HAPPENINGS OF A DAY IN BUSY EAST LONDON

HORSE FRIGHTENED AT BABY CARRIAGE

Local Traveller Had Troubles for a While Yesterday.

A baby carriage was responsible for a little excitement in front of a store at the corner of Central avenue and Maintland street yesterday afternoon, in which a horse and cutter belonging to an East London liveryman figured.

Mr. M. Millman, a local traveller, left the animal while he went into the store. A few minutes later a baby carriage, which was standing in front of the horse, took a notion to run back. The animal "shied" at it, and in doing so upset the cutter, breaking one shaft. Mr. Millman seized the reins and succeeded in straightening the matter out, slightly injuring his hands in doing so.

A LECTURE ON JAPANESE MISSIONS

Given Monday Night in Centennial Methodist Church, East London.

Rev. Mr. Morley, of London Junc-, addressed the members of the Epworth League of Centennial Methodist Church last evening on Japanese missions.

He spoke of the great awakening in Japan, and said that owing to the thirst for western knowledge there were great opportunities for the missionary. As Tokio is the centre for students from all Japan, as well as as China, the work of evangelization should be followed up there. These students will spread throughout the country, and will become factors in governing the people

Japan is destined to became the power of the east, and, perhaps, a world power, and it is, therefore, necessary that it should be Christian.

COURT DUFFERIN ELECTS OFFICERS

Regular Meeting Held Monday Night Richmond Street Rooms.

Court Dufferin, No. 4, I. O. F., elected the following officers at the regular meeting held in the lodge rooms, Richmond street, last evening:

P. C. R.—Bro. B. Tripp.
C. R.—Bro. Jas. Haymer.
V. C. R.—Bro. Chas. Cotter.
R. S.—Bro. J. F. Hicks.
F. S.—Bro. J. Lewis.
Treasurer—Bro. H. Pratt.
Orator—Bro. W. Hardy.
Organist—Bro. E. A. Soebotham.
S. W.—Bro. C. Muxworthy.
J. W.—Bro. J. Simpson.
S. B.—Bro. T. Little
J. B.—Bro. Thos. Parker.
Court Physician—Bro. F. P. Drake, M. D.
C. D. H. C. R.—Bro. Alf. Evans.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY OF KING STREET CHURCH

Met Monday Evening and Elected the Officers for the Year.

The members of the Young People's Society of the King Street Presbyterian Church met last evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mr. Charles T. Ross; first vice-president, Mr. Perkins; second vice-president, Miss Lillian Forsyth; secretary, Miss Jean Stewart; treasurer, Mr. Harry Roblin; pianist, Miss Mary Forsyth.

Devotional Committee—Mrs. C. T. Ross, Miss M. Allan, Mr. McComb, Mr. Bruce Burt.

Missionary Committee—Miss Mina Taylor, convenor; Mr. C. McLaren, Miss Jean Walker, Miss Wilson and Miss Laura Doan.

Social Committee—Miss Maggie Taylor, Miss M. McConnell, Mr. Perkins, Miss M. Dyer, Miss Fiddes and Mrs. Stewart.

Visitation Committee—Mr. Smith, Miss M. Munroe, Mr. Braybrook, Miss M. McConnell and Miss H. LaFond.

ENTHUSIASTIC CROWD AT ST. MARY'S FAIR

Stocks of the Booths Are Nearly Exhausted.

The crowd that visited St. Mary's Church Fair last evening were certainly out for amusement, each individual joining in the spirit of the affair and keeping things lively until the doors were closed.

In numbers the crowd was not up to the preceding nights, but in enthusiasm it certainly outshone all others. There was no musical programme other than that which the members of the crowd provided for themselves.

The stocks of the booths are nearly exhausted, and by this evening the counters will in all probability be cleared. The cane contest continues to be a feature, Messrs. Prodgers and O'Connell running very closely. The fair closes tonight.

NEW CLUB ROOMS HAVE BEEN OPENED

Appears to Have Quite Recovered ters in the Future.

The new club rooms for the members of Chorazin Lodge, I. O. O. F., were opened last evening in the East London Hall. The rooms have been equipped with a number of games and reading matter will also be supplied.

The newly-elected officers will be installed at the dedication of the new city lodge rooms on Richmond street on Friday, Jan. 15.

COURT WELCOME OFFICERS SELECTED

Annual Election Was Held Last Night in Foresters' Hall.

