FLOOD OF LIQUOR RUSHED TO BORDER AS DRY DAY NEARS

Conservative Estimate Places Value of Booze Shipped To Windsor At Two Million Dollars — Fearing Confiscation Many Holders Are Lowering Prices.

[Special To The Advertiser.]

WINDSOR, July 13.—With but five days left before Ontario goes bone dry by vote of the order-in-council of the Federal Government prohibiting the importation of intoxicants into the province, there is a veritable flood of liquor pouring into this city.

Estimates of stocks on hand are necessarily inexact. Probably the individual who knows just how much of the stuff has come within the past few weeks is License Inspector M. N. Mousseau, but he declines to give out even an approximate estimate. A summary of the best opinions, however, places the value at close to $2,000,000, and this estimate is conservative.

Much For Export.

Just how much of this vast store of intoxicants will be actually consumed on Canadian side of the river and how much will later across to "dry" Detroit is a matter of conjecture only. But it is known that thousands of dollars worth of liquor have been acquired for export purposes.

Now, with prohibition less than a week off, the activity along the river-front has made fortunes for those who engaged in the trade, that has enriched those who in the past were content to make from hand to mouth, and has given motor cars to those who expected to walk the rest of their lives, has increased greatly. Fear is the cause of the rush. Holders of these stocks acquired in every way from purchase to theft, fear that if they attempt to move them after midnight, July 19, they will run foul of the law.

May Be Confiscated.

There also fear, though the "High dollar" is bound to prevail, that the Canadian authorities will confiscate their wealth. The result is apparent on the Detroit side today. Liquor that has been selling for $10 a bottle, is quoted today as low as $5 with some dealers willing to take $50 for a case of bottles.

Brewers, with storage facilities and nerve, are gambling for prices that may prevail next year.

Further, the drying up of Ontario means prohibition for the third time for Detroit. Under the state law the city went dry first May 1, 1918. Then came the war-time prohibition, and now Ontario goes dry.

The closing days have brought a rush of orders, such a rush that in the last few days breweries and liquor houses have been refusing and returning cheques.

Stand In Line.

At Windsor and Walkerville breweries long lines of customers wait to have their orders, which have been placed in Detroit, filled. The breweries will keep on brewing after the province becomes dry, but not for Ontario. Likewise, the Walker distillery will continue to convert grain into red liquor—but not for Ontario. The product of these industries will go far, far away.

At present breweries are running 24 hours a day, with four shifts of perspiring men in the distillery department. Some of the beer is still hot from the vat when sent out, but that apparently makes no difference. It is a last minute spurt to get under the wire by those who did not lay in their barrels weeks ago.

Deliveries Delayed.

Deliveries of liquor are having an equally strenuous time. Several months ago Windsor postoffice was forced to put on several extra men to take care of rapidly-increasing money order business. These orders ran from small amounts to $1,000, and the higher figure was not at all uncommon. At least half the Windsor householders are accumulating their private supply. One resident is said to have liquor and beer valued at $50,000 stored away.

Fines for selling liquor have totalled $200,000 in one year in the Windsor courts.

But a cache of liquor has to be guarded like the art treasures in the Louvre. Liquor is fair game for anybody. Any which is not hidden is almost sure to be stolen. One man dug a hole in the floor of his chicken coop, affixed a carefully concealed trapdoor and maintains several loud crowing roosters as burglar alarms. Many have concealed doors in the walls and floors of their basements.

Guards cannot be employed, as no guard is proof against the temptation to steal liquor. Neighbors cannot be trusted to give the alarm in case of robbery, while the householder is away, for two reasons; one of which is that the neighbor in giving the alarm may spoil a plan of the householder to permit liquor to be taken that he has actually sold to the supposed robbers.

Doesn't Like Noise.

Another source of worry is the Detroit friend who calls on the Windsorite. The "friend" usually pays for his liquor, but he gets noisy, and noise is one thing the shrinking Windsorite who sells liquor does not like. It attracts police and liquor thieves, and the seller never knows which will arrive first.

"This trouble will not last long," says Inspector Mousseau. "People are not going to be so willing to give their friends drinks when they know there is not going to be any more. They are on the last of their supplies, and no matter how much the supply, it never seems quite large enough to the owners."

