

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Unchanged, Chicago Lower—Live Stock Markets—The Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 8. Liverpool wheat and corn futures closed today unchanged from yesterday. At Chicago May wheat closed 1/2c lower than yesterday; May corn 1/2c higher and May oats 1/2c higher.

WINNIPEG OPTIONS.
Winnipeg: Futures closed yesterday: Jan. 72c bid, May 75 1/2c bid, July 76c.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

	May	July
New York	81 1/2	81 1/2
Detroit	80 1/2	80 1/2
Toledo	79 1/2	79 1/2
St. Louis	78 1/2	78 1/2
Minneapolis	77 1/2	77 1/2
Delhi	76 1/2	76 1/2

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

Grain	Price
Wheat, spring, bush	\$0.00 to \$0.00
Wheat, hard, bush	0.00 to 0.00
Wheat, soft, bush	0.00 to 0.00
Wheat, red, bush	0.00 to 0.00
Peas, bush	0.00 to 0.00
Barley, bush	0.00 to 0.00
Oats, bush	0.00 to 0.00
Buckwheat, bush	0.00 to 0.00
Rye, bush	0.00 to 0.00

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.
Liverpool, Jan. 8.—Wheat—Spot: 2 red western winter, 4s 1/2d; futures steady; March, 4s 1/2d; May, 4s 3/4d; July, 4s 5/8d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 4s 3/4d; Australian mixed, old, 4s 1/2d; futures steady; Jan., 4s 1/2d; March, 4s 3/4d; May, 4s 5/8d.

Bacon—Long clear middles heavy, firm, 5s 1/2d; Lard—Prime western in tins steady, 4s 9d; Turpentine—Spirits strong, 5s.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.
New York, Jan. 8.—Butter—Irregular; receipts, 9,207; renovated, common to extra, 17c to 24c; western factory, common to extra, 18c to 21c.

Cheese—Steady; receipts, 2,037. Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 69,13.

CATTLE MARKETS.
Cattle—Steady—Cattle and Sheep Steady, Hogs Firmer at Chicago.

London, Jan. 8.—Liverpool and London cattle are higher at 1/2c to 1 1/2c per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9c to 9 1/2c per lb.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.
Toronto, Jan. 8.—Receipts of live stock at the city market, as reported by the railways, amounted to 70 carloads, composed of 1185 cattle, 412 hogs, 635 sheep and lambs and 78 calves. The quality of fat cattle was fair. Trade was good all round in every class.

Exports.
A few lots of exporters sold from \$4.60 to \$4.90 per cwt.; export bulls, at \$3.65 to \$3.90.

Exporters.
A few picked lots of cattle sold at \$4.50 to \$4.70 per cwt., but very few brought the latter price; loads of good, \$4.20 to \$4.30; medium, mixed with cows, sold at \$3.35 to \$4.15; cows, \$2.50 to \$3.60; canners, \$1.25 to \$1.75 per cwt.

Feeders and Stockers.
Few offered and trade in these classes seemed to be dead. Prices nominal.

Milch cows sold from \$20 to \$55 each. Veal Cattle.
Prices steady at \$3.50 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.
Trade was steady at firm prices for all offerings of sheep and lambs. Export ewes sold at \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt.; rams and culs, \$3.50 to \$4 per cwt.; lambs at \$5.25 to \$6.75 per cwt. for those that had been grain-fed; common lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Hogs.
Mr. Harris quotes an advance of 25c per cwt.; select, \$5.50, and lights and fat, \$6.40 per cwt. with market firm.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.
East Buffalo, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 125 head; active and firm; prices unchanged.

Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady; \$1.25 to \$1.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500 head; active and unchanged.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,600 head; sheep slow; lambs active and 10c higher; lambs, \$5 to \$8.10; yearlings, \$6.50 to \$6.85, a few \$7.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.
New York, Jan. 8.—Beef—Receipts, 500; none on sale; feeling nominally weak; exports to-day, 920 cattle, 1130 sheep and 2200 quarters of beef; to-morrow, 135 cattle and about 2800 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 31; feeling steady; good to prime veals sold at \$8 to \$9.30 per 100 lbs.; baryard calves at \$7.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,007; market fairly active and steady; ordinary steers to prime western weathers sold at \$4.50 to \$5.80 per 100 lbs.; a lot of yearlings at \$6.75; lambs, \$7 to \$8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,003; transactions, none; feeling steady.