The members of Court Welcome, No. 12, I. O. F., elected officers for the ensuing year at the meeting held last evening in the Foresters' Hall, East London, as follows: C. D. H. C. R., Bro. Galpin; T. H. C. R., Bro. Knight; C. R., W. A. Evans; V. C. R., Bro. Percy; R. S., E. Moyer; F. S., F. Tombs; treasurer, F. J. Darch; orator, Henry Ashplant; organist, Bro. Galloway; S. W., Bro. Russell; J. W., Bro. Mitchell; S. B., Bro. G. Gilmour; J. W., Bro. F. Bissett; physicians, Dr. Pingel, Dr. Spence; auditors, Bros. J. Baskett and Bro. Lee; trustees, Bro. Linnington and Bro Weston; delegates central committee, Bro. Gilmour, Bro. Linnington, Bro. Darch, Bro. Moyer, Bro. Tombs, Bro. Ball.

The meeting was a very enthusiastic one, a large number being present. Welcome is the largest court in the city.

MRS. SOMERVILLE DEAD.

Former Well-Known Resident of the East End.

Word has been received in this city of the death of Mrs. Claude Somerville, who resided for a number of years on Dufferin avenue east. Mrs. Somerville left London some time ago for Trehern, Manitoba, where she died suddenly yesterday morning.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. Claude Somerville, who is a brother of Mr. C. R. Somerville, the East London manufacturer.

Short-Cut Practice Will Be Stopped

Ten citizens appeared in court this morning on charges of walking across boulevards in different parts of the city. All admitted having done so and were fined $1 each.

"This has got to stop," said Magistrate Love, "I think people who go to the expense of fixing up their lawns nicely should be protected from persons who don't care what damage they do, and make paths across them. Why, in the park, people used to deliberately go and walk through the flower beds, and willfully destryo them. The women were worse than the men, and of course wherever the women went, the men followed. I am going to fine everybody who is brought before me for cutting across boulevards."

City Schools Will Close on Friday

There will be no school next week. The date set for school closing is Dec. 23, a week from tomorrow, but the city schools will give the youngsters a few days grace, and will close at the end of this week.

"There will be no school next week," said Chairman Graham.

Christmas Mail Is Growing Heavy

A very heavy consignment of Christmas mail from England arrived in the city today on Grand Trunk express No. 3. Sixty big mail bags filled to the brim with letters, Christmas cards and parcels were taken to the postoffice, and will be distributed all over the district this afternoon. The majority of the mail is for London, there being thousands of letters for English people in this city. Among the parcels were a number of plum puddings. Postoffice officials state that the outgoing mail for England is very heavy, and they have in the past few days handled large consignments. The money order trade is also very brisk, the total amount sent away in the last few days amounting to several thousand dollars

Aged Citizen Injured by a Fall

Mr. James McIntyre, of 371 Queen's avenue, was taken to Victoria Hospital this morning in a very serious condition as a result of a fall that he sustained at his home last night.

Mr. McIntyre, who is well advanced in years, was coming downstairs when he missed his footing and fell heavily to the bottom of the stairs.

His wife and daughter hurried to his assistance, but he was unable to move, and when a physician was called in it was found that both the hip and collar bone had been broken, and it is feared that internal injuries may develop.

Mr. McIntyre has been in poor health for some time, and it is impossible to say yet whether he will recover or not. Dr. McGregor is in attendance.

MAYOR HAS FAITH IN G. T. R. WILL ELEVATE TRACKS IN CITY

Company's Engineer Has Been Very Busy and Has Been Unable To Come to London---New Depot is Bound To Be Built Here Shortly,

It is the opinion of Mayor Stevely that the Grand Trunk Railway Company are sincere in their desire to elevate their tracks through London.

The interview that he and Ald. Beattie had in Montreal, with both General Manager Hays, and . Mr. Fitzhugh, second vice-president, convinced them that the company were anxious to settle this question, if it was at all possible.

Eager for It.

"I am convinced the Grand Trunk were eager to have their lines elevated," said Mayor Stevely. "They said so several times, and I think they were sincere. Of course, there have been many things to prevent them coming here and negotiating. For instance, Mr. Kelly, the engineer, has had a long session with the Dominion railway commission at Toronto, over the viaducts and other questions there, and as he was dealing with big questions it was necessary, of course, that he give practically all his time to them. He must have had good reasons for not being here or he would have come.

"Mr. Fitzhugh told me that they were anxious to get the matter settled as early this winter as possible so that if a satisfactory agreement were entered into they could commence work in the spring."

Nothing This Year.