Mr Mousseau said that duties of inspectors will be about the same as they are at present with advent of prohibition. For there will still be the bootlegger to be caught. The only difference will be in the price the bootlegger receives as the supplies here decreases.

Hundrds of cottages have sprung up, up and down the river, on the Canadian shore. These all complicate things for the inspectors. Down the river hundreds of such cottages built away out on spiles in the river flourish merrily—housing Americans seeking the cool of the Canadian shore—and incidentally Canadian beer.

TORONTO SCOTS WIN.

TORONTO, July 13.—Fort William's hopes of reaching the Connaught cup finals were blasted when Toronto Scottish beat them in the first of a two-game series, score on the round to count, by 4 to 0, on the Toronto grounds this evening. The second game will be played next Saturday.

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STRUCK WIFE IN FACE AT DANCE

Brutal Attack of Port Dover Man Scored in Court.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

SIMCOE, July 13.—"I have had fifteen cases due to jealousy to deal with this season, but yours is the worst I have ever had," said Magistrate R. E. Gunton in police court here tonight after James Temple, a husky Port Dover resident, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault laid by his wife.

The evidence showed that on Monday evening at Port Dover Mrs. Temple, who is a very attractive looking woman was attending a dance when her husband walked into the hall and in full view of those present struck her a heavy blow in the face, knocking her down. The woman later laid a charge of assault. She has a grown-up son and daughter.

Admits the Charge.

Temple pleaded guilty. He said he worked hard all day and that his wife liked to go swimming and dance and he did not want to go with her. On Monday night at the dance he found her sitting with two men and also saw her having a glass of birch beer. He did not like such conduct.

"You can't get away with that kind of stuff in this county," said Crown Attorney W. E. Kelly. "Your jealousy almost amounts to insanity, and if you continue in the same state of mind you are in now the next time you appear in court it will be to answer a charge of murder."

The magistrate allowed Temple to go on suspended sentence, but assessed him $20.35 costs.

Mrs. Temple, it is understood, will return to her home.

WILL APPEAL GRAIN DECISION

Chairman Is Instructed by Ottawa To Take Action.

WINNIPEG, July 13. — Hon. J. D. Hyndman, chairman of the royal grain inquiry commission, stated today that orders had been received from Ottawa by counsel for the commission to appeal the decision of Mr. Justice Curran making the injunction against the commission permanent. The appeal will not interfere with the decision of the board to disband until legal procedure has been concluded, he added.

At the present time it is uncertain just when the case will be brought before the Manitoba Court of Appeal, but it was unofficially stated that although the court is now on vacation until September, a special session would be called to dispose of the case.

The decision to appeal came as a distinct surprise to the grain dealers' counsel, who, however, declared they are prepared to fight the case to a finish.

FIRES THREATENING VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

Vicient Wind Is Adding To the Danger of Conflagration.

OTTAWA, July 13.—Grave anxiety for the safety of the village of Chelsea, situated in the Gatineau Valley about nine miles from here, and for the safety of the lives and property of the numerous summer cottagers from Ottawa who in the summer make the district their home, was felt today following alarming reports that a bush fire which has been smouldering for a number of days, had broken out with renewed vigor, and was threatening the settlement.

A local paper concern, with large timber holdings in the vicinity, organized a fire-fighting crew, but these men on arrival at the scene of the conflagration found that although the fire had undoubted increased in volume, the situation was well in hand and that the thickly inhabitated area was not in any danger. The fire at its nearest point was over one-half mile away and was running parallel with the settlement.

About 10:30 tonight a violent squall of wind broke out from the north and the smoke from the fires became very dense in the Chelsea village. This, it is thought, created the false impression that the fire had become dangerous, and was bearing down on the village. A call was received by Mayor Frank Plant asking that fire fighting apparatus be sent from Ottawa to fight the flames, but as the earlier reports were later discredited, none of the force was called out.

RETIRING ALLOWANCE FOR J. D. FLAVELLE

TORONTO, July 13.—J. D. Flavelle, late chairman of the Ontario License Board, will, it is understood, receive as a retiring allowance a lump sum of approximately $3,600.

