FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

EGGS ARE BECOMING CHEAPER ON MARKET

Hay Offerings Very Small-Brisk Trade In Grain-The Quotations.

Although Wednesday is set aside as a Although Wednesday is set aside as a hay market on the local square, there was a small offering today at \$13 to \$15. Previous to 10 o'clock in the morning, only one load had been offered, which brought \$14.50 and was a slow sale. There is no appreciable reason for the slowness of the commodity, and it is expected that there will be a brisker demand tomorrow.

Eggs are somewhat easier on the square.

the hen fruit selling for 38 to 40 cents per dozen. Although the supply was small this morning, prices will likely remain firm at the present price. With the milder weather and the fact that the hens are laying steadily once more, the high egg prices of the earlier winter are placed in the heckground. Butter is firm and as

Potatoes have been an unsteady commodity this week and prices have alternately fluctuated and lowered. This mornately fluctuated and lowered. ing the price per bag was 90 cents, al-though some lots were reported to have sold for 85 cents. Other vegetables are as Prices of live hogs are firm at \$8 to

Bell Telephone
Burt F. N., com
Burt F. N., pfd
Canada Bread, com Other live stock prices are as Grain was a heavy offering late yesterday. Particularly in oats there was a marked activity, and the large number of loads found ready buyers. Prices are list-

A general list follows. Grain, Per Cwt. Wheat, per cwt.....\$1 45 to \$1 45 Oats, per cwt......1 03 to 1 08 Grain, Per Bushel. Beets, per bu.

Turnips, per bu.
Carrots, per bu.
Onions, per bu.
Parsnips, per bu.
Spinach, per bu.
Cabbage, per doz.
Cauliflower per doz.
Lettuce, per doz. 30 Celery, per doz.... Pumpkins, each..... Fruits. to

1 60 Hay, per ton 12 00 Straw, per ton 8 00 thraw, per load 5 00 Honey, sections, doz. 2 20
Honey, sections, doz. 2 20
Live Stock,
Hogs, per cwt. 8 00
Fat sows, per cwt. 7 00
Export cattle, cwt. 6 00 to 7 00 to 6 50 to 90 00 to 15 00 ..10 00-Old fowl, per lb...... Spring chickens, lb....

Ducks, per 1b...... Turkeys, per 1b..... Butchers' Meats. Cow hides. No. 1, 15.... 11 to Cow hives. No. 2, 16.... 10 to

LIVE STOCK.

69 cars, 720 cattle, 135 caives, 1,540 nogs, 766 sheep and lambs, 12 horses.

Prices have held very firm all week.
Hog quotations were lower today.
TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Export cattle, choice, \$8 50 to \$8 85; export cattle, medium, \$8 00 to \$8 50; butcher cattle, choice, \$7 75 to \$8 00; butcher cattle, compone \$6 00 to \$7 50; butcher cattle, compone \$6 00 to \$6 25; butcher cows, choice.

Toronto General Trusts...

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Bonds—
Canada Bread
Dominion Canners (6 per cent.)

Elec. Development (5 per cent.)

Parts Pigo Rys (5 per legs that the component cattle, co tum, \$6 50 to \$7 50; butcher cattle, common, \$6 00 to \$6 25; butcher cows, choice. Porto Rico Rys (5 per mon, \$6 00 to \$6 25; butcher cows, enotes, \$6 25 to \$7 25; butcher cows, medium, \$4 50 to \$6 00; butcher cows, canners, \$3 50 to \$4 60; butcher buils, \$4 50 to \$7 25; feeding steers, \$5 25 to \$7 10; steet TORONTO, Jan. 7.—

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Morning sales:

Monarch, pfd., 3 at 84: Cons. Gas., 2 at 171; C. P. R. rights, 880 at 4 3-16 to 4 5-16; St. Lawrence, 7 at 99 to 99%; \$5 to \$6 25; bucks and culls, \$3 50 to \$4 50; lambs, \$8 75 to \$9 20. Hogs, fed and watered, \$8 95; Hogs, f.o.b., \$8 65.