However, as pointed out in The Advertiser some time ago, there will be nothing doing this year. Negotiations may and probably will be taken up shortly after the New Year, but there will be nothing doing until a new council is elected.

The company will be then in a position to know just exactly what they are going to do.

There is no doubt that surveys have been made of the line from the Cove to the cut eats of Egerton street.

Not long ago, some surveyors were at work in the east end yards. None of the Grand Trunk officials knew, seemingly, who the men were or what they were doing, but it is now understood that they were working under instructions from Engineer Kelly, and were obtaining information upon which he could work later on.

More Room Wanted.

There is the undeniable fact that the company need much more room in the east end, especially in the neighborhood of Rectory and Egerton streets.

Sometimes, in fact, very often, the yards are so congested that it is impossible to handle the traffic with satisfaction.

No new tracks can be laid across the city streets without the consent of the municipality or the railway commission, and as they need the room, this matter will also come up for settlement.

The New Depot.

As for a new depot, it is as much a necessity to the company now as to the citizens. They are cramped for room, and the men work under very disadvantageous surroundings.

"The company are getting ready to build a new station in London," said a man in close touch with those negotiating for the license transfer, "and in that station or adjoining it, will be a new hotel. Make no mistake about that. It is coming, and is coming sooner than some suspect."

There is a great deal of interest being taken in the question by the citizens generally.

Father and Son Picked Up Coal Former Arrested by a Policeman

Magistrate Found Extenuating Circumstances and Allowed the Man To Go.

In the police court this morning, William Turber, an Englishman, who has been in the country only a few months, was charged with stealing coal from a car belonging to the City Gas Company.

Turber was arrested by P. C. Fysh yesterday afternoon, while he and his little 6-year-old boy were taking home a bag of coal that they had picked up along the tracks.

Turber, in court, admitted taking the coal, but said he had no intention whatever of stealing, as he thought people were allowed to take the coal they could find along the track.

Allowed to Go.

He said he had never taken any coal from the cars.

In view of the fact that Turber has been out of work for a month, and has two little children, and apparently did not deliberately steal from the cars, Magistrate Love allowed him to go on suspended sentence and ordered him to return the coal that he had taken.

Turber said his little boy had picked up quite a lot of the fuel which was at present in his shed, and he promised to take it all back.

An official of the City Gas Company was present and stated that the company has had large quantities of coal stolen from its cars lately.

Magistrate Love said that in future any person found stealing coal will be severely dealt with.

Hotelman Fined.

An hotelman appeared on a charge laid by P. C. Fysh that he recently found a boy under age loitering in the bar room of the hotel. The boy admitted having been in the bar, but denied having drunk anything,and said he had left as soon as he was told to. Magistrate Love, however, found the proprietor guilty and fined him $2 and $3 35 costs.

Other Cases.

George Hutchinson, a young man fought on the street, paid $2.

William H. Milne drove over a bridge faster than a walk and was fined $1.

James Niven, for being drunk, was fined $10 and costs.

Frank Cameron and H. Robinson, two drunks, paid $5 each.

BOWLERS VS. BARTRAM

Case Adjourned for a Week Owing to Plaintiff's Illness.

The case of Mrs. Marion Bowles against Mr. W. H. Bartram, involving a sum of $15,000, came before Judge Macbeth this morning.

Mr. Fisher, who is acting for Mrs. Bowles in a private capacity, requested an adjournment, as he said his client was in too nervous a state to stand an examination. Mrs. Bowles, he said, was of an advanced age and in her present nervous condition, the strain of examination might be very dangerous.

His honor said that he did not wish to adjourn the case again, and that he thought the lady could appear at the court house. He did not think she would suffer in giving her testimony, which was very short.

Mr. Essery, counsel for the defendant, asked for a week's adjournment, that he might have an opportunity to communicate with the Attorney-General and lay all the facts of the case before him.

The judge did not consider that the reason given warranted a postponement and told Mr. McKillop if he wished to force the case though, he was at liberty to do so.

"Does your honor rule against my application?" asked Mr. Essery.

The judge replied affirmatively.

Mr. McKillop said he did not wish to force the prosecution into the box if she were not in a fit condition to testify.

Mrs. Bowles' physician, Dr. James B. Campbell, gave evidence that Mrs. Bowles was in a very nervous and melancholic state, and that her heart action was very bad. He said it was possible that if called the witness might collapse in the box, and in any case she was not in a condition where her evidence could be depended on, as her nervous state had rendered her mentally unfit.