Mr. Flavelle, as chairman of the board, received $6,000 a year and had served the province for six years.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

Arrivals

Montreal, July 13.—Maplemore, London; Canadian Ranger, Naples.

Sailings.

Montreal, July 13.—Attualita, Gibraltar; Cairngowan, Newcastle; Canadian Navigator, Liverpool and Glacgow; Danemark, Danish ports; Canadian Harvester, British West Indies.

EARL OF BANDON RELEASED.

LONDON, July 13.—The release last night of the Earl of Bandon, who was kidnapped last month by Sinn Feiners, has given a wider character to the truce in Ireland, declares the correspondent. It is added by the correspondent that the Government has ordered the reopening of sections of the Irish railways which have been closed in consequence of Sinn Fein activities, and that the question of reopening creameries which have been closed for similar reasons is under consideration.

LOSING GRAIN BY SPROUTING

Heavy Damage Is Being Caused To Wheat in Lobo.

ILDERTON, July 13.—Owing to the heavy rains harvesting operations have been held up, and much haying is still to be done. The fall wheat is all cut and in stook, but some fields are badly damaged by sprouting. Even some of the sheaves where stooks are standing up have sprouted heads, and the sheaves that were blown down are sprouted much worse, and the loss from damaged grain will run up into the thousands of dollars through the district.

One farmer who cut a field after the storm reports that some heads were sprouted standing up, owing to the very warm weather along with the wet. Some fields were badly flooded, and stooks had to be hauled out of deep water onto the high ground. However, with a few days of dry and cooler weather, the hauling can soon be done, and some stook threshing will be probably done this week in Lobo.

Held Annual Meeting.

The Ilderton Co-Operative Elevator Company held their annual meeting on Monday evening. Owing to farmers being so busy the attendance was not as large as usual. The old board of directors was re-elected, except Leo Telfer, who wished to retire. Mr. Walls was elected in his place. Reports of the year's work were read, and seemed to be satisfactory to the shareholders. R. S. Douglas is president, and Alex Stewart secretary.

Union Services.

The Lobo union services were held on Sunday evening in the Disciples' Cruch, Poplar Hill, Rev. Mr. Merry conducted the services, and Rev. Mr. Bowen of the Bible Society preached on the work of the Bible Society, and thanked the park services committee for their generous gift of last year. The Bible now is printed in all languages. He also dwelt on the great work done by David Livingstone in Africa. The union choir and orchestra led the singing, and were assisted by the quartet of the London West Methodist Church, whose singing was very appropriate. The next service will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Mason of the First Baptist Church, Lobo, and, weather permitting, will be in the park.

DAMPNESS CAUSING WHEAT TO SPROUT

Grain Not Cut Affected As Well As That in Sheaf.

THORNDALE, July 13.—Several farmers report that the wheat which had not been cut before the heavy rains has begun to sprout at the heads. The wheat which was cut is also sprouting, and the farmers have turned out the sheaves.

In the recent reports of Inspector Thompson of East Middlesex is the following note regarding the adolescent school attendance act, section three, which comes into effect in September.

This section requires all persons between the ages of 14 and 16 years to attend full time during which the schools of the municipality in which the resides are open each year, unless the is excused for the folowing reasons:

1. He is unable to attend because of illness, infirmity or other physical defect.
2. He is employed on a home permit or employment certificate.
3. He has passed the matriculation or other equivalent examination.
4. He is in attendance at some other educational institution.

Every adolescent between the ages of 14 and 16 years who holds either a home permit or employment certificate shall attend part-time courses of instruction approved by the minister for an aggregate of at least 400 hours each year, distributed as regard times and lessons as may best suit the circumstances of each locality, when such part-time courses of instruction are established in the municipality in which he is employed.

Must Have Permit.

No adolescent between the ages of 14 and 16 years of age shall be employed by any person during the hours from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., unless he holds a home permit or an employment certificate, as provided.

Inspector Thompson also states: "In spite of the fact that attendance officers have been appointed in all the municipalities of the inspectorate, the average attendance has decreased in every municipality. From these facts it is surely reasonable to conclude that as far as East Middlesex is concerned all the machinery brought into operation by the 1919 act has lamentably failed to accomplish the result of securing more regular attendance."