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Maybe you think of Mooney's Sodas only as a toothsome tidbit. Don't overlook their food value.

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas

are made of finest Canadian wheat flour, pure butter and rich cream. There's nothing else of equal size and cost that contains so much wholesome nourishment.

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CAP. PHILLIPS IS DEAD.

Well-Known Journalist Expires in Ottawa Press Gallery.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—John A. Phillips, a former well-known journalist, and known to the profession as "Captain," died at 9 o'clock last night in the press gallery of the House of Commons from heart failure.

He was born in Liverpool, England, Feb. 25, 1842. He commenced his journalistic career in New York, Jan. 1865, and in 1870 joined The Montreal Star staff. He was editor of The Ottawa Citizen for years and represented The Montreal Gazette here for 14 years. He was the author of many short stories and an illustrated history of Canada.

He also was the author of a patriotic song, "The Flag for Me." He was president of the press gallery in 1896.

GOT A PAIN IN YOUR BACK?

You get a pain in your back, and you wonder what is the matter. You perhaps pay no attention to it. Backache is caused by imperfect action of the kidneys, in fact, is the first sign of kidney trouble to follow.

The kidneys, proper, are composed of a close network of fibrous tissue, interlaced with tiny elastic fibres. Their object is the excretion of the uric acid, and other poisonous matter composing the urine, from the blood.

They are continuously at work to preserve the general health of the body and most people are troubled with some form of kidney trouble, but do not suspect it.

Some of the symptoms are: A feeling of weakness in the small of the back, sharp pains in back, puffiness under the eyes, and swelling of the feet and ankles, urinary troubles such as suppressed urination, excessive urination, cloudy, thick or highly colored urine, etc.

Mr. J. J. Writing Oshabrook Centre, Ont., writes: "I suffered for two years with kidney trouble. I had terrible pains in my back, hips and legs. I could not sleep and had a poor appetite. I took four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, and the pains left me, my appetite returned and I knew I was cured. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from kidney trouble."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box or \$3 boxes for \$1.35 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto, Ont.

English Tars Help Japan.

A statement was issued at Portsmouth of the result of the collection made in the Royal Navy among men of lower deck ratings on behalf of the Japanese famine fund. The total sum raised was £200 and 4 pence, and the odd 4 pence covered the expenditure.

The Reason Why.
"What are you leaving for, Bridget? Haven't I treated you as one of the family?"

"Yes, yer lave, mum, and I ain't goin' to stand it any longer."

CONSTIPATION CLOGS THE BOWELS

No other cause produces so much sickness as constipation, and therefore it is dangerous to allow the bowels to become clogged up. Bad blood, dyspepsia, headaches, biliousness, boils, pimples, and piles, are all caused by constipation.

Avoid all of these troubles by the use of **BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS**, nature's remedy for all diseases of the stomach, bowels and blood. It acts on the bowels and promotes their free and regular action, curing constipation and all troubles which arise from it. It has been on the market for over thirty years and you are not using a new and untried remedy. B.B.B. has cured thousands of others and will cure you. Mr. B. Woodcock, Nashua, N.H., writes: "For over two years my wife was troubled with constipation. She tried several physicians but could get no relief, but after taking three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters she was completely cured and is to-day in good health. My wife and I cannot speak too highly of B.B.B."

SIGNS IN THE THUMB

WHAT THEY MEAN AND HOW YOU MAY LEARN TO READ THEM.

They serve as an index to the Character of the Individual—The "Thumb Center" in the Brain—Position of the Well Balanced Thumb.

The gypsies have always recognized that the thumb is the most important factor in delineating special tendencies. These nomadic people are the most intuitive on earth, and the fact that in their fortune telling they often confine their prognostications to the thumb alone is worth more than a passing notice.