Calves, \$9 25 to \$10 85.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 350; prices unchanged. Veals—receipts, 50; active and steady, \$6 to \$13. Hogs—receipts, 2,500; active and strong to 5 cents higher; heavy, \$8 50 to \$8 65; mixed and yorkers, \$8 70 to \$8 65; mixed and yorkers, \$8 70 to \$8 75; pigs, \$8 75 to \$8 80; roughs, \$7 60 to \$7 75; stags, \$6 to \$7 dairies, \$8 50 to \$8 65; mixed and lambs—receipts, 2,400; active, sheep steady; lambs, 15 cents higher; lambs, \$5 50 to \$8 65; yearlings, \$5 to \$7 50; wethers, \$5 75 to \$6 25; ewes, \$5 to \$7 50; wethers, \$5 75 to \$6 25; ewes, \$5 to \$7 50; wethers, \$5 75 to \$6 25; ewes, \$5 to \$7 50; wethers, \$5 75 to \$6 25; ewes, \$5 to \$7 50; sheep, mixed, \$5 60 to \$5 85.

PRODUCE.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Cash prices were firm

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Morning sales:

Monarch, pfd., 3 at 84; Cons. Gas., 2 at 171; C. P. R. rights, 880 at 4 3-16 to 4 5-16; St. Lawrence, 7 at 99 to 99%; MacKay, 45 at 76½ to 77; MacKay, pfd., 3 at 65½; Tucketts, 10 at 36%; Rogers, 10 at 140; Toronto Ry., 15 at 125 to 135½; Twin City, 30 at 105½ to 102½; Commerce, 60 at 200; Twin City, 30 at 105½ to 102½; Commerce, 60 at 200; Twin City, 30 at 105½; Can. Bread, 35 at 19 to 19½; Can. Bread bonds, \$3,500 at 92 to 92½; Hollinger, 200 at 1,710 to 1,715; and 10 shares miscellaneous.

MONTREAL, Jan. 7.—Morning sales:

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Rell Telephone, 16 at 142; Brazilian, 258 at 80% to \$2. C. P

PRODUCE.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Cash prices were firm and unchanged on the local grain market today. Business was quiet. Quotations are as follows:
Ontario Wheat—No. 2 winter, 82c to 83c outside.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, 93½c;
No. 2 northern, 91¾c.
Oats—Canadæ western, No. 2, 41c; No. 3, 39½c, at lake ports; Ontario No. 2 white, 32c to 34c outside; No. 3 white, on track at Toronto, 35c to 36c.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, 77c, on track at

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. Corn-No. 3 yellow, 77c, on track at

Toronto.

Peas—No. 2, 88c to 90c.

Barley—Malting, 57c to 58c outside.

Buckwheat—70c, at shipping points.

Manitoba flour—First patents, \$5 40: second patents, \$4 90; strong bakers, \$4 70.

Ontario Flour-Winter flour, 90 per cent patents, \$3 45 at the seaboard.
Milfeed—Manitoba bran, \$21; shorts,
\$24 per ten, on track at Toronto.
Montreal, Jan. 6.—Business in grain over the cable continues very quiet, owing to the fact that the prices bid were generally out of line. There was an increased demand from foreign buyers for oats, and the prices bid were close to a working basis. A feature of the local market was the demand for American corn, and sales of 5 cars of No. 3 yellow were made at 71½c, 5 cars of No. 3 yellow kin-dried, at 71½c, 10 of No. 3 corn at 70c, and 5 of No. 4 at 67c, on track for shipment from Chicago. The demand for nerally out of line. There was an inshipment from Chicago. The demand for oats were rather quiet.

Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 72c to

Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 41½c to 42c; No. 3, 40½c to 41c.
Barley—Manitoba feed, 48c to 50c; malt-

Amal. Copper 725% 725% 725% 725% American Can. 3114 2442 305% Anaconda 3144 344 344 344 Amer. Beet Sugar 2442 2442 24 Brooklyn Transit. 881% 88% 88 Interboro 147% 153% 145% Interboro pfd. 605% 613% 660% Third Avenue 4344 4414 4314 Car Fdy. 4414 Car Fdy. Central Leather. 2814 2814 277% Colorado F. and I. 3044 304 30 Locomotive 33 Beth Steel 3042 31 3034 Hay-No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$13 50 to \$15 WERPOOL, Jan. 7—(Closing) —Wheat firm; No. 2 Red Western winter, 7s a; No. 1 Manitoba, 7s ½d; No. 2 Manitoba, 7s ½d; No. 2 Manitoba, 7s ½d; No. 3 Manitoba, 6s 11½d; futures easy, March 7s 1%d, May 7s %d, July 7s 1d. Corn, spot quiet; futures, La

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Plata, weak, Jan. 4s 8%d; Feb. 4s 4%d. Flour, winter patents, 28s 6d. Hops, in London (Pacific Coast), £5 5s to £6 15s. Beef, extra India mess, 122s 6d. Pork, prime mess, western, 110s. Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 4bs., 68s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 bbs., 63s; sort ribs, 16 to 24 bbs., 67s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 bs., 70s 6d; long cear mildles, ight, 28 to 34 lbs., 68s 6d; long clear mildles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 65s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 65s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 61s. Lard, prime western, in tierces, 5s. 61s. Lard, prime western, in tierces, 5s. 9d; American, refined, 55s 9d. Cheese, Canadian, finest white, 61s; colored, 68s.

May 11 07 11 12 STOCK MARKET.

Brazilian T L & P

Canada Cement, com

anada General Elect. ..

C. P. R. Confederation Life

Consumers Gas Detroit United

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Dominion Telegraph

Duluth Superior Electric Dev., pfd Macdonald

Mackay, com

Maple Leaf, pfd

Mexican L & P

Monarch, com

Rogers, pfd
Russell M. C., pfd
Sawyer Mas
Sawyer Mas, pfd
St. L. C. Nav
Shredded Wheat, com

Spanish River, com Steel of Canada, com Steel of Canada, pfd

Crown Reserve

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Nipissing Mines

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Bank of Commerce Dominion Bank Bank of Hamilton

Metropolitan Bank

Bank of Ottawa Royal Bank Standard Bank

National Trust Ontario Loan

C. P. R. rights, 2,539 at

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Erie, First ... 43%
Gt. Northern, pfd. 127½ 127½ 126% 127½
North W. ... 128 128½ 128 128½
New Haven ... 77 77½ 76% 77
New York Central. 90% 90% 89% 90%

15% 14% 15% 61% 61% 44¼ 43¼ 44%

Rock Island 1314 Rock Island, pfd... 2012

 St. Paul
 101

 Atchison
 94 ½

 C. P. R.
 208 ½

TORONTO, Jan. 7 .- Morning sales:

Tooke Bros., com

Toronto Railway

Twin City, com

a Rose

Banks-

mperial Bank

Bank of Montreal.
Nova Scotia

Bank of Toronto

Canada Landed

Dominion Savings

Union Bank

Canada Cement, pfd

). I. & Steel, pfd

TORONTO, Jan. 7.-

St. Catharines Collegiate Institute. He taught school in that district for some time and later on in Ilderton. From schoolmaster he became a medical stu-Tallow, prime city, 33s 3d; Australian in London, 34s 10½d. Turpentine, spirits, 33s. Rosin, common, 9s 6d. Petroleum, dent in Western University, and after graduating and securing the gold 33s. Rosin, common, 9s 6d. Petroleum, refined, 936d. Linseed oil, 27s 6d. Cotton-seed oil, hull refined, spot, 30s 9d. CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE. medal took a post graduate course in Edinburgh hospitals. On his return to London he joined the staff of Victoria (Special to J. M. Young, Broker.) Open High Low Closing May ... 91 9158 90% 915 July ... 87% 87% 87% 87 Corn—

On the resignation of Dr. C. W. Belton, Dr. Balfour was appointed superintendent, and continued in that May ... 39% 39% 38% 38% 39% July ... 65% 65% 64% 39% Oats position for more than twenty years. Since his retirement from the hospital eleven years ago, he had been in priv-

DR. J. D. BALFOUR

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were in attendance on their sick col

Born Near Mitchell.