Rural School Fair.

The Thorndale Rural School Fair will be held on September 16. The Women's Institute has donated $5 to the West Nissouri Rural School Fair Association. Several additions have been made to the prize list this year, and it is expected that the number of entries will be much larger than usual.

Mrs. R. H. Harding and Miss Myra Harding left today for Vancouver, where they will spend three months.

Miss Wilma Harding is attending summer school at Alma College, St. Thomas.

Many of the rural telephones are still out of commission, due to the electrical storms.

Wild raspberries are quite plentiful in some parts of the township.

The Thorndale public library has purchased over $65 worth of books. Among these are the most recent works of the best authors and interesting books of travel, agriculture, natural science, etc.

Miss Jennie Fitzgerald has joined the teachers in their excursion to Scotland, England and the battlegrounds of France and Belgium.

LOSS $300,000 IN SOO STORM

Big Bridge Blown Down At Algoma Steel Company's Plant.

SAULT STE. MARIE, July 13.—In a terrific wind and rain storm which struck Sault Ste. Marie at mid-afternoon, No. 1, or "E" bridge of the Algoma Steel Company was blown down, entailing damage of $300,000. The roof of the beater room of the Spanish River Pulp and Paper Company was demolished, but the damage is unknown.

Numerous reports are coming in from the district immediately surrounding the city of damage to barns and crops, and it is feared that the benefit derived from the rain will be more counterbalanced by the damage from hail which accompanied the storm. In the city itself awnings by the dozens were demolished, trees blown down and the electric light and power services put out of commission.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

RASPBERRIES JUMP IN PRICE ON LOCAL MARKET TODAY

Supply Offered Much Smaller Than Expected—Eggs Also Up.

Contrary to expectations, the berry supply on the local market on Thursday was very small, and instead of declining in price they advanced from 17c and 18c wholesale to 20c wholesale and 22c retail for raspberries, and to 20c wholesale and 22c retail for blackberries.

More red cherries than have been on sale for a week appeared on the market, although there was no change in price.

Beans dropped from 75c and $1 a basket to 60c and 75c, and 8c and 10c a quart, and potatoes from $2 and $2 25 to $1 75 and $2 per bushel, and from 60c and 70c to 50c and 65c a peck.

Eggs were quoted at 32c and 33c wholesale and 35c and 37c retail, an advance of 2c on the dozen. Butter remains unchanged.

Live hogs took a drop from $10 50 to $10 and $10 25 per cwt.

No change is noted in hay and oats.

