable advices this morning were weak enough to suit the most critical bear, but they certainly did not create any excitement because of the selling pressure, and when the "brulns" got through placing their little lines they failed to find any anxious sellers to make their paper profits realisations. New York advices were exceedingly weak. They reported all foreign markets depressed and free offerings of Argentine wheat at lowest prices, and increased estimates of Argentine crop. Liverpool showed some recovery from lowest prices, but was also weak. Export purchases were six loads. The syndicate houses were free traders to-day, and added to their already large accumulations. The legitimate side of the situation is weak and will surely triumph in the end.

Provisions—Opened steady, but did not advance in price, although receipts of hogs were 10,000 less than expected. John Cudahy's brokers bought May lard. Near the close the market declined on free selling of May ribs by the International Packing Company and Continental Packing Co. Pork remained firm. Exporters sold May lard. The market closes easy with packers inclined to sell.

New York Gossip.

Henry A. King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the following despatch today from New York:

The stock market was a little discontented at the start by sensational treatment in some of the morning newspapers of the news of the anti-autonomy riots in Havana. There was a liberal venturing by traders on the short account, and weak holders threw over their stocks. The resulting recessions were moderate, except for a break of 2⅛ per cent on Sugar. Later in the day Washington advices were assuring upon the Cuban situation, and the market enjoyed a general recovery. The feature of the day was the marked strength in priced issues. Lake Shore rose over 4 per cent, Michigan Central 2 per cent. and New York Central about 4 per cent. Rumors became current that the New York Central would increase its dividend rate at the next quarterly declaration. Union Pacific gained on receipts of improving business. Manhattan showed further decided strength on the withdrawal of the Met. St. Ry. as a prospective bidder for the underground transit franchise. B.R.T. rose 2 per cent. in anticipation of a decision against an appeal in the Bridge Loop case. The last hour saw realizing sales, and bear hammering caused a reaction from the midday strength. Sugar, in spite of occasional rallies, was inclined to weakness, and ended lower than last night. The market closed somewhat irregular, but its undertone was far from weak. In Government bonds the new 4's were off ⅛ to ¼ per cent. Railroad bonds were less active, but were firm in the main.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from New York:

Market very irregular, feverish and unsettled to-day. It was upset by alarming reports regarding the situation in Cuba, which caused general selling, and led to some foreigners reducing their holdings. The bull interests distributed large buying orders in the most active stocks before the opening, and rendered good support, but the market wakened under selling pressure, and the general list declined. Trading was large and fluctuations sharp and frequent. Early sellers in turn turned buyers, and, with good support from bull leaders, the market developed renewed strength and recovered sharply. The Vanderbilt stocks and B.R.T. were conspicuously strong features throughout the session. Manhattan advanced on denial that the Metropolitan Traction would bid to build the underground Rapid Transit Road, and B.R.T. advanced on buying by insiders, in anticipation that the Appelate Court will decide against the appeal against the construction of a loop at Brooklyn Bridge entrance. We think speculative interest has been considerably evened up as a result of to-day's developments. Weak holders have been shaken out, and short interest among professionals have been largely increased. Legitimate conditions underlying the market have not changed any; if anything, they are more favorable. Cuba is the only disturbing element which stands in the way of a bull market.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—There were about 800 head of butchers' cattle, 50 calves and 250 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were present in full force and trade was brisk, but the prices were about ¼c per pound lower than on Monday. A few choice beeves were sold at about 4½c per lb.; pretty good stock sold at from 3¾c to nearly 4c per lb.; common dry cows sold at from 2½c to 3c per lb, and some of the leaner animals at about 2c per lb. Some of the calves offered for sale were rather young and lean in flesh for healthy food. These sold at from $1.50 to $2.50 each; calves from one to four weeks old sold at $3 to $8 each. Mixed lots of sheep and lambs sell at from 4c to 4½c per lb; good lambs sell up to near 5c per lb. Fat hogs sell at from 5c to 5¼c per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts confined to a few odd lots, which were peddled out at about steady prices, and the yards are comparatively barren of sale stock.

Veals and Calves—Receipts light and the market steady and firm. Prime veals are hard to sell at $6.50, a few of the extra kind at a shade more. Thin and common lots are dull.