Dr. Balfour was a member of the staff of Western University for many years, and was a popular lecturer, his specialty being obstetries and the diseases of women. He was also medical director of the Northern Life, and a Royal Arch Mason. In politics Dr. Balfour was a Reformer, and was a member of the First Presbyterian

Church. Besides his wife, Dr. Balfour leaves four children, Dr. E. B. Balfour, of Dashwood, Ont.; Richard, of the Northern Life, London, and Master

James and Miss Jean at home. Five brothers and five sisters also survive. They are: David, of Osborne; George, of Wolseley, Sask.; Tom, of Illinois: William, on the old homestead in Herbert Township, Perth County; John, of Moosejaw; Mrs. Wm. Mc-Intosh, Port Huron; Mrs. Dan McGill, Paisley; Mrs. Albert Moore, Lambton County, near Petrolia; Mrs. Jas. Christie, Granfall, Sask.; and Mrs. J.Blanchard, of Stratford. The funeral arrangements are as ye

What You Hear Around the City Hall

Some Gossip and Chatter from London's Municipal Offices.

Working On Booklet. Industrial Commissioner Philip is procuring information and illustrations for the new booklet to be issued, which will set forth the advantages of London, and is aimed to be of great aid in securing new

More Room Needed. New wiring inspector, W. B. Legate, will soon be without quarters at the city hall. Mr. Legate and his secretary, Miss Brady, are at present occupying the office of Assistant City Engineer H. A. Brazier, who is at Just where the wiring inspector's of-

Swearing To Be True. ers Hubert Ashplant and J. P. Moore, and Aldermen Jos. Gwalchmai, C. H. \$4.46. Merryfield, F. G. Mitchell, W. A. Wilson, Henry Miller, Jos. Leah and J.

A Cute Little Signer. Mayor C. M. R. Graham was very ousy at noon today affixing his signaure to the 140 local improvement byaws which were put through at the of town on Tuesday. The mayor is also working up a considerable reputation as a justice of the peace having signed one day this week, fourteen sick claims for members of various

lodges. Tickled Herr Glaubitz. General Manager H. J. Glaubitz, of the hydro-water works department while in New York this week, found the Edison Company, the big distributing concern, charging eleven cents per kilowatt hour for electricity. "Just about three times as much as we will be getting in London when the next reduced rates come into effect." said Manager Glaubitz to The

Advertiser. Water Coms. To Meet. The Water Commissioners will have a meeting, probably on Thursday afternoon to receive the annual statement and pass upon the new hydro

Employing the Unemployed. In order to give employment to men who otherwise would be out of jobs. the waterworks department is putting down a number of house services and will continue to do so as long as the

weather is mild.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

J. M. Young, broker, 18 Dominion Savings Building, reports fluctuations in New York stocks as follows:

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.

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Ontario and West. 2614 26 26
Missouri Pacific 2442 2374 2374 2375
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Southern Pacific 90% 9134 9014 9154
Southern Railway. 2376 2376 2374 2375
The management is also considering
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The management of the Intercolonial west the development of branch line feeders.

The management is also considering the extension of the Intercolonial west of Montreal, wher it now terminates. It may be extended to the Great Lakes by way of the Canadian Atlantic to Georgian Bay, and there is more than a fair chance of the Intercolonial line being required to operate the National Transcontinental from Moneton to Winnipeg. Twin City 105 % Union Pacific 158 % 158 % 157 % 158 % Chesapeake & Ohio 60¼

Lehigh Valley ... 149¼

Norfolk and West 1017 1017 100½ 101

Pennsylvania ... 169% 109% 109% 109%

Reading ... 169% ... 72% 72% 72% 72%

COBALTS. [Edward Cronyn & Co., members of the

Toronto Stock Exchange, report the fol-lowing quotations on the mining market this morning.]
TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Beaver, 30½ to
31; Chambers, 19 to 20; Coniagas, 7.35 to
7.40; City, 28 to 33; Kerr, 4.25 to 4.50;
Lake, 50 to 55; La Rose, 1.75 to 1.78; McKinley, 1.07 to 1.12; Nipissing, 7.85 to
7.95; Peterson, 24 to 24½; Temiskaming,
13 to 13.50; Extension, 6.50 to 7.50; Dome,
14.75 to 15.25; Hollinger, 17 to 15; Jupiter,
5.50 to 6; Preston, 1 to 2; Swastika, 4 to
4.50; Vipond, 10 to 10.50.