Grain, per Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt	$1 55	to	$1 57
Wheat, per cwt	2 66	to	2 75
Barley, per cwt	1 40	to	1 50
Buckwheat, per cwt	2 25	to	2 50
Grain, per Bushel—			
Oats, per bu	53	to	53
Wheat, per bu	1 60	to	1 65
Barley, per bu	67	to	72
Buckwheat, per bu	1 08	to	1 20
Vegetables—			
Potatoes, per bag	60	to	65
do, bag, retail	75	to	80
do, new, peck	50	to	65
do, per bu	1 75	to	2 00
do, 11-quart basket	1 00	to	1 00
Lettuce, per doz	30	to	40
Cabbage, new, each	10	to	15
Green onions, doz	30	to	40
Cucumbers, per doz	75	to	1 50
Green peas, quart	30	to	35
Beets, per bunch	10	to	10
do, per doz	35	to	40
Beans, 11 quarts	60	to	75
do, per quart	8	to	10
Carrots, per bunch	10	to	10
do, per doz	50	to	60
Turnips, per doz	40	to	50
Parsnips, per bu	35	to	40
Rhubarb, per doz	40	to	40
Radishes, per doz	40	to	50
Mint, per doz	40	to	40
Tomatoes, native	25	to	30
Fruits, Retail—			
Apples, per bu	1 50	to	2 25
Cherries, quart	20	to	20
do, 6 quarts	1 10	to	1 25
do, red, 11 quarts	1 75	to	1 75
do, black, 6 quarts	1 75	to	1 90
Gooseberries, quart	15	to	15
Currants, black, quart	30	to	35
do, red, quart	20	to	20
Raspberries, quart	22	to	22
Blackberries, quart	22	to	22
Fruits, Wholesale—			
Cherries, quart	18	to	18
do, 11 quarts	1 60	to	1 65
Raspberries, quart	20	to	20
Gooseberries, quart	12½	to	12½
Blackberries, quart	20	to	20
Honey, Wholesale—			
Honey, 5-lb pail	1 10	to	1 10
do, comb	25	to	26
Honey, Retail—			
Honey, 5-lb pail	1 25	to	1 25
do, comb	28	to	29
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, new, ton	15 00	to	18 00
Timothy hay, ton	17 00	to	19 00
Clover hay, ton	13 00	to	15 00
Straw, per ton	9 00	to	10 00
Dairy Products, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb	35	to	37
do, dairy, lb	33	to	35
do, crocks, lb	32	to	33
Eggs, strictly fresh	35	to	37
Dairy Products, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb	33	to	33
do, dairy, lb	29	to	30
do, crocks, lb	25	to	22
Eggs, per basket	30	to	33
do, fresh, crate	32	to	33
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Turkeys, per lb	40	to	45
Ducks, per lb	37	to	37
Chickens, each	1 25	to	2 00
do, per lb	28	to	30
Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale—			
Chickens, per lb	26	to	26
Chickens, per lb	33	to	35
Ducks, per lb	35	to	35
Live Fowl—			
Ducks, per lb	25	to	25
Geese, per lb	28	to	28
Old fowl, per lb	21	to	22
Chickens, per lb	21	to	23
Spring chickens	1 10	to	1 25
do, per lb	28	to	30
Live Stock—			
Live hogs, cwt	10 00	to	10 25
Fat sows, cwt	6 00	to	7 00
Small pigs, pair	8 00	to	9 00
Dressed Meats, Wholesale—			
Dressed hogs, cwt	15 00	to	15 00
Veal, choice, 100 to 125 lbs, cwt	15 00	to	16 00
do, 80 to 90 lbs	11 00	to	14 00
Heifers and steers, 500 to 600 lbs	14 00	to	15 00
do, 400 to 500 lbs	12 00	to	13 00
Cow beef, choice, 500 to 600 lbs	13 00	to	14 00
do, 400 to 500 lbs	12 50	to	12 50
Lambs, choice, cwt	28 00	to	30 00
Dressed Meats, Retail—			
Beef, hinds, lb	24	to	24
do, fronts, lb	14	to	14
Veal, hinds, lb	35	to	35
do, fronts, lb	25	to	25
Lamb, hinds, lb	45	to	45
do, fronts, lb	30	to	32
Hides—			
Cow hides, No. 1	4	to	4
do, No. 2	3	to	3
Calf skins, No. 1	11	to	11
do, No. 2	9	to	9
Lamb skins, each	15	to	60
Horse hides, each	2 00	to	2 00
Kip, per lb	5	to	7

FLOUR.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 13.—Flour, $8.85 @9.80; shipments 45,159 barrels.

Bran—$13.

Wheat—Cash No. 1 northern, $1.48@ 1.58; July, $1.33; September, $1.33¾; December, $1.35¼.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 54@55c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 34¾@35¼c.

Flax—No. 1, $1.91@1.92.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Flour unsettled, spring patents, $9@9.50; spring clears, $6.25@7.75.

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, July 14.—July wheat opened 1¼c lower at $1 78; October 1c to 1½c lower at $1 49@1 47½.

July oats ¼c lower at 49¾c; October ¼c lower at 48⅝c.

July barley unchanged at 81½; October unchanged at 74¾c.

July flax unchanged at $1 84⅝; October unchanged at $1 88½.

Chicago, July 14.—Opening: Wheat—July, $1 28⅜; Sept., $1 27⅛.

Corn—July, 64c; Sept., 62½c.

Oats—July, 38¼c; Sept., 40c.

Chicago, Jluy 14.—Reports of rains in Minnesota and elsewhere in the grain belt gave some advantage today to bears in the wheat market. On the declines, however, buying increased and the market rallied. Conditions in the Northwest were reported as of a kind likely to promote the spread of black rust. Opening quotations, which varied from unchanged lgures to 1⅜c lower, with September at $1 26¾@1 27½, and December at $1 29½@1 29¾, were followed by a moderate general sag, and hen by rallies to about yesterday's finish.

