OURS is essentially a young man's hat store, not because we have nothing but young men's hats, but because everything we sell is up-to-date—that is what the young man of any age requires. We don't limit ourselves to two or three makers other than our own Dineen specials. For instance here's a list: We are sole Canadian agents for Melville, Hellegate, Mills and Henry Heath of London, England, and for Dunlap of New York.

We handle also select designs by Christy, Barrington and Wright of London, Eng., and Stetson of Philadelphia, also by many foreign makers, including the great Borsalino of Italy, makers of superb summer felt hats. Soft felt Alpines in pearl, brown, slate, black, castor and brown, marked $2.50 and $3.00.

The W. & D. DINEEN CO. Limited
Cor. Yonge and Temperance Sts.

NOT FOR PUBLICATION.

C.M.A. Insurance Committee Deliberations Withheld for Present.

The special committee appointed by the executive of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association to consider insurance rates met yesterday afternoon. Disappointment was freely given expression to over the underwriters refusal to set a date for a joint conference.

Secretary Stewart stated after the meeting that it was thought advisable not to make public any of the results of the committee's deliberations until they have been drawn up in complete form, which will be within a day or two.

The first council meeting of the board of trade since the fire will be held this afternoon at 3.30. Three of its members suffered, they being J. F. Ellis of Baroer & Ellis, president of the board; J. D. Allan of A. A. Allan & Co., vice-president, and Peleg Howland of H. S. Howland & Sons.

MR. PETTYPIECE ASPIRES.

Will Ask Cabinet to Make Him Chairman of Commission.

Chairman of the new railway taxation commission is the office which H. J. Pettypiece is understood to be deeply interested in just now. He interviewed the premier yesterday, and will appear before the cabinet to-day in regard to it. A secretary to the commission is to be appointed.

As the other two members of the committee the names of Thomas H. Preston, M.L.A., and W. H. Hoyle, M.L.A., have been mentioned. The details of the work of the commission have not yet been arranged.

THE G.N.W. TELEGRAPHERS.

Acting on advice from the deputy-minister of labor, President Will Long of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, yesterday instructed a committee composed of the striking employes of the G.N.W. Telegraph Company to wait upon Manager McMichael and ask that their differences be settled by arbitration. The committee were told that there was nothing to arbitrate.

This step of asking the company to adopt conciliatory measures was taken, the union explain, to exhaust every peaceable means before entering upon a vigorous campaign. The locals thruout the county will now be consulted as to the best methods to be adopted. The president reports having spent a week in Quebec, where a new local consisting of nearly every commercial operator in the city was formed.

Hotel Employes' Convention.

Rochester, N.Y., May 9.—The twelfth annual convention of the International Hotel and Restaurant Employes' Alliance and Bartenders' International League of America opened here to-day. Sixty-five thousand members are represented.

Printing Had to Be Duplicated.

No department suffered by the late fire so much as that of the King's printer, in the legislative buildings. Nearly all the printing associated with the close of the session has had to be duplicated, and the usual stationery supplies have run very low. Nothing was irreparably lost, duplicates of all the printing in hand having been preserved, and work is being gradually caught up.

Brokers Suspended.

New York, May 9.—The firm of Floyd, Crawford & Co. was suspended by the board of the Consolidated Stock Exchange to-day, pending further investigation. The firm has about 25 branches in the United States and one in Montreal. The action to-day was because of irregularities in business transactions.

Under the Nerve Lash. — The torture and torment of the victim of nervous prostration and nervous debility no one can rightly estimate who has not been under the ruthless lash of these relentless human foes. M. Williams of Fordwich, Ont., was for four years a nervous wreck. Six bottles of South American Nervine worked a miracle, and his doctor confirmed it.—28.

Just what disposition will be made of the steamer City of Owen Sound this summer is a matter that appears to be undecided. The boat, which is the property of the Algoma Navigation Co., was last year chartered by the Dominion Express Company for the fruit trade with Grimsby and Jordan Beach. Some time ago the Owen Sound's companion boat, City of Windsor, when the former was on her old circuit, was offered for sale, and it is understood that the Algoma Navigation Company, thru their solicitors, Macdonnel and Boland, will endeavor to effect the disposal of the Owen Sound to the Dominion Express Company or any other likely purchaser. Failing this it is probable that the contract between the two will be renewed. In the meantime there is no definite information to hand, altho the arrival in the city of General Manager McLauchlan of the Algoma Navigation Company, which is looked for this week, will probably have results.