LATE LOCAL NEWS

An Open Verdict.—At the inquest conducted by Coroner Dr. A. V. Beecher into the death of Edward Fitzgerald, who was struck by a Grand Trunk freight train on December 23 league, and the most profound regret at Thorndale, the jury returned ar was expressed by the local medical fraternity at Dr. Balfour's death.

Mothers' Club Meeting — The Lorne Avenue Mothers' Club will meet in the kindergarten room on Thursday evening. Dr. Balfour was born near Mitchell January 8. Owing to unforeseen circumstances, the subject of "Good Citizenship" will be postponed until the February meet. about 57 years ago, and after attending the public school graduated from the ing, and instead Dr. Davis will address the club on "Effective Means in Case of Accidents." All mothers and others in-terested will be cordially welcomed.

Monahan-Walker—A quiet marriage was performed by the Rev. Mr. Lloyd at the parsonage, Ridout street, on Jan. 6, when Alma M. J. Walker became the bride of Garvin A. Monahan. The bride, who was London he joined the staff of Victoria dressed in blue sil. with white velour hat, Hospital, which was then known as the London General Hospital.

On the resignation of Dr. C. W. Bel-

Defendant Wins .- Judge Talbot has given judgment in favor of the de fendant in the case of Heughan and company against Binder and others the point in dispute being payment on a promissory note for \$350 made by G. D. Binder while president of the Dominion Chicle company, which firm subsequently made an assign

rent. Fulona Alumni.—The January meeting of Victoria Hospital Alumnae Association was held yesterday. speaker was Dr. Norman Beal, who gave an interesting address on the benefits to graduates of the Alumnae Associations. In union there is strength. Co-operation accomplishes more than individual effort. In nature instinct teaches the birds to flock together, and the wild animals to band together for mutual protection. In like manner the graduate nurses working individually his unexpired term and commence on their profession, which would be secured by the co-operation afforded by benefits would not only be social and intellectual, but also financial. He urged the nurses to be true to their

JAIL GOVERNOR SOLVES

Board Bill Is Between 7 and 8 Ctnts Per Day Per Guest at Riverside Hostelry.

Governor Carter of the county jail has completed his report for the quarter ending December, 1913. Between seven and eight cents a day is the average board bill of Governor held. City Clerk Baker finds nothing Carter's guests. Without medical attention it is 7.48 cents a day. With just possible that the hospital trust will be one member short this year, Col. Gartmedical attention it is 8.09 cents. The shore having two votes and, practically difference is made up by the tea, speaking, being two members in one. sugar, butter, milk and tobacco allowed to prisoners on the advice of the attending physician.

The total food bill for 198 prisonpresent in England, but is expected ers serving a total of 2,950 days, to return within the next few days. was \$220.78, without the medical attendance, and \$238.55 with it. The ice will then be located, is not known. provisions used included: 4,083 lbs. of bread, 975 lbs. of oatmeal, 151/2 bushels of potatoes, 631 lbs. of neck Up to noon today, the following uccessful candidates had taken the bushels of potatoes, 631 lbs. of neck meat, 538 lbs. of shank meat, threeoath of office: Mayor C. M. R. Gra- eighths barrel of salt, 54 gallons of am, Water Commissioners Philip, syrup, 20 lbs. of barley, 21/2 lbs. of Pocock and J. H. Chapman, Control- pepper, and 25 lbs of flour. Ham for the prisoners' Christmas dinner cost

Jail board does not appeal to the trio of counterfeiters rounded up by the city detectives on Tuesday. Accordingly they have arranged to all pockets.