Corn was easier with wheat. After opening ⅝c to 1⅜c lower, including September at 61⅜@62½, the market showed but little power to recover.

Oats underwent a setback at the opening, bt hardened later when wheat rallied. The start was unchanged to ½c lower for September at 40@40¼c.

Liverpool, July 14.—Wheat—No. 1 Manitoba, 18s 9½d.

PROVISIONS.

Chicago, July 14.—HIgher quotations on hogs strengthened provisions.

Liverpool, July 14.—Hams—Short cut, 183s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 124s 6d; Wiltshire cut, 175s; clear bellies, 117s 6d; short clear backs, 112s 6d; shoulders, square, 118s.

Lard—Prime western in tiarces, 80s 6d; American refined, in pails, 85s 6d.

Cheese—Canadian finest white, 122s.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, July 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 439; market slow and few sales made; choice butchers steady; heavy rough cattle not wanted; prospects are that most of today's run will be held over; about 400 cattle are billed through for erport trade; heavy beef steers, choice, $7@8; butcher steers, choice, $7@7 75; good, $6 75@7 25; medium, $5 25@6 75; common, $3 25@5 25; butcher heifers, choice, $7 25@7 75; medim, $5 75@7 25; common, $3 75@5 25; butcher cows, choice, $4 75@5 75; medium, $3 25@4 75; canners and cutters, $1 25@2 25; butcher bulls, good, $4 50@5 50; common $2 25@ 4 50; feeding steers, good, $5 75@6 25; fair, $5 25@5 75; stockers, good, $4 25@ 5 25; fair, $3 25@4 50.

Calves—Receipts, 15; trade brisk, but with light receipts ;top, 10c; choice, $8 @10; medium, $6@7; common, $3@5 50.

Milch Cows—Choice, each, $45@55; springers, choice, $50@75.

Sheep—Receipts, 65; lambs 25c to 50c stronger for the real choice kind; top, $13 25; ewes, $2@5; lambs, $11@13 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 154; hogs are selling at 11c, fed and watered; the packers refuse to raise even against the outside buyers; selects, $11; light, $9; heavy, $10; sows, $7@8 50.

East Buffalo, N.Y., July 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 150; barely steady.

Calves—Receipts, 700; market steady at $5@12.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,400; pigs 25c lower, others steady; heavy, $10 50; mixed, $10 60@10 75; yorkers, light yorkers and pigs, $10 75; roughs, $8; stags, $4 50@6.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 400; steady, unchanged.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Chicago, July 14.—Butter—Higher; creamery extras, 39½c.

Eggs—Unsetled; receipts, 7,047 cases; at mark, cases included, 27@28½c.

COTTON.

Liverpool, July 14.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady; July, 8.47d; Aug., 8.61d; Sept., 8.69d; Oct., 8.71d; Nov., 8.76d; Dec., 8.80d; Jan., 8.80d; Feb., 8.81d; March, 8.83d; April, 8.84d; May, 8.85d; June, 8.85d.

OILS.

London, July 14.—Closing: Calcutta Linsed—£22.

Linseed Oil—36s 6d.

Sperm Oil—£35.

Petroleum—American refined, 1s 9¼d; spirits, 1s 10¼d.

Turpentine Spirits—101s.

Rosin—American strained, 16s; type G, 16s 6d.

Tallow—Australian, 41s 1½d.

Liverpool, July 14.—Turpentine Spirits —105s.

Rosin—Common, 16s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined, 2s 3d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 2s 4d.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Toronto, July 14.—Receipts of raspberries on the local fruit market this morning were lighter, but the quality was much better than yesterday. White & Co. report the following wholesale selling prices:

Raspberries—12@20c.

Cherries—Sours, 6 quarts, 50@60c; do, 11 quarts 85c@$1 25; sweets, 11 quarts, $3 50@4 25.

Blueberries—$2@3 50.

Gooseberries—$1 25@1 50.

Red Currants—Six quarts, 75c; 11 quarts, $1 50.

Cauliflower—$1 50.

