

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Monday, May 13. There were about a dozen loads of hay offered today; sales were brisk and prices firm, at \$15.50 to \$16.50 per ton, nearly all at \$16.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Toronto, May 13.—The market is excited, and with opinions of traders so much at variance, it is almost impossible to determine the true value of wheat. Manitoba is quoted from 2c to 3c higher, and is firm at the advance. Corn also shows a firm advance, in sympathy with the general firmness. Quotations are: Wheat—No. 2 white and red winter, 61c asked outside; 72c bid; No. 2 mixed, 58c asked outside; Manitoba, No. 1 northern, 55c asked on track at Goderich. Bid: No. 1 hard, 92c; No. 1 northern, 86c; barley—No. 3, 54c bid east. Peas—No. 2, 40c asked outside; 75c bid. Oats—No. 1 white, 40c bid outside; No. 2 mixed, 35c bid. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 53c asked on track at Collingwood.

DAIRY MARKETS.

LONDON. London, May 11.—At the meeting of the London Dairy Producers' Exchange today, eight factories boarded 846 boxes of cheese. No sales were made, although the market is to 12c—usually high for this time of the year. The offerings: Boxes—Dunbovine, 55; Firby, 80; Springfield, 80; North Branch, 50; Yarmouth Center, 95; Northwood, 50; Belmont and Westminster, 240; Mapleton, 120. Total, 846.

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IRISH BILL MAY PASS THE HOUSE

Huge Majority of Liberals Expected to Do the Trick.

London, May 12.—With their huge majority the Liberals, it is confidently predicted, will be able to pass the Irish bill through the House of Commons, but not without strenuous opposition from those anti-home rulers who see in the measure a step toward an Irish parliament with an Irish executive, which is the ultimate hope of Ireland.

But whether the Liberal Government can carry the measure through the House of Lords is not so clear, for the upper house is strongly opposed to the present Campbell-Bannerman administration. Moreover, it is one of the proudest memories of the peers that in the great home rule battle over the Gladstone bill, the upper house finally triumphed over the Commons, thus defeating home rule at a moment when it was almost within reach.

However, sentiment has changed since then and the British public has now grown so weary of the everlasting Irish question that it is quite ready to have the peers grant some measure of relief. Prepare for Warfare. Plans are already being made for the debate on the bill and for amendments from various quarters. There is a prospect that a majority of the radical labor members will unite in amendments giving the Irish council wider powers, which, it is expected, the home rulers will move with the view of placing themselves on record.

There was a feeling before Mr. Balfour, the Unionist leader, spoke in opposition to the measure that the House of Lords might pass a bill such as the one introduced, rather than allow the Liberals to rule supreme. It is another rejection by the Lords, as this would strengthen their campaign against the upper house. This view is still held in some quarters, but after Mr. Balfour's denunciation of the bill it will be rather difficult for the Lords to pass it.

Step Toward Home Rule. Much, of course, depends upon the attitude of the Irish national convention to be held in Dublin, May 21. If the convention should accept the bill as a step toward home rule, the Liberals opposed to the self-government of Ireland deny, the Unionists would attack it on the ground that many of the Liberals were elected on assurances that they would not vote for such a measure.

Even some of the Unionists can find little that is objectionable in the bill from their point of view, but as a party they say they are bound to recognize the arguments of the Irish Unionists, who contend that the measure is one which might be used to prejudice the Protestant minority in Ireland.

There is also probability of the bill being crowded out by other legislation with which the Government's programme already is overloaded, and includes licensing reform and reform of the House of Lords, for which many supporters of the Government are clamoring and which might be brought forward if the discussion of the Irish bill gets beyond the limit which the cabinet has agreed to allow.

MYSTIC SHRINERS DIE IN CRASH

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an adjacent tank on the debris and extinguished the flames. Losses Wife and Daughter. Then he cut away the broken timbers that held her fast and took Mrs. W. Essick, of Reading, from the ruins. She was begging piteously for relief when he reached her. As he lifted her from the wreckage a stream of boiling water spouted over her.

Women passengers sought to remove her upper garments, but fainted when the flesh came off with the clothing. Mrs. Essick expired a few minutes later. Deobold was unable longer to endure the harrowing sight.

Henry J. Fisher, of Cleveland, went with his wife and her daughter, Miss Cora Young, to the baggage car just before the wreck. The two women were killed, and he escaped almost unharmed from the wreck of the baggage car, big hurled through the roof to the yielding sands of the beach. He wandered dazedly about the streets, asking, mournfully: "How did I escape? Why should they die and I live?"

A. D. Wasson, of Buffalo, was eating at a corner table within six inches of the hot water tanks. When the rescuers neared him he yelled encouragingly. Dragged from the range of the scalding steam, he murmured, "Thank God," and disappeared.

His wife and baby were with him and they escaped injury. Chas. M. Tyson, of Buffalo, is ill at the Potter Hotel, unnerved by his experiences. He fainted many times while dragging from the debris the bodies of his wife and child.