The Spartan of the R. & O. line, which left on her second trip east last night, encountered less trouble on her initial trip than did her running mate, the Corsican, the latter having been 24 hours late in starting on her second scheduled trip, while the Spartan left last night strictly as billed. According to her captain, there is still a lot of ice at the foot of the Soulanges Canal, but a good passage-way now exists. The Persia of the Merchants' Line also made timely return yesterday, and will make her scheduled departure again at 2.30 p.m. to-day.

The Toronto Ferry Company will probably begin their regular 20 minute service on the 20th inst. So far only the Ada Alice, Luella and Kathleen have been making daily trips, with the Shamrock, Mayflower and Primrose added on Saturday and Sunday. Beginning with the date named, the fleet will run in full strength, the additions being the Island Queen, Clark Bros., John Hanlan, Arlington and Thistle. It is estimated that the household furniture and effects of about sixty island cottagers have already been transported across the bay.

Wm. Evans, inspector of hulls, is at present in Sarnia looking over the vessels in port there. He is expected back to-morrow. His associate inspector, John Dodds, is ill at present and unable to attend to his duties.

Cleveland, May 9.—The executive committee of the Lake Carriers met with the representatives of the Seamen's Union to-day and practically reached an agreement governing the season. The wage scale adopted is the same as that of last year. The request of the men for overtime in emergency cases, when they are compelled to be on duty over certain hours, was not allowed.

Montreal, May 9.—The board of harbor commissioners to-day awarded a contract for the construction of the twelve steel freight sheds with which the new wharves are to be equipped, amounting to $2,305,000, to Peter Lyall & Son. Peter Lyall is the Liberal candidate in St. Antoine division for the next federal election.

Kingston, May 9.—Arrivals—Schooner Clara Youell, Oswego, coal; schooner Highland Beauty, Consecon, oats; schooner Maggie L., Emerald, grain.

Cleared—Tug Bronson, Montreal, light; schooner Reho, bay ports, light; schooner Two Brothers, Bay ports, light; schooner Laura D., Bay ports, light.

Port Dalhousie, May 9.—Passed up—Steamer Resolute and barge, Oswego to Michael's Bay, light; steamer Nipegon and barges, Ogdensburg to Cleveland, light; steamer Myles, Toronto to Erie, light; steamer Persia, Montreal to St. Catharines, general cargo.

Passed down—Tug Michael Davitt, Buffalo to Port Dalhousie, dry dock.

Wind—Southwest; strong.

Midland, May 9.—Arrived — Steamer John Lee, passengers and freight, from Parry Sound, 1 p.m.; steamer United Lumberman, light, from Parry Sound, 5.45 p.m.

Cleared—Steamer John Lee, passengers and freight for Penetang, 2 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. CONVENTION.

Hon. G. W. Ross Will Address International Gathering at Buffalo.

The International Convention of Y. M.C.A's. at Buffalo from May 11 to 15 will be unique in marking the fiftieth anniversary of the first similar convention which was also held in Buffalo. On Thursday a commemorative meeting will be held in the same hall, and a number of delegates then present will speak. The great question to be debated at the convention is that of the authority of the international committee, as there is a conflict with the city and state organizations.

General Secretary Pratt, William J. Green, J. Howard Crocker, physical instructor, and others from the Toronto Association will attend. On Saturday, the Canadian members will meet at Niagara Falls to consider a proposition to hold a convention of Canadian associations in Toronto in February next.

On Saturday night, Hon. George W. Ross will speak on the topic of "Young Men—the Most Valuable of the Resources of North America."

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other powders, as it is both soap and disinfectant. 34

CROP REPORT DELAYED.

Crops are backward this year, and the enquiry lists of the bureau of agriculture having been consumed in the recent heated spell, and a delay having been entailed in the preparation of new lists, the usual crop report will not be ready much before the end of the present month.

The announcement that Chief Clerk Joseph Brignell of District Passenger Agent Notman's staff, is down with typhoid was heard yesterday with regret by a wide circle of friends, both railway men and others.