Canteloupes—Flats, $3; standards, $6 50.

Watermelons—85c@1 50.

Tomatoes—$1 50@2 50.

Potatoes—Basket, 65c; barrel, $6 25.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

Toronto, July 14.—There was some improvement in the volume of business done on the lotal stock exchange this mrning, with the bulk of the trading confined to Brazilian, Riorron and Toronto Railway. Brazilian, after hovering around the 25 mark all morning, sold up to 26 on a very small lot, and then fell back to 25, where it closed at noon. Riordon, after selling up to 9¾, reacted a full point, closing at the low, and Toronto Railway, the third active stck, regained its early half-point loss, closing unchanged at 69.

Banks and bonds very quiet, as were also the unlisted stocks.

[Jones, Easton, McCallum Company.]

	Asked.	Bid.		Toronto, July 14. Asked.	Bid.
Abitibi	26½	25¾	Penman.100	..	
do pfd.	83	..	SWheat.	..	120
Am Cy.	24	..	do pfd.	..	92
do pfd.	52	..	Spanish.	48½	47½
A Sales	5	4⅝	do pfd.	59	58
do pfd.	75	72½	St Chem.	9	..
A Sugar.	28	27	do pfd.	29	..
Barcel	4¼	3¾	Stl Can.	47½	47
Brazilian	25¼	25	do pfd.	86½	..
Bell Tel.	..	99	Tooke	..	40
B C Fish	35	32	Tor Ry.	69½	68¾
B E S.	..	8¼	Tre'wey.	14	11
Burt, c.	99	98	Tucketts	40	35
do pfd.	..	99	Tw City.	47	45
C Bread.	20¼	19¾	WFlour.	125	..
do pfd.	87	85	Win Ry.	..	31
C Car	50	..	Banks, etc.—		
Cement	52	51	Com'rce.	185	184
do pfd.	83	80	Domin.	..	191
C Fdry.	50	..	Hamil'n.	177	..
C S L	20	18½	Imperial.	184	182
do pfd.	49	47	Merch.	..	174
CGElec.	107	106	Molsons.	..	174
do pfd.	..	101	Montr'l.	200	..
C Loco	85	82	NScotia.	250	..
C P R.	126	125	Royal.	200	199
C Salt	70	65	Stand.	204	203
C Dairy	..	80	Toronto.	..	180
Coniag's.	170	160	Union.	140	..
Smelters	13½	12	C Land.	65	64
Con Gas.	68	67	C Perm.	17¼	16¼
Cr Res.	8	6	Col Inv	76½	..
Cr Nest	50	..	DSaving.	38	35
Dome.	1950	1900	G W P.	140	..
Caners	22½	..	H Prov.	..	138
do pfd.	77	..	H & E.	114	..
DSCorp.	27½	26¾	L aBnk.	..	135
Dom Tel.	35	30	L & C.	..	65½
Duluth	..	14	NTrust.	200	..
Ford M.	305	300	Ontario.	88	78
Larose	19	17	TGTrus.	199	196
Mackay	73	72½	T Mort.	66	63½
do pfd.	..	61½	UTrust.	90	..
M Leaf.	120	..	Ames	90	..
do pfd.	..	96	C Bread.	84	83
Mexican.	10	5	C Loco	..	87
Monarch	60	..	C Car	..	90
do pfd.	80	..	Canners.	..	88
N S Car.	3	2	D Iron	..	78½
do pfd.	26	21	Elec Dev	92	..
Nipis'g.	475	425	Penman.	87½	87
NSSteel.	..	23	Pt Rico	..	70
Ogilvie.	192	..	Quebec	63	62
do pfd.	..	103	Rio Jan.	75	72
O S P	49	48	Sterling.	..	85
P Burt	..	37	S Paulo.	77	..
do pfd.	78	..	Stl Can.	..	92
Pt Rico	42	..	War Loans.		
do pfd.	..	77	1925	95.00	94.90
P Paper.	94	..	1931	93.10	93.00
do pfd.	87¾	..	1937	97.00	96.85
Quebec	25	..	Victory.		
Riordon	9	8	1922	99.30	99.20
Rogers	53	..	1923	98.20	98.15
do pfd.	85	..	1924	.....	97.60
Russell.	60	..	1925	.....	97.90
do pfd.	60	46	1933	97.30	97.25
Sawyer.	12	..	1934	94.80	94.60
do pfd.	40	30	1037	99.00	98.95