"Unless a real cold spell sets in again, "Unless a real cold spell sets i their money lasts, fhich amounts to

about \$5 each. This is all they have in the coin of ast meeting of the old council. On the realm, although they had a nice Monday, his worship signed the little fortune in counterfeit money, famous name 187 times, and for fear but Governor Carter cannot accept famous name 187 times, and for fear but Governor Carter cannot accept of getting writer's cramp, went out this as payment for side orders for the sale at present, the reserve quantities being reduced to a minimum. This state of the first of the guests. So the trio will have a affairs will continue for some time, for the his guests. So the trio will have a nice little question to solve in arithmetic just to see how many chicken dinners they can enjoy out of the pocket money they had when ar-

Lodge Elections

The monthly meeting and election of officers of Lodge Lord Nelson, No. 49 Juvenile Sons of England Benefit Society Juvenile Sons of England Benefit Society, was held Tuesday night. The election resulted as follows: H. French, past president; Bro. W. Schafer, president; Bro. F. Corbin, vice-president; Bro. S. Nickols, chaplain; Bro. F. Parker, inside guard; Bro. H. Eaton, outside guard; Bro. A. Russel, first committeeman; Bro. H. Allsop, second committeeman; Bro. E. Schafer, third committeeman; Bro. J. Boyer, fourth committeeman; Bro. H. Walton, fourth committeeman; Bro. H. Walton, flith committeeman; T. Russel, sixth com-mitteeman; Bros. Henshaw, Spettigue, Bartlett, Eaton, Hollins, Brooks, Corbin, Woods, Nelson and James as advisory

Mrs. J. Stevenson, of Detroit, Mich., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Porter, of 170, Adelaide street.

Terribly Afflicted With Lame Back. Could Not Sweep The Floor.

When the back aches and pains it is almost impossible for women to do their housework, for every move and every turn means an ache or a pain.

Women are beginning to understand that weak, lame, and aching backs from which they suffer so much are due to wrong action of the kidneys, and should be attended to at once so as to avoid years of suffering from kidney trouble.

On the first sign of anything wrong with the back Doan's Kidney Pills should

They go right to the seat of the trouble. Mrs. Wilfrid Jolicoeur, Nouvelle, Que., writes:-"I take pleasure in writing you stating the benefit I have received by using Doan's Kidney Pills. About three years ago I was terribly afflicted with lame back, and was so bad I could not sweep my own floor. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I only used three boxes, and I am as well as ever. I highly recommend these pills to any sufferer from lame back or kidney

Price, 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Toronto, Ont.

If ordering direct specify "Doan's."

MAY SIT AS TWO

Mr. Llewellyn Meredith Should Have Retired and Sought Re-Election.

tion and Now Really Has Two Seats.

BUT MISTAKE OCCURRED

The peculiar conditions of affairs rising out of the discovery that Llewellyn Meredith should have sought reelection to the hospital trust at the municipal nominations last month instead of Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore still exists. It seems that the general impression was that Co. Gartshore's term was to expire at the end of 1913. no opposition, City Clerk Samuel Baker on Tuesday evening declared Co. Gartshore duly elected.

Another alternative is offered, viz., that Col. Gartshore resign the last half of fail to get the highest benefits from his new term, thus making way for the appointment, either by the trust or by the city council, of the other member necesdumnae and kindred associations. The sary to give a full compliment. However some who are interested in the situation, argue that Col. Gartshore, to resign at all, must resign from the board, in which event he would be knocked out of both terms and the trust would be two nembers short.

City Solicitor T. G. Meredith has been asked by the city clerk for an opinion, and it will be ready in a day or two. Mr. Meredith recently expressed the idea that another election would not be necessary, but that the council or hospital trust would appoint

the missing member.

Later it developed that Col. Gartshore had another year of his old term to serve, and that Mr. Meredith was the one whose term was to expire at the end of the year. Mr. Meredith quite overlooked the matter, t seems, and neither the hospital or civi authorities realized the true state of affairs until later.