Montreal, May 9.—D. D. Mann announced to-day that the contract had been let for the Canadian Northern construction, and that work would begin at once. They will build from a point 400 miles west of Winnipeg straight to Edmonton. He denies that J. J. Hill was negotiating for the road, and said it was not for sale. He denied also the rumor that he was going to enter politics.

The Wabash is establishing several new telegraph offices along its line between Buffalo and Chicago with a view to safeguarding and facilitating its passenger business during the World's Fair.

The annual convention of the Airbrake Association for 1904 opens in Buffalo to-day. It is expected that there will be 300 delegates in attendance. The session will last about three days.

The National Association of Car Service Managers will meet at Niagara Falls on June 16.

Manufacturers of steel rails are encouraged over the outlook. The severity of the past winter has made extensive repairs necessary and many of the western roads have placed big orders for steel rails. A number of the eastern lines have shown an indication to buy mainly for the ordinary maintenance work rather than reconciliation to paying the price asked—$28 a ton. The New York Central has contracted for 10,000 tons of steel rails, all to be used for current needs.

A party of Grand Trunk Railway officials, made up of G. T. Bell, general passenger agent; J. D. McDonald, district passenger agent, and F. L. Somerville, resident engineer, left yesterday morning on a short run to Muskoka district in connection with arrangements for the summer's tourist traffic.

Terminal Superintendent H. H. Brewer stated that no such move as that reported, namely, the transference of a number of local train crews to Fort Erie, is being considered, so far as he is aware at present. From seventy to eighty men would be affected by the change if made.

$2,305,000 FOR MONTREAL SHEDS

Harbor Improvement Tender Awarded to a Montreal Firm.

Montreal, May 9.—(Special.)—Peter Lyall & Sons, contractors of this city, are the successful tenderers in the competition for the steel sheds on the harbor front, it being announced at the meeting of the harbor commissioners to-day that their tender of $2,305,000 for the shed contract was the lowest, and now it only remains for the governor-in-council to approve of the same before the actual work is let.

Eight tenders were received in all, those bidding for the work being: W. Davis & Sons, general contractors, Ottawa; Milliken Bros., steel workers, of New York; Canadian Bridge Company of Peterboro; J. Haney, general contractor, Toronto; Peter Lyall & Sons, general contractors, Montreal; Canadian Foundry Company, Toronto; the Tide Water Bridge Company; McLintic, Marshall, Kain & Co., New York.

It is understood that Messrs. Lyall & Sons are working in conjunction with an American steel firm. It appears that Peter Lyall endeavored to form a working agreement with a local iron and steel company, but being unable to do so was obliged to go to the United States.

TO CANADA.

London Express: Canada is still in the boom. We are glad of it, but our gladness is tempered by the thought that emigration from the British Isles is the main cause of the success. This morning we announce an exodus to the empire's granary from the cotton towns of Lancashire. It is said that it will be the greatest since the cotton famine caused by the American Civil War in 1863. The parallel is in a sense startling, for the present depression thru which the whole country has been passing, in the opinion of men qualified by age and experience to speak with authority, is only precedented by that black period forty years ago.

This transfer of British population from one part of the empire to another is an object lesson of exceptional interest. These mill-hands are going to the farmlands of Canada. The depopulation of our rural districts is being revenged. The still voice of the country is calling men and women away from noisy factory and bustling market place, and, whatever may be private or local sentiment in the matter, there is no doubt it is good both for the race and the empire. But is it not possible for rural England to take advantage of this "boom"? What are the special inducements which have stirred the desire of these lads of the County Palatine. Cannot British farmlands attract them? Is it well to let them go beyond the seas without any serious attempt being made to stay them, even tho more broad acres are passing annually out of cultivation?

The majority of these emigrants have saved money. They are in every way desirable children for "Our Lady of the Snows." And they arrive at a time when the white garment is cast off, and the country is at its fairest, decked with flowers, and joyful in the verdure of fertile fields and fruitful orchards. Canada is striving to draw to her shores the tide of Anglo-Saxon emigration, and we are glad to believe that the only competitors she has to fear are the sister colonies of South Africa and Australia. The imperial idea has spread to all classes, and the people of the British Isles have determined that henceforth, tho circumstances compel them to change their sky, they will not change their flag.

CANADA WOOLLEN POSITION.