Hogs—Receipts 30 cars. The market opened with a firmer feeling on the strength of higher reports from the west and the moderate receipts at this point, but with the closing advices ruled easier. Good to choice Yorkers, $3.72 to $3.75; mixed packers' grades, $3.75; medium weights, $3.72 to $3.75; heavy hogs, $3.72 to $3.75; roughs, $3.10 to $3.25; stags, $2.75 to $3; pigs, $3.25 to $3.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 18 loads. The market was strong and higher for good handy lambs, and full easy for heavy stock. Good sheep continue to be scarce and firm, with good to choice yearlings in good demand at full former prices. Lambs, yearlings, choice to prime, $5 to $5.15; fair to good, $4.75 to $5; culls to common yearlings, $4.25 to $4.65; native lambs, choice to extra, $5.75 to $5.90; fair to good, $5.50 to $5.70; culls to common, $4.50 to $5.40; native sheep, choice to selected wethers, $4.65 to $4.90; good to choice mixed sheep, $4.35 to $4.65; common to fair, $3.90 to $4.25; culls to common sheep, $2.50 to $3.75.

Cotton Market.

New York, Jan. 13.—Cotton, futures closed barely steady; sales 159,100 bales; Jan. 5.68, Feb. 5.68, March 5.72, April 5.76, May 5.79, June 5.82, July 5.86, August 5.89, Sept. 5.89, Oct. 5.91, Nov. 5.93.

Business Embarrassments.

The Hamilton Iron & Steel Co. have assigned to C. S. Scott. Creditors will meet on Monday.

J. C. Hertll, tailor, Dutton, is offering to compromise.

Miss M. Howitt, milliner, Owen Sound, is offering to compromise at 25c on the dollar.

Representatives of R. H. Howard & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, Front-street, and the Grant-Lottridge Brewing Company of Hamilton, have taken possession of the Horse Shoe Inn, King William-street, Hamilton, which was run by ex-Chief of Police A. D. Stewart, to recover on chattel mortgages for $6000.

J. B. Moreau, a well-known farmer of St. Lambert, Quebec, died on Saturday, aged 65, from pleurisy. His wife died on Wednesday and the doctors say the cause was a broken heart over the loss of her husband.

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STOCKS SOMEWHAT WEAKER

Realizing in Canadian Securities With Montreal Railway Very Heavy.

Wall-street Irregular—Vanderbilt Stocks Higher—Bank Clearings at Toronto Large—No Change in the Bank of England Statement.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 13.

Consols closed unchanged.

In Paris 3 per cent. rentes are lower at 103f 10c.

Canadian Pacific weaker, closing in London at 89, a decline of 1 per cent.

Bar silver in London is firmer at 26 11-16d per ounce, and in New York at 57⅝c.

Union Pacific Railway statement for November shows a gross increase of $427,151 and net increase of $270,721.

A cable to A. E. Ames & Co. from London to-day quoted Grand Trunk lower at 72⅝ for 4 per cent. guar. and 64¼ for first pref.

A feature of the New York stock market to-day was higher prices for the high-priced Vanderbilts. Lake Shore sold up to 180¾, the highest price in its history, and New York Central to 114¼, or within 1 per cent. of its highest in the September boom. Michigan Central sold up to 105½.

Manhattan is very strong on the published interview with President Gould to the effect that it had been decided to proceed to the introduction of electricity as a motive power with as little delay as possible. A report was circulated that the Metropolitan Street Railway Company would furnish the power used on the Manhattan system. This was adduced as corroboration of the persistently circulated stories that closer relations exist between the two companies than appear on the surface.

Deer Park mining stock was active to-day and the increased demand has brought firmness. Ten thousand shares sold on the local Board to-day at 12½c.

Toronto Railway Earnings.

The earnings of the Toronto street railway continue to show good increases. For the first eleven days of the year (Sundays not included) there is an increase of $2759. The following are daily earnings, with comparisons:

Jan. 1	$3,242 56	Decrease	$226 31
Jan. 2	983 33	Sunday.	
Jan. 3	3,588 26	Increase	283 38
Jan. 4	3,142 61	"	318 06
Jan. 5	3,086 69	"	342 49
Jan. 6	3,143 00	"	504 94
Jan. 7	3,136 41	"	401 27
Jan. 8	3,314 49	"	331 70
Jan. 9	983 47	Sunday.	
Jan. 10	3,020 14	Increase	383 32
Jan. 11	3,074 27	"	419 17

Increase for 11 days.....$2,759 03

Bank Clearings at Toronto.

The clearings this week are much greater than at corresponding periods of previous years. Following are the figures, with comparisons:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Jan. 7	$1,703,012	$ 185,353
Jan. 8	1,721,608	133,447
Jan. 10	1,632,487	96,033
Jan. 11	1,674,008	174,433
Jan. 12	1,566,272	100,243
Jan. 13	1,485,172	142,188
Totals	$9,182,649	$ 831,703
Last week	10,706,210	1,982,461
Cor. week, 1897	7,150,028	829,939
" 1896	6,874,777	744,396

Bank of England Statement.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes, as compared with the previous account: Total reserve, increased £800,000; circulation, decreased £635,000; bullion, increased £165,216; other securities, decreased £1,624,000; other deposits, decreased £1,073,000; public deposits, increased £301,000; notes reserve, increased £705,000; Government securities, unchanged. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability, which last week was 38.17 per cent., is now 41.45 per cent. The bank's rate of discount remains unchanged at 3 per cent.