As she is one of the crown's most important witnesses, his honor consented to postpone the case till Dec. 23 at 10 o'clock.

—Mr. James McCartney has sold his beautiful prize-winning carriage horse Duke to a gentleman from Ottawa for a handsome figure.

Historical Society Meeting.

At the meeting of the Historical Society, to be held at the Public Library this evening, a paper will be read, dealing with the celebration in this city in 1847, when the first sod for the Great Western Railway was turned.

POLITICAL SLATE FOR COUNCIL

(Continued from Page 1.)

Conservative five, headed by Mr. E. J. MacRobert, made a "dead set" on the board two years ago, and they are going to do likewise this year.

At present they are saying little, but there is no doubt that the slate made up yesterday in The Advertiser will be practically correct. There may be one or two changes.

Looks Like a Fight.

The Beck faction declare that they will fight the Gray crowd to the last ditch.

They claim that they will get better treatment on Niagara power from a Liberal council than from some of the aldermen on the Gray slate, and they do not relish being turned down by their own friends.

The Arena.

So it seems that the struggle for the mastery being fought within the Conservative ranks will be transferred for the time being, at least, to the municipal arena, and both sides will try their strength there.

A prominent Conservative informed The Advertiser that the slate will be ready within a week, and will be distributed.

Ex-Ald. Neil Cooper will be left off, it is said, and will be allowed to play a lone hand.

ALL PATIENTS ARE RECOVERING

Smallpox Appears To Be Dying Out in This City.

The four smallpox patients in the Isolation Hospital are rapidly recovering, and are able to be about.

No others are reported in the city, but there is one suspicious case.

Dr. Hutchinson, medical health officer, continues to vaccinate many youngsters, although the demand for vaccine is not so great as it was some days ago.

Happy Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Chamberlain, of 721 Queen's avenue, were the hosts at a very pleasant gathering last night, on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of their wedding. The happy couple received enough tinware on the occasion to last the rest of their natural lives. The evening was given up to pedro, at which Mr. W. C. Maker and Mrs. Wm. Thomas carried off the honors. The evening was a great success, and broke up with all manner of good wishes to Mr. Chamberlain and his wife.

Holiday Forethought.

We have already made all our holiday preparations, and the stock is now ready for your inspection. We cordially invite you to call at your earliest possible convenience. In extent, variety and novelty our present stock far exceeds any other that will be seen in this locality, and our prices are proportionately lower.

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LADIES' AID OF CHALMERS CHURCH

Met Yesterday and Elected Officers for the Year.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of Chalmers Presbyterian Church met yesterday at the home of Mrs. McWaine, 108 Waterloo street, and re-elected the following officers: Hon. president, Mrs. W. Moffatt; president, Mrs. J. Mapletoft; first vice-president, Mrs. W. Michael; second vice-president, Mrs. J. Baillie; secretary, Mrs. F. W. Milligan; treasurer, Mrs. A. Duguld; organist, Mrs. J. Pirie. At the conclusion of business Mrs. McWaine tendered a lunch to the members, after which a motion was put by Mrs. Moffatt, thanking Mrs. McWain and also the officers who had served the society during the past year.

LATEST STOCK MARKET REPORTS

COBALT MINING STOCKS.

Noon quotations on Cobalt mining stock, telegraphed The Advertiser by Edward Cronyn & Co., members of the Toronto Stock Exchange:

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 15. — Noon mining quotations are: Beaver 31, Chambers 85, Reserve 260, Cobalt Lake 15½, Coniagas 675, Foster 42, Meehan 24, Kerr Lake 730, La Rose 650, Nipissing 10¼, Otisse 45, Peterson Lake 33, Rochester 20, Scotia 59, Leaf 13½, Queen 98, Temiskaming 160, Trethewey 144.

TORONTO.