The statement made yesterday by George Davidson, liquidator of the Canada Woolen Mills, Ltd., to the effect that the proportion of the assets to the liabilities was $900,000 to $420,000, places its affairs in a more favorable light. The assignment made is explained as a step necessary to prevent two of the creditors who had issued writs obtaining priority of judgment over the others.

He has called a meeting of the inspectors, W. D. Matthews, G. F. Benson, W. D. Long, R. J. Millichamp and W. J. Carter for Thursday, when the course of action in winding up the company will probably be decided on.

King's Plate Declarations To-Day.

Owners and trainers are reminded that declarations for the King's Plate are due. Trainers and jockeys must apply to the O. J. C. for licenses, otherwise they will not be permitted to train or ride at Woodbine Park.

Dora Suowdon, who stole $12 from Joseph Burnett, will spend the next six months in the Mercer.

John Jackson, the bad colored man, who beat his mother Saturday night, was sent to jail for three months by Magistrate Denison.

GRAIN PRICES FIRMER

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18½c; do. northerly sections, firsts, 18c; do. southerly sections, average best, 17½c; western seconds, 16½c to 17½c; Kentucky, 16c to 17c; Tennessee and southern, 16c to 16½c; do. poor to fair, 14c to 15½c; dirties, 13c to 14½c; checks, 13c to 13½c.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, May 9.—Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 1 California, 7s; futures barely steady; May, 6s 3½d; July, 6s 4⅝d; Sept., 6s 5¼d. Corn, spot firm, American mixed, new, 4s 4½d; American mixed, old, 4s 7d; futures, quiet; May, 4s 3⅞d; July, 4s 8⅝d.

Liverpool, May 9.—Shoulders dull; 30s. Peas—Canadian, 5s 6d.

The imports of wheat into Liverpool last week were 6900 quarters from Atlantic ports, and 79,000 from other ports.

The imports of corn from Atlantic ports last week were 4100 quarters.

New York Grain and Produce.

New York, May 9.—Flour—Receipts, 10,968 barrels; exports, 5337 barrels; sales, 8300 packages; steady, with business light; Minnesota patent, $5 to $5.20; Minnesota bakers', $4 to $4.20; winter patents, $5 to $5.35; winter straights, $4.80 to $5; winter extras, $3.35 to $4; winter low grade, $3.50 to $3.80. Rye flour steady; fair to good, $4 to $4.25; choice to fancy, $4.25 to $4.60.

Cornmeal—Steady; yellow western, $1.08 to $1.10; city, $1.10 to $1.12; kiln-dried, $3 to $3.10.

Rye—Dull; No. 2 western, 70c spot.

Barley—Quiet; feeding, 49c, c.i.f., New York; malting, 55c, c.i.f., Buffalo.

Wheat—Receipts, 81,000 bushels; sales, 1,800,000 bushels futures; spot steady; No. 2 red, $1.06, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.07 to $1.11, f.o.b., afloat; No. 1 Northern, Duluth, $1.00½, f.o.b., afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal, f.o.b., afloat. Options opened higher on local buying, but quickly responded to weakness elsewhere, the big world's shipments, favorable northwest weather news, and a bearish visible supply statement. Later, a general recovery took place on renewed fears of a bullish crop report, and last prices showed ¼c to ½c net advance. May 92¼c to 92c, closed 93c; July 90½c to 91c, closed 91c; Sept. 83⅜c to 84⅜c, closed 84⅜c; Dec. 84¼c to 84½c, closed 84¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 50,520 bushels; exports, 1400 bushels; sales, 20,000 bushels futures. Spot steady; No. 2, 60c, elevator, and 56c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 2 white, 57c. Option market was quiet but steady on showers in leading corn states, a fair cash inquiry and room covering. The close was ¼c to ½c higher. May closed 56¼c; July 53⅜c to 53¾c, closed 53¾c; Sept. closed 53⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 61,500 bushels; exports, 10,055 bushels. Spot firm; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 47c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 49c to 50c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 52c to 54c.

Rosin—Firm; strained, common to good, 58½c to 59c. Molasses—Firm; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 31c to 37c.

Pig-iron—Quiet; northern, $14.25 to $15.75; southern, $12.50 to $14.50. Copper—Quiet, $13.50. Lead—Quiet, $4.60 to $4.65. Tin—Weak; Straits, $25.70 to $25.80; plates market easy; spelter quiet; domestic, $5.20 to $5.25.