Money Markets.

The local money market is unchanged, with call loans quoted at 4 to 4½ per cent. In New York money was easier at 2½ to 2⅝ per cent., and in London at 1 per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 3, and the open market rates 2 7-16 to 2½ per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-street west, stock 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 to 1-10	pre
Stg. 60 days	9 to	9⅛	8 11-16 to 8 13-16	
do. demand	9½ to	9⅝	9 3-16 to 9 5-16	
Doc., 60 days	.... to	....¾	to 5⅝	

—Rates in New York.—

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.83	4.82½ to 4.82¾
" demand	4.85¼	4.85

Toronto Stock Market.

	1 p.m. Ask.	Bid.	3.30 p.m. Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	230	235	240	235
Ontario	100⅝	99⅝	100⅝	99⅝
Toronto	230	227	....	....
Merchants'	180	176	180	176
Commerce	135½	135⅜	135½	135⅜
Imperial	190	189½	190	189⅝
Dominion	253	251	253	251¼
Standard	....	172¼	....	172
Hamilton	172	170	....	170
Nova Scotia	....	213	....	....
Ottawa	....	193	....	....
British America	128½	127⅝	129	128
Western Assurance	165½	165	165¾	165½
Imperial Life	....	137½	....	137½
Consumers' Gas	....	211	....	211
Montreal Gas	195	194¾	195	194¾
Dominion Telegraph	132	131	....	131
Gas & A. L. Co.	50	48	50	48
C N W L Co, pref.	53	52	54	52½
C P R Stock	87½	87⅜	87⅞	87½
Toronto Electric	136	135¾	136	135¾
do. new	119½	118	119½	118
General Electric	100	....	100	....
do. pref	106	104	106	100
Com. Cable Co.	182⅝	182¼	182½	182¼
do. coup bonds	105¼	105	105½	105
do. reg. bonds	105¼	105	105½	105⅛
Bell Telephone	174	172¼	174	172½
Richelieu & Ont.	110½	109¾	110	107¾
Mont St Ry	....	239	....	....
Toronto Railway	92¾	92½	93	92⅝
Empress Mining Co	6	5	....	....
G T R guar.	75	73	74	73½
do. first pref	66	64	65½	64¾
Brit Can L & Inv.	100	....	....	....
B & Loan Assoc.	60	....	....	....
Can Landed & N I.	102½	101	....	....
Canada Permanent	....	107	....	....
do. 20 per cent.	90	....	....	....
Cana S & Loan	....	108	....	....
Central Can Loan	125	123½	....	....
Dom S & I Soc	78	75	....	....
Freehold L & Sav.	104	....	....	....
do do 20 p.c.	80	....	....	....
Hamilton Provident	112	....	....	....
Hur & E L & Sav.	....	164	....	....
do. 20 per cent.	....	152	....	....
Imperial L & I.	100	....	....	....
Land B & L	....	110	....	....
Lon & Can L & A.	80	....	74	72
London Loan	....	102	....	....
London & Ontario	88	....	....	....
Manitoba Loan	31	25	....	....
Ontario L & D.	....	120½	....	....
People's Loan	42	....	....	....
Real Estate, L & D	65	....	....	....
Toronto S & Loan.	121	117	....	....
Union L & Sav.	90	....	....	....
West Can L & S.	120	115	....	....
do. 25 per cent.	....	88	....	....

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Imperial Bank, 10, 10, 3 at 190; British Am. Assur., 20 at 128; Western Assurance, 50, 50 at 165½; Montreal Gas, 25, 75 at 195¾; C. P. R., 25, 25 at 87¼, 25 at 87⅛, 25 at 87½; Toronto Electric, 26 at 135¾; Cable, reg. bonds, $500 at 105; Richelieu, 25 at 110¼; Toronto Railway, 25 at 92¾.

Sales at 1 p.m.: C.P.R., 25 at 87⅜; Cable, 50, 75 at 182⅝, 25, 25 at 182½; do., reg. bonds, $2500 at 105; Toronto Railway, 50, 50 at 92¾; Canada Landed Loan, 20 at 101; Huron & Erie (20 per cent.), 100 at 153.

Unlisted mining stocks—Hammond Reef, 100 at 20; Deer Park, 8000, 2000 at 12½.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: British Am. Assur., 50 at 128; Western Assurance, 150 at 165½, 2 at 166, 25, 50 at 165⅝; C. P. R., 25 at 87½, 25 at 87⅜; Toronto Railway,