The fact that there is what is known as the "thumb center" in the brain, recognized by all surgeons, demonstrates the immense importance attached to it by medical science. If there is a tendency toward paralysis the physician notes it in the thumbs long before the malady shows itself in other directions.

An operation to avert the calamity if possible is frequently performed on the thumb center of the brain, and the thumb itself is watched for results favorable or otherwise. It is a matter of record that the thumbs of idiots and those mentally weak are undersized, characterless and usually cling closely to the side of the hand. There have been books written on signs in the thumbs as denoting criminal instincts, and detectives have been often moved to consider seriously this phase of the hand in making their deductions in puzzling cases.

The position of the thumb with reference to the rest of the hand makes either for or against favorable tendencies. If it is bound to the first finger at a close angle, lying nearly parallel, it indicates a weak and cowardly nature. People with such thumbs are not open and frank in character, preferring to creep along in the shadow and profit by another's enterprise. If in connection with this position it should be very small, with vacillating, almost invisible joints, it indicates mental weakness. If, on the contrary, it lies out at right angles or even farther it shows want of balance in another direction. The person will rush to extremes and is independent and aggressive almost to foelhardness. Such people are disagreeable to associate with in any enterprise, as they always want their own way and are not subservient to authority.

The well balanced thumb lies at an angle of about forty-five degrees from the first finger. The joints of the thumb also tell their story. The limber jointed thumb which turns back from the hand is a misfortune to its owner. He will never be rich by saving his earnings, and if a fortune should be left him it is likely to be soon dissipated. He is a spendthrift by nature, not only in money, but in thought. If he gets a hobby he rides it to death, and his policy in all the affairs of life will be, "if a little is good, more is better." And if he does not actually live out all his impulses he will always fret in the spirit and grow rebellious in resisting his natural tendencies.

The stable jointed thumb is every thing that is the opposite to the first type. And while the people with these thumbs are not so companionable or so helpful to others they succeed by concentration and a certain amount of selfishness. They have the directness of purpose and the tenacity to carry to successful issue great enterprises. They are stubborn, material, stolid, resistant. The chimpanzee, which has the hand most nearly resembling the human, shows the greatest weakness and want of intelligence in its underized short thumb. And in the human race the long thumb may be taken as indicating the more intellectual nature.

The shorter the thumb the more brutal and passion governed the nature.

The relative length of the joints also plays an important part. The first indicates the will power, the second denotes judgment, reason and logic, and the third, which controls the mount of Venus, indicates the affections and love of fellow beings. In a well balanced nature the first and second joints are about of equal length. This indicates a wholesome adjustment between the judgment and the will. If, however, the first joint is longer than the second the will exceeds the judgment, and the person is likely to be stubborn and often acts without reason. When the second joint is the longer a person plans better than he executes. In this way he often gets the reputation of being visionary and is frequently full of schemes which he lacks the will to carry out.

The third joint, or "ham," of the hand when too thick indicates ungovernable passions and an inordinate love of the opposite sex. Such a person will be "half fellow well met," a boon companion, but is likely to neglect the intellectual demands both of his home and his other self.

When the second joint is thin and small in circumference as compared with the first it is said to indicate great tact and niceties in judgment, even to the splitting of a hair. Whether the hand is firm or flabby it has a modifying influence in all cases.

Idle Lives.
No idle life can produce a real man. A life of luxury calls out only the effeminate, destructive qualities. The creative forces are developed only by stern endeavor to better one's condition in the world.

The Lid.
Johnnie—Say, pa, who was Pandora? Johnnie's Pa—Pandora, my son, was a little girl who started a lot of trouble because she didn't keep the lid down.

Never mind whom you praise, but be very careful whom you blame.—Gosse.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

FOR HEADACHE, FOR DIZZINESS, FOR BILIOUSNESS, FOR TORPID LIVER, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR SALLON SKIN, FOR THE COMPLEXION.

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

WILLIAM GEARON KILLED.