Coffee—Spot Rio weak; No. 7 invoice, 6¾c; mild quiet; Cordova, 10c to 13c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 7-32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 23-32c; molasses sugar, 2 31-32c; refined firm; No. 6, 4.40c; No. 7, 4.35c; No. 8, 4.30c; No. 9, 4.25c; No. 10, 4.20c; No. 11, 4.15c; No. 12, 4.10c; No. 13, 4.05c; No. 14, 4c; confectioners' A, 4.65c; mould A, 5.15c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5.50c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.80c; cubes, 5.05c.

JUNCTION LIVE STOCK.

Receipts of live stock at the Union stock yards were 45 carloads, composed of 884 cattle, 4 sheep and 29 calves. The quality of fat cattle was good, many choice loads being offered.

Trade opened up briskly, early in the day, and nearly everything was bought up before noon, not a hoof being left unsold at the close of the market.

Prices were good all round and not a complaint was made by drovers of having lost money.

There were many choice well-finished loads of exporters, but it was generally conceded that Shortreed & Black of Fergus topped the market for quality, and as for price it was not made public. Messrs. Mayne, Corbett & Henderson sold the above cattle and tho they did not make the price public, that is one reason for concluding that they did not sell them for much less than a nickel per lb.

William Levack again headed the list as far as numbers were concerned, having bought 15 car loads of fat cattle at following prices: Exporters, $4.60 to $4.90; the bulk of exporters selling at $4.70 to $4.80; pickled butchers', equal in quality to best exporters, at $4.50 to $4.65; loads of good at $4.35 to $4.50; fair to good at $4.25 to $4.40; fair to medium at $4 to $4.20; common mixed, at $3.75 to $3.90; export cows, $3.75 to $4.12.

A. McIntosh bought 7 loads exporters, 1400 lbs. each, at $4.75 to $4.90.

J. W. Elliott bought three loads of extra well finished exporters from Wm. Kinnear, at a price not made public.

T. Halligan bought one load exporters, 1300 lbs. each, at $4.75.

E. Snell & Co. bought 198 exporters, 1300 to 1400 lbs., many of which were extra choice cattle, at $4.60, $4.80 and $4.90 per cwt.; one choice milch cow at $50; and on Friday last sold three milch cows at $180 for the lot.

McDonald & Maybee, commission salesmen, did a good trade, having made the sales of cattle consigned to them by farmers and drovers, as follows: Thirty-six exporters, 1365 lbs. each, $4.90; 16 exporters, 1310 lbs. each, $4.80; 18 exporters, 1340 lbs. each, $4.80; 2 butchers, 1190 lbs. each, $4.50; 23 short keep feeders, 1130 lbs. each, $4.70; 4 butchers', 1130 lbs. each, at $4.70.

Mayne, Corbett & Henderson bought five loads of the best exporters offered, weighing 1404 lbs. each; 10 extra picked butchers' 1050 lbs. each, equal in quality to the best exporters, at $4.75 per cwt.

Thomas Mason of Clinton sold one load exporters, 1300 lbs. each, at $4.85 per cwt.

Jas. Scott, Listowel, sold two loads exporters, 1350 lbs. each, at $4.80 per cwt.

Maybee & Wilson sold 14 exporters, 1280 lbs. each, at $4.80 per cwt., less $5; two butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $4.55; three butcher cows, 1200 lbs. each, at $3.80; bought one load butchers, 1040 lbs. each, at $4.45 per cwt.

R. J. Collins bought 22 butchers', 1040 lbs. each, at $4.45; 9 butchers', 1270 lbs. each, at $3.80.

R. Hunter bought one load butchers, 1065 lbs each, at $4.45 per cwt.

J. L. Rountree bought one load mixed butchers' and exporters, 1276 lbs. each, at $4.35 per cwt., less $6; 4 butchers', 1085 lbs. each, at $4.40; one canner bull, 800 lbs., at $1.75 per cwt.

S. Garbutt bought one load short-keeps at $4.65.

Geo. Armstrong bought one load short-keep, 1230 lbs. each, at $4.65 per cwt.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady — Montreal Market Little Changed in Cattle Prices.