	Toronto, Dec. 15. Asked.	Bid.
Bell Telephone	141½	..
Can. Gen. Electric	106	104½
C. Gen. Elec. pfd.	..	108
C. P. R.	..	176
City Dairy com.	25	..
C. N. W. Land	105	..
Consumers' Gas	197	196
Crow's Nest	120	..
Detroit United	54	..
Dom. Coal com.	55	..
Dom. Steel com.	19	..
Dom. Steel pfd.	70	..
Dom. Telegraph	103	..
Electric Development	26	..
Halifax Tramway	117	..
International Coal	..	61
Lake of the Woods	..	95
Laurentide com.	112	109½
Laurentide pfd.	116	115
Mackay com.	75	74¾
Mackay pfd.	70	..
Mexican L. & P.	75¼	73½
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	135	130
Nipissing Co.	..	10
Northern Nav.	105	101
Prairie Lands	200	..
Rio Jan. Tram.	..	76
R. & O. Nav.	..	73
Sao Paulo	155	154
St. L. and C. Nav.	..	106
Toronto Railway	..	105¼
Tri-City, pfd.	..	84
Twin City	94¾	94
Winnipeg Railway	..	166
Shredded Wheat	..	30
Bank of Commerce	..	170
Dominion Bank	245	..
Bank of Hamilton	203	..
Imperial Bank	230	229
Merchants' Bank	164	..
Molsons Bank	..	200
Bank of Montreal	250	246
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	280
Standard Bank	..	229
Traders' Bank	..	137
Union Bank	135	..
Agricultural Loan	..	122¼
Canada Landed	..	129
Canada Permanent	..	140
Central Canada	160	..
Colonial Invest.	..	66
Dominion Savings	..	70¼
Hamilton Prov.	120	..
Huron and Erie	..	178¼
Landed Banking	..	118
London and Canadian	..	110
National Trust	..	150
Ontario Loan	..	132½
Toronto Mortgage	..	109
Dominion Steel	..	79
Electric Development	..	85
Laurentide	..	106
Mexican Electric	..	86¼
Mexican, L. and P.	..	87
N. S. Steel	..	100
Sao Paulo	..	97½

Morning Sales: Sao Paulo, 10 at 155, 15 at 155, 10 at 155, 50 at 155, 50 at 154¾; Shredded Wheat, 25 at 31, 15 at 30⅞; Toronto Railway (cash), 25 at 107½; Twin City, 1 at 94½; Dominion Coal, 10 at 55, 4 at 55; Rio, 5 at 76, 50 at 76⅛, 25 at 76¼, 50 at 76⅛, 13 at 76¼, 13 at 76, 25 at 76, 50 at 76, 6 at 76; Bonds, 1,000 at 91¼; MacKay, com., xd., 25 at 74⅜; pref., xd., 25 at 69¾; Toronto Electric, 30 at 130, 20 at 130; Nipissing, 10 at 10⅞; Nova Scotia Steel, 25 at 55½; Bank of Commerce, 5 at 170¼, 60 at 170¼; Dominion, 15 at 244, 1 at 244; Lake of the Woods, 5 at 97; Winnipeg, 25 at 167, 5 at 167½; Bell Telephone, 5 at 141¼; Mexican Electric Bonds, 1,000 at 86⅜.

NEW YORK.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

New York, Dec. 15.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper	82⅛	83	80¼	80¾
American Sugar Co.	130½	131	130½	131
Am. Locomotive	56	56	55	55¼
Am. Foundry	47⅝	47⅝	46⅜	46¾
Am. Refining Co.	83¾	85¼	83	83¾
Atchison com.	98	98	97⅜	97⅜
Balt. & Ohio	110¾	110¾	109⅝	109¾
Broklyn R. T.	57⅞	57¾	56⅛	56¼
Can. Pacific Ry.	176½	176¾	176	176⅜
Ches. & Ohio	57⅝	57⅞	56	56⅛
Chicago G. W.	11⅞	11⅞	11½	11⅝
Colorado F. & I.	39	39	38	38
Chicago & North.	178	178	177	177
Distillers	36½	36½	35	35
Erie	35	35	34	34⅞
Erie pfd.	49½	..	..	..
Great North pfd.	144	144⅞	143¾	143⅞
Illinois Central	147	147	146	146
Inter. Met.	17⅛	..	..	..
Inter. Met. pfd.	40	..	..	..
Kan. & Texas com.	38⅞	39½	38⅞	39⅜
Kan. & Texas pfd.	72	..	..	..
Louis. & Nash.	123	123	122	..
Missouri Pacific	66⅛	66⅛	64	64
N. Y. Central	121¾	121⅞	120¼	120½
Northern Pac.	142¼	142½	141¾	141⅞
Norfolk & West.	84¼	84¼	84	84
National Lead	80	80	77¾	78⅛
Ontario & West.	45¾	45⅞	45½	45½
Pacific Mail	34½	35	34	35
Pennsylvania	130	130¾	129½	129⅝
People's Gas	100¼	100¼	100⅛	100⅛
Press Steel	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅞
Reading	141	141⅞	139½	139⅞
Rock Island	23¾	23¾	23½	23⅝
Southern Ry.	24⅞	24⅞	24½	24⅝
Southern Ry. pfd.	58⅜	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	120¼	121	119¾	119⅞
St. Paul	150	150⅜	148¼	148½
Texas	33½	33⅝	33⅜	33⅝
Union Pacific	182¼	183	181⅜	181⅝
Central Leather	30⅝	30⅝	29¾	29⅞
U. S. Rubber	34	34	33¾	33⅞
U. S. Steel	54	54¼	53½	53½
U. S. Steel pfd.	112½	112½	111⅝	111⅞
Wabash com.	19	19	18¾	18⅞
Wabash pfd.	46¾	47½	45⅞	46
West. Union Tel.	68⅛	..	..	..