Runaway Toronto Boy Shot and Dies in New York.

New York, Jan. 9.—William Gearon, aged 17, son of Policeman Edward Gearon, 137 Amelia street, Toronto, was shot and killed Monday afternoon at his room, 464 Eighth avenue, this city.

Herbert Coburn, aged 15, of this city, was arrested on a charge of killing Gearon.

The dead boy and Charles Ferran, also of Toronto, ran away from home about four months ago and made a living here by selling newspapers. They and young Coburn planned to go to Texas to become ranchers. Gearon bought a revolver, and Monday afternoon Coburn showed him another weapon.

The police believe that the boys had an argument about their weapons. Gearon's revolver was found fully loaded, but Coburn's had one discharged cartridge.

Better Than Spanking

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. 4, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her special home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her to-day if you children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child; the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

SENT FOR TRIAL.

Ex-Bank Manager McGill Committed For Making False Returns.

Toronto, Jan. 9.—Chas. McGill, formerly general manager of the Ontario Bank, was committed for trial yesterday morning by Magistrate Denison on the charge of making false returns to the Department at Ottawa.

The commissioners who went to New York brought back no evidence to affect this case, and the magistrate gave judgment for the former hearing. The indictment will go before the Grand Jury immediately and in the meantime new bail bonds to the amount of \$50,000 were made out.

The other two charges, of stealing over \$1,000,000 and \$136,000 from the Ontario Bank, come up for investigation on Thursday, and surties to the amount of \$50,000 were supplied for them also.

DIED SUDDENLY OF HEART DISEASE.

How frequently does a head line similar to the above greet us in the news papers. The rush, push and strenuous tendency to lead up to valvular and other affections of the heart, attended by regular action, palpitation, dizziness, smothered sensations and other distressing symptoms.

Three of the prominent ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made are recommended by some of the leading writers on *Materia Medica* for the cure of just such cases. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the UNITED STATES DISPENSARY, a standard authority, "to impart tone and increase vigor to the heart's action."

Numerous other leading authorities represent Golden Seal as an unsurpassed tonic for the muscular system in general, and as the heart is almost wholly composed of muscular tissue, it naturally follows that it must be greatly strengthened by this superb, general tonic. But probably the most important ingredient of Golden Medical Discovery, so far as its marvelous cures of valvular and other affections of the heart are concerned, is Stone root or Goldenseal. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the UNITED STATES DISPENSARY, a standard authority, "to impart tone and increase vigor to the heart's action."

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WHAT TO EAT.

A Melon Salad the Latest Gastronomic Novelty.

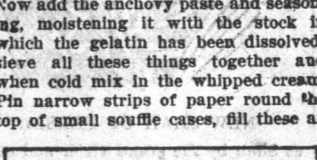
A melon salad is not often seen, though regarded by those who have tried it as a highly satisfactory way of serving this delicious fruit, especially when, as sometimes happens, it is not as full flavored as one could wish. Cut the fruit in cubes, being careful to exclude all hard rind. Make a dressing of olive oil, which for this purpose should be specially good, and white wine or not too strong vinegar, in the



MELON SALAD.

proportion of at least three tablespoonfuls of oil to one of vinegar, a quarter of a saltspoonful of pepper and half a saltspoonful of salt. Mix these well together and pour over the melon. Serve very cold in a salad bowl, or, for a novelty, it may be served from the shell of the melon from which the soft part of the fruit has been cut. Sprinkle this salad with a little chopped green tarragon, the delicate flavor of which blends particularly well with that of the melon. Garnish with lettuce hearts or any greenery at hand.

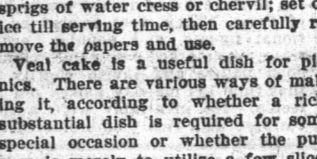
Salmon souffles are wonderfully good. Take one-half pound of cooked salmon, two hard boiled eggs, anchovy essence, a gill of fish stock, one-quarter ounce of gelatin, half a pint of whipped cream, salt and a tiny pinch of cayenne. Pound the fish to a paste, then add the yolks of the eggs and the whites after chopping and rubbing through a sieve. Now add the anchovy paste and seasoning, moistening it with the stock in which the gelatin has been dissolved; sieve all these things together and when cold mix in the whipped cream. Pin narrow strips of paper round the top of small souffle cases, fill these an



SALMON SOUFFLES.