New York, May 9.—Beeves— Receipts, 3488; steers active and 10c higher; bulls and thin cows steady; medium and good cows, shade lower; steers, $4.60 to $5.20; no choice here; tail ends, $3.85; bulls, $3.75 to $4.20; cows, $2.00 to $3.90.

Exports to-morrow, 850 cattle, 1250 sheep and 4200 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts 7129. Market 50c higher; some sales 75c higher. Veals, $3.10 to $5.75; choice, $5.90 to $6.00; culls and little calves, $2.50 to $3.00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,814. Sheep steady. Clipped lambs, firm to 15c higher. Spring lambs, steady. Wooled sheep, $4.50 to $5.50; clipped, ditto, $3.50 to $5.00; culls, $5.00; no choice sheep here, unshorn lambs, $6.00 to $7.25; clipped, ditto, $5.25 to $6.50; clipped culls, $4.50 to $5.00; spring lambs, $3.25 to $5.00 per head.

Hogs—Receipts, 9753. Prime state hogs, $5.50. Market barely steady.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, N. Y., May 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 5500; slow, 5c to 10c lower. Prime steers, $5.00 to $5.20; shipping, $4.50 to $5.00; butchers', $4.25 to $4.85; heifers, $3.50 to $4.50; cows, $3.00 to $4.00; bulls, $3.00 to $4.00; stockers and feeders, $3.40 to $4.40; stock heifers, $2.75 to $3.25; good fresh cows and springers, $2.00 higher; others steady; good to choice, $48 to $60; medium to good, $32 to $45; common, $20 to $30.

Veals—Receipts, 800 head; steady, $4.00 to $5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000 head; pigs, slow and lower; others steady; heavy, $5.15 to $5.20; mixed, $5.15 to 5.17½; yorkers, $5.00 to $5.15; pigs, $4.80 to $4.85; roughs, $4.50 to $4.40; stags, $3.00 to $3.50; dairies, $4.80 to $5.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 20,200 head; active; ewes 25c lower; lambs 5c higher; others steady; lambs $4.50 to $6.40; yearlings and wethers, $5.25 to $5.65; ewes, $4.50 to $4.75; sheep, mixed, $3.25 to $5.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 24,000, including 225 Texans; steady to weak; good to prime steers, $5 to $5.60; poor to medium, $4 to $4.90; stockers and feeders, $3 to $4.40; cows, $1.50 to $4.40; heifers, $2.25 to $4.60; Texas-fed steers, $4 to $4.40.

Hogs—Receipts to-day, 33,000; market steady; mixed and butchers', $4.70 to $4.92½; good to choice, heavy, $4.80 to $4.82½; rough, heavy, $4.65 to $4.75; light, $4.60 to $4.80; bulk of sales, $4.75 to $4.85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 20,000; steady to easy; lambs steady to easy; good to choice wethers, $4.60 to $5.25; fair to choice, mixed, $3.50 to $4.50; clipped native lambs, $4.25 to $5.75.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, May 9.—About 600 head of butchers' cattle, 30 milch cows, 300 calves and 90 sheep and lambs were offered for sale at the East End abattoir to-day. The butchers were out strong, but trade in cattle was slow and prices remain without material change. Prime beeves sold at 4½c to near 5c per lb. Good mediums, including large fat cows, sold at 4c to 4¼c, ordinary mediums, 3¾c. Large bulls, 3½c to 4c; and the common stocks, at 2¾c to 3½c per lb. Milch cows sold at from $25 to $60 each. Calves at $2 to $6 each. Sheep at 3½c to 4¾c per lb., and the lambs at $2.50 to $5 each. Good lots of fat hogs sold at about 5¼c per lb.

British Cattle Market.

London, May 9.—Canadian cattle are steady at 11c to 11¾c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 9¼c to 9½c per lb. Sheep, 12c per lb.; yearlings, 13c.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

"David Harum."—Grand.