Nothing in the Act.

The question now is whether or not new nomination and election should

REDUCE EGG PRICES

Increasing Supply of Hen Fruit Reported by Buyers Throughout the Country.

Egg buyers in London report an increasing supply of the hen fruit throughout the country, and many are of the opinion that the price has already reached the upper pinnacle and that hereafter, for some time at least, eggs will be within the reach of

I see no reason why eggs should soar to the high prices they have brought in the past few months," said a buyer to The Advertised this morning. "The hens have started to lay and although the demand is

brisk, as always, there are plenty to meet "There are no cold storage eggs for prices are still too high to make it advantageous for the cold storage men to place them in reserve. At present we are paying 35 cents by the crate. It probably be April before the supply the following season will be laid in.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT ALREADY IN WIRING

Inspector Pleased With Work So Far Accomplished to Safeguard Electric Service.

'You'd be surprised at the improvenents that have been made in electric viring already," said W. B. Legate, the city's new wiring inspector, who commenced his duties a few weeks ago, to The Advertiser today.

Some manufacturing concerns

Inspector Legate is making a special effort to have all "dead" service wires

that have changed from one kind of power to another, have left the original service wires up. These are to be re-moved, as they constitute a danger to firemen and also a greater fire risk. Concerns using several motors have sometimes two or three feed wires entering their buildings. Not more than one will city. be allowed in the future, according to the inspector, for the same reason as in the "dead" service wires.

It has been said that the wiring on the hydro street lights is far from perfect, but Inspector Legate said that he had no knowledge of this, nor would he likely examine the wiring, his work being confined to buildings.

BOARD OF HEALTH TO TAKE UP INSPECTION

Col. Gartshore Sought Re-Elec- Will Again Go Into the Meat Question-Dr. Burdon's Promise.

> The Board of Health will have a meeting next week, when the subject of meat inspection will be again gone

"I am glad to note," said the chairman, Dr. F. L. Burdon, to The Advertiser today, "that the Board of Control is going ahead with this matter Col. Gartshore thought so himself, and If I am on the board this year I will qualified for the position. There being no opposition. City Clerk Samuel Baker of London supplied with a better class of meat."

News To Sue The Mail for Libel Concerning the Report of Premier's Death.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 7.—The Toronto News publishes the following today: "The Toronto Mail and Empire says this morning that the report circulated on Sunday last, that Sir James Whitney had died in New York, was born in the News office and it holds Sir John Willison responsible for the Counsel has been instructed story. to take immediate proceedings against the Mail and Empire for libel. Probably in no other way can the false and malicious charge of the Mail and Empire be thoroughly disproved.'

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Personal Mention

Mrs. Alex. Ross, nee Mrs. Florence Browe, of Goderich, is the guest of Mrs. C. M. Colby, of 829 Colborne street, this

Miss Huston, of Winnipeg, is visiting Mrs. T. P. Elliott, of 98 Stanley street. Jno. Lang, of London South, has been in the hospital for about past few weeks, is improving nicely

and will soon be around again.

Miss Myrtle Lackie, of this city, who entered Victoria Hospital today to train for a nurse, has been the guest of honor at several informal little affairs given by different girl friends during the past

Ex-Ald. Neil Cooper is confined to is home by a slight indisposition. Mrs. Charles R. Hunt will receive for the first time since her marriage on Friday, Jan. 9, at 85 Horton street.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Arva Pallbearers.

The pallbearers who officiated at the funeral of Mrs. M. A. Petherbridge, who was buried from the home of her brother, J. Hawkins, of Arva, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Tuesday, were: Messrs. Albert Needham, Norman Fish, George Wal-Messrs. Albert ker, George Fortner, Willard Smith, Patrick Flood.

William Johnston Dies.

The death occurred on Tuesday of William Robert Johnston at his home in the Bank of Toronto Chambers after a short illness. He was 68 years of age The late Mr. Johnston had occupied the position of janitor of the bank years. The remains will be to Springfield, Ont., for inter Thursday morning by John Fe.

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