It was some time after the wreck occurred before word of it reached the outside world. As soon as one of the uninjured trainmen could make his way to the station, word was telegraphed to San Luis Obispo. Immediately special trains were arranged. Physicians and nurses, gathered hurriedly, were quickly on the way to the wreck.

At 4 o'clock a relief special left Santa Barbara and made the 61 miles to Honda in 90 minutes. When the relief train arrived at Santa Barbara, the wreck was still in the hands of the Los Angeles Southern Pacific division surgeon. "I want to go with you to the wreck," she said to Dr. W. A. Taylor, Southern Pacific division surgeon.

"You cannot go," replied the surgeon. Ten minutes later, when the train was running 50 miles an hour, a wisp of dark brown hair was seen blowing above the engine. The train was stopped and Miss Fuller was taken off her perilous place on the front of the locomotive.

Brought into the car Miss Fuller smiled away the doctor's glowering looks. "I really had to go," she said, "I am a member of Southgate Eastern Star and I am pledged to give aid whenever I can." On the way back she did her best to comfort Mrs. W. D. Wasson, whose husband was killed.

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COBALT

All mining stocks bought and sold. Private wires Toronto, New York and Boston stock exchange. H. G. BECHER 423 Richmond Phone 213

OFF YEAR FOR HONEY April's Cold Too Much for Vanneck Bees—Apple Bloom Plentiful. Mr. A. C. Attwood, proprietor of the Vanneck fruit farm, reports that he has just finished spraying his trees for the first time, and if the orchard is a crop one to judge from, this year will be a record one for fruit. The orchard comprises 14 acres, on which are 1,000 trees, and among the whole lot there is not more than twenty-five that are not, more or less, loaded with blossom buds, apples and Winesaps, and the earlier varieties are the only ones that are shy of buds.

Mr. Attwood also reports that the past cold April has knocked the life out of fully two-thirds of the bees, and those that are left are a month behind in brood-raising, so that honey will be shy this year.

DEATH OF MR. GEO. BRETT

Mr. George Brett died at an early hour yesterday morning at his home, 478 St. James street, after an illness of about one week. Deceased, whose death occurred very unexpectedly, was one of the most highly respected residents of this city. He was a lifelong member of the Church of St. John the Evangelist. His wife, two sons and three daughters are left to mourn his loss. They are: Messrs. William Brett, customs officer, this city; George H. Brett, of this city; and Mrs. M. H. Armitage, of Lucan; and Mrs. Joseph Scell, of Moosejaw, Sask., and Miss M. Brett, at home. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 p.m., from the family residence, 478 St. James street, to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. W. T. Hill will conduct the services at the home at 2 o'clock.

CLASSES IN AGRICULTURE

Teachers for the Six High Schools to be Named First of June. Toronto, May 11.—The appointments for the agricultural classes in the six high schools yet to be chosen, for which provision was made at the last legislative session, will be made by June 1. The teachers will be graduates of the Ontario Agricultural College, and will immediately start the organization of their classes and the preparing of the ground to be cultivated. The Government has also decided that the teachers shall open an official office in the towns in which the high schools where they teach are located, where they will meet the farmers after school hours, distribute Government crop bulletins and stock sales, assist the Farmers' Institutes in the district, and act generally as agents of the agricultural department.

WABASH ENGINEER KILLED

Crushed in Collision in the Railway Yards at Niagara Falls. Niagara Falls, May 12.—Wabash Engineer Thomas Yates, whose home is in St. Thomas, was killed here Saturday. His engine was pulling a freight through the yards when it collided with a switch locomotive. Yates was jammed between the tender and the engine and fatally injured.

WHEAT vs. BEEF AS DAILY FOOD

United States Government Report Shows Wheat Has Greatest Value. Wheat (whole wheat) is the most valuable food stuff the world produces. It is man's natural food and the only one which supplies all of the elements of nutrition, properly proportioned by nature, for human health and strength. Most of our readers may know this and be interested in a recent report of the United States Government in which it is shown that a pound of wheat is only 35 per cent nutrition (the balance water and refuse). The same report shows wheat to contain over 90 per cent nutrition (the balance water). There is no "refuse" in wheat.

In connection with this it will be of greater interest to know that without doubt the most wholesome preparation of whole wheat is Malt-Vita. It is made from the choicest entire wheat, in the cleanest, food factory in the world. One could live entirely on Malt-Vita. It contains all that is required to make pure blood, to build up and sustain body, brain, nerves, muscles and bones. Wheat in the form of bread, or breakfast foods that have to be cooked, is hard to digest, unless it is very thoroughly chewed, on account of its high percentage of starch. The chewing mixes it with saliva, converting it into maltose, very highly nutritious and healthful, and easy to digest. Malt extract has the same digestive effect upon starch that the saliva does—it changes it into maltose. Malt-Vita is the most wholesome of all prepared wheat foods because it is the only one that contains no foreign sweetening, such as glucose or syrup. All grocers, it costs.

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