"David Harum's" second advent before a Toronto audience was made to a well-filled house at the Grand last night, and his auditors listened to his homely wisdom with quite as much satisfaction as on his previous appearance. His worldly-wise witticisms have become household property by reason of the dual successes of the play and the book, and, if anything, they improved on secondnd acquaintance. Mr. William H. Turner's character work in the title role could hardly be improved upon. The story, of course, is familiar. The supporting company is fully as strong as that of its predecessor. Charles Eldridge and Mary B. Henderson presented finished character studies of the two old rural characters, Zeke Swinney and the Widow Cullum, respectively. The roles of Deacon Perkins, Amos Enright and Dick Larribee lost none of their picturesqueness in the hands of W. P. Lewis, Harry Levian and C. H. Carlton. William Lamp, as the "hero of reduced circumstances," and his fiancee, enacted by Miss Kathryn Morse, supplied the love element to the final happy denouement.

"Human Hearts."—Majestic.

There is no need to repeat the story nor sound the praises of "Human Hearts." For seven seasons now this pretty drama of the Arkansas foothills has been an annual attraction to Toronto theatregoers. It is the most successful play of its type on the stage to-day. Its characters are pointedly drawn, its lessons ring true and the manly part of Tom Logan, the hero, thru his many trials and vicissitudes, until finally he emerges triumphant and happy, is one to emulate. The presenting company is strong in every character, with a couple of very clever little children, too. The staging is modern and the piece, with its intermingling of the grave and the gay, will please large audiences.

Vaudeville—Shea's.

An entertaining show is that at Shea's this week, and, with hardly a dull moment anywhere—perhaps none at all. Annie Abbott, the Georgia Magnet, is the feature act. She is a trim little woman in pink, who successfully resists the strength of a dozen husky men invited from the audience. She rests a wooden pole lightly between her hands, and the combined strength of the men can't move it to the ground, nor can they lift her from the stage. There is no fake about her performance; it's a straight and away scientific puzzle. Foy and Clark have a very clever sketch called "The Old Curiosity Shop," in which some of the fun is in the articles ticketed. A chunk of wood was said to be from the ark. "Where's the rest of the ark?" asks the man. "They're using it for the Toronto Custom House," answers the girl, and business men will believe her. William Windom, "the nurse girl," has a monolog that pleases the young ladies. The Romani Trio present a musical novelty, rich and new. The man performs on two corncts at once, with the melody of a pair of accomplished musicians. Pat Rooney and Emma Francis, in their eccentric dancing specialty; Bean and Hamilton, in daring barrel jumping feats; Dorothy Neville, in a monolog and the kinetograph, are other features. It is a good hot weather bill. Next week Hilliard will be seen in "the strongest sketch in vaudeville," called "Number 973."

Burlesque—Star.

The Rentz-Santley Company's opening performances yesterday at the Star were greeted with full houses. The opening burletta, "The Matrimonial Market," depicting a marriage broker's office, went off with a swing, the chorus' singing being especially fine, tho the solo parts were only ordinary. In the olio, Gruett and Gruett, comedy and black-face artists; the Connolly sisters, singers and dancers; McCabe, Sabine and Vera, in a nautical skit, and the Yamamoto brothers, Japanese wire walkers, were all good, especially the Japs, whose feats of balancing were remarkable. The concluding extravaganza, "The Calif of Zulu," winds up a pleasing performance.

Shakespeare in Open Air.

President Loudon of Toronto University and Dr. McLennan of the alumni association have arranged a delightful program for convocation week. Convocation will be held on June 10. The principal attraction of the week will be the production of pastoral plays by Ben Greet and his company of woodland players in the dean's garden. Last year the effect created by the pastorals was such as to increase a desire of hearing a more extended repertoire. Ben Greet has arranged that his company should come to Toronto on Wednesday and Thursday, June 8 and 9. The plays will be as follows: Wednesday afternoon, "As You Like It"; Wednesday evening, "A Midsummer Night's Dream"; Thursday afternoon, "Twelfth Night," and Thursday evening, "Much Ado About Nothing." In the principal roles will be seen with Edith Wynne Matheson and Mr. Greet himself, C. Rann Kennedy, B. A. Field and others. The players who will be seen are those who made the most successful Shakespearean season known in New York since the days of Adelaide Neilson.

Adjusting the Losses.

Twenty-one reports to the general committee were received yesterday, most of them being of the minor order and recording building losses only. On Jenner, Sauer, Bannerman Co., Ltd., Toronto Flower and Feather Co., D. D. Hawthorne & Co., alone, the appraisements covered stock as well as building. Four sub-committees were appointed: On W. P. King & Son, Goulding & Son, Kleinburg Rubber Company and R. A. Kennedy & Co.

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