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Dec. 15, 1908.

	Asked.	Bid
Bell Telephone Co.	142	..
Can. Converters	45	43
Canadian Pacific	176¾	176½
Detroit Electric Railway	55	54
Dominion Coal com.	..	55
Dominion Iron and Steel, com.	16¾	16⅜
Dominion Iron and Steel, pref.	71½	71
Havana Electric, ccm.	25	24¾
Havana Electric, pref.	85	84
Illinois Traction, pref.	91¾	91½
Laurentide Paper, com.	111	110
Mackay, com.	75	74
Mackay, pref, xd	70½	69½
Mexican Light and Power	74¼	73¾
Minneapolis st. Paul	133	130
Montreal L., H and Power	168	166
Montreal Street Railway	206	203
Montreal Steel Works, pfd.	114	..
Nova Scotia Steel and Coal	56	..
Ogilvie Milling, com	115	114½
R. and O. Navigation Co	79	73
Rio de Janeiro L. and P. Co.	77	75⅝
Toledo	9½	7½
Toronto	107½	106½
Twin City	95	93
Penman	44¼	44
Reserve	258	255
Eastern Townships Bank	..	152½
Merchants Bank	160	..
Molsons Bank	207½	207
Montreal Bank	248	..
Royal Bank	232½	..
Textile, com.	88¾	88¼
Dominion Tex. pfd	98	97½
Montreal Cotton, xd.	124	118
Asbestos	6¾	6¼
Bell Telephone Bonds	..	100
Colored Cotton Bonds	100	95
Dominion Cotton Bonds	100	..
Dominion Iron & Steel Bonds	..	79
Montreal Street Railway	..	100
N. S. Steel and Coal Bonds	..	107
Nova Scotia Con. Bonds	..	100
Ogilvie Milling	119⅞	..
Textile, Ser. A	95	94
Textile, Ser. B	68	94
Textile, Ser. C	95	94
Textile, Ser. D	..	94
Winnipeg Electric Bonds	..	103
Converters	95	90

Morning sales; Pacific, 4 at 176, 25 at 176½; Reserve, 4300 at 250, 500 at 251½, 1,000 at 259; Rio, 12 at 75¾, 50 at 75⅞; Illinois, 25 at 93 cash; Ogilvie Preferred, 1 at 120; Penman, 100 at 44¼, 30 at 44; Detroit, 10 at 55; Converters, 50 at 40, 10 at 42, 75 at 40, 15 at 39½, 25 at 40; Iron Common, 25 at 19¾, 75 at 19½; Textile Common xd. 35 at 57¼, 60 at 56, 55-75 at 58½, 30 at 58¾; Woods Common, 25 at 96; Textile Preferred, 10 at 97½; Bank of Montreal, 40 at 247; Molsons Bank, 50 at 207; Telephone, 5 at 141½; Laurentide, 25 at 110; Ogilvie Bds., 1,000 at 105¾.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, Dec. 15.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	$ 99½	1 00¾	99¼	1 00¼
May	1 04½	1 05⅞	1 04⅞	1 05⅞
Corn—				
December	57¾	58	57¾	57¾
May	61⅞	62	61⅞	61½
Oats—				
December	50⅜	50⅜	49⅞	49⅞
May	52¼	52¾	52	51¾
Pork—				
January	15 67	15 75	15 67	15 72
May	16 05	16 12	16 02	16 07
Lard—				
January	9 17	9 17	9 12	9 12
May	9 40	9 40	9 35	9 37
Short Ribs—				
January	8 15	8 17	8 15	8 17
May	8 47	8 47	8 45	8 47

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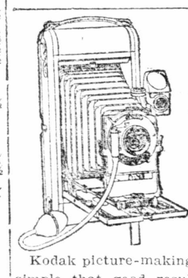

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