Sales.		High.	Low.	Noon.
20	Abitibi	26	..	..
597	Brazilian	26	25	25
1	Burt	99	..	..
10	C. G. R.	107	106¾	106¾
20	C. P. R.	125½	125	125½
5	City Dairy	75	..	..
2	Consumers' Gas	67	..	..
50	Dom. Steel	27¼	..	..
25	Maple Leaf, pfd.	96	..	..
15	Ontario Steel	47¼	..	..
9	Pacific Burt	37	..	..
200	Riordon	9¾	8¾	8¾
2	Rogers	50	..	..
175	Toronto Railway	69	68½	69
7	Winnipeg Railway	32	..	..
	Banks—			
5	Royal	199½	..	..
	Bonds—			
$1000	Sao Paulo	75¼	..	..
12000	Can. Locomotive.	88	..	..
1000	War Loan, 1937	96.80	..	..
400	Victory, 1922	98.90	..	..
4250	do, 1923	98.15	97.80	97.80
10550	do, 1933	97.30	97.00	97.20
3350	do, 1934	94.65	94.60	94.65
100	do, 1937	98.80	..	..
	Unlisted—			
25	Laurentide	75¼	..	..
25	Riordon, new, pfd.	15	..	..
25	Wayagamack	42¾	..	..

GOLD AND SILVER.

London, July 14.—Closing: Bar gold, 113s 2d per ounce.

Bar silver, 37¾d per ounce.

New York, July 14.—Bar silver—Domestic, 99¼c; foreign, 60¾c.

MONEY.

London, July 14.—Closing: Money, 4 per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 4⅞ per cent; three months, 5⅛ per cent.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, July 14.—The tone of the local stock exchange was fairly strong durin gthe early trading this morning. Abitibi, however, remained unchanged at 26. Brazilian was stronger by ¼ at 25½. Brompton declined ½ point to 21, and National Breweries was unchanged at 52½.

The market continued fairly strong all morning. Abitibi did not change from its opening figure, but Atlantic Sugar rose ⅛c before closing. Brazilian weakened, closing at 25. Brompton remained unchanged. Laurentide sagged ½ to 72½, while National Breweries advanced ½ point to 53, its closing quotation. Riordon did not vary from its closing figure last night at 9. Wayagamack was strong, rising to 42, a gain of 1½ points.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Montreal	$109,207,191
Toronto	84,496,598
Ottawa	6,633,855
Hamilton	5,884,580
Quebec	5,616,482
Windsor	4,032,519
St. John	3,628,101
Halifax	3,473,273
Moncton	1,506,506
Brantford	1,198,039
Kitchener	1,103,383
Sherbrooke	1,006,744
Peterboro	855,627
Kingston	818,149

EXCHANGE RATES.

New York, July 14.—Sterling exchange easy; demand, $3 63⅝; cables, $3 64⅜.

Canadian dollars, 12⅜ per cent discount.

Montreal, July 14.—Noon: Sterling exchange—Cable transfers, $4 15.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, July 14.—Restricted activity again featured this morning's session of the Standard Mining Exchange, sales only aggregating 19,120 shares. Atlas opened 2 points higher at 19c, at which figure it closed. Hollinger gained a point at $7 06 on small sales. Keora was unchanged at 10c. McIntyre opened 2 points lower at $1 85, but sold at $1 86 at the noon close. Fluctuations in other gold issues were inconsequential. In the silvers, McKinley-Darragh held at 15c.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Noon.
1000	Atlas	19	..	..
100	Hollinger	706	..	..
2000	Hurton	7	..	..
2500	Keora	11	10	11
1000	Kirkland Lake	33	..	..
1000	McIntyre	186	185	186
2000	V. N. T.	17	..	..
1000	West Dome	6½	..	..
2000	South Keora	19	17	17
	Silvers—			
4500	Beaver	26	25½	25½
200	Coniagas	170	168	168
1000	McKinley	15	..	..

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