FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

LONDON MARKET TODAY WAS VERY SMALL ONE

Very Little of Anything Was Offered—Oats Were Scarce Again.

There was another very small market this morning, very little of anything being offered. Only six loads of hay were offered all morning, but these brought a good price. Most of the loads this morning brought as high as $11 50, while others sold at $11 25.

Oats were somewhat scarce again, but the price remained about the same. One especially good load brought $1 62, while others sold as low as $1 58.

There were a few strawberries offered for sale on the market this morning. These went at about the same price as on Thursday, 8 to 9 cents at wholesale, and 10 cents retail. The supply was very short and was soon disposed of.

If the weather clears sufficiently the prospects point to a record market of the fruit tomorrow, but it will be necessary to have dry weather, as it has been practically impossible to get on the ground in the past few days to do any picking whatever.

Other prices are as follows:

Grain.			
Wheat, per bu	$1 35	to	$1 40
Oats, per cwt	1 55	to	1 63
Barley, per cwt	1 30	to	1 30
Corn, per cwt	1 35	to	1 40
Peas, per bu	75	to	80
Buckwheat, per cwt	1 25	to	1 30
Beans, per bu	1 15	to	1 60
Rye, per bu	1 05	to	1 10
Hides and Wool.			
Wool, washed, per lb	17	to	18
Wool, unwashed, per lb	10	to	11½
Hides, No. 1, per lb	10	to	10
Hides, No. 2, per lb	9	to	9
Hides, No. 3, per lb	7	to	7
Tallow, rendered, lb	5½	to	6
Tallow, rough, lb	2½	to	3
Sheepskins, each	75	to	1 40
Calfskins, No. 1, lb	15	to	15
Calfskins, No. 2, lb	14	to	14
Poultry, Dressed.			
Turkeys, per lb	18	to	20
Old fowl, per lb	12	to	14
Spring chickens, per lb	25	to	30
Poultry, Alive			
Turkeys, per lb	16	to	18
Old fowl, per lb	8	to	9
Spring chickens, lb	20	to	20
Live Stock.			
Select hogs, per cwt	7 75	to	7 75
Fat sows, cwt	5 00	to	5 50
Stags, per cwt	2 00	to	2 00
Export cattle, cwt	4 50	to	5 00
Milch cows, each	30 00	to	55 00
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, per bag	65	to	80
Sage, per dozen	20	to	20
Savory, per dozen	20	to	20
Rhubarb, per dozen	25	to	25
Green onions, per dozen	20	to	20
Radishes, per dozen	25	to	25
Cabbage, according to size	40	