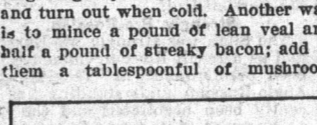
inch or so above the edge with a mixture, smoothing the top neatly with a knife; decorate with hard boiled egg and chopped water cress or with tiny sprigs of water cress or chervil; set on ice till serving time, then carefully remove the papers and use.

Veal cake is a useful dish for picnics. There are various ways of making it, according to whether a rich, substantial dish is required for some special occasion or whether the purpose is merely to utilize a few slices of veal. One of the simplest modes is to cut the roast veal into slices, lay these in a mold alternately with a few slices of ham or tongue and between the layers, which should be well seasoned with pepper, intersperse thin slices of hard boiled egg. When the mold is full, pour in a little rich stock or good gravy. Bake for half an hour and turn out when cold. Another way is to mince a pound of lean veal and half a pound of streaky bacon; add to them a tablespoonful of mushroom



VEAL CAKE.

catchup, a gill of veal stock, the grated rind of half a lemon, parsley, a seasoning of salt and paprika; press the mixture into a well buttered mold or basin, the inside of which may be decorated with slices of hard boiled egg, etc., cover with buttered paper and bake in a moderate oven for an hour and a half; turn out when quite cold and garnish with some buttery slices of lemon.



VEAL CAKE.

Rest in the Kitchen.
Be sure to have an easy lounge or chair in the kitchen, where you may spend the few waiting moments between the acts, as it were, in rest.

If you cannot afford to buy a lounge especially for that purpose, make one. This is easily done.

Get two long boxes from the dry goods store. Place them end to end and nail together. Make a mattress and fill it with any desired materials. Shredded shucks are clean and excellent. Over this drape any kind of cover to suit the fancy.

Be sure to get something that can be washed and ironed. Red and white bed ticking is pretty and desirable and never fades, and when laundered looks as good as new. Make a pillow to match.

Now, while you are watching the cakes, bread, pies and the like, remember there is your lounge. Rest. Do not say you have no time. You have to wait for your baking to brown. Why not rest while you wait?

You will be surprised how much refreshment you will gain even for one minute's relaxation upon this improvised lounging quarter.

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When You Take Cold

STRIKERS WRECK STORE

Refuse to Accept Award Made by the Mexican President.

City of Mexico, Jan. 9.—Late Monday word was received here that the textile workers in the mills in the City of Orizaba, State of Vera Cruz, who are on a strike, had burned a company store, and were threatening to destroy the mills. Two regiments of soldiers were assembled and rushed to the scene aboard a special train.

The mills where the trouble occurred employ about 5,000 men. On Friday last it was announced that the strike of the textile workers, which had spread throughout the republic, had been settled owing to the intervention of President Diaz and Vice President Corralles.

The owner of the property thus far destroyed is Eduardo Garcia, a citizen of France. The trouble started on Saturday morning, when 2,000 workers met in Rio Blanco, near Orizaba, and voted not to accept the award of President Diaz. Violent speeches were made and the men arming themselves with sticks and stones looted the company's store, destroyed it and confiscated thousands of dollars in money and goods. They then pillaged private houses and Government shops.

30 Dead at Arizaba.

Belated reports from the mill district of Arizaba, State of Vera Cruz, indicate that the Government is now complete master of the situation. To gain control of the rioters, however, it was necessary for the troops to fire on the men. Thirty dead have been counted, while over 80 are reported wounded. It is believed that the strike has been broken.

HAD NO DOUBT.

Candidate—You have no doubt as to my character, have you?
Voter—Oh, no, of course not.

Candidate—Then why don't you vote for me?
Voter—Because I have no doubt as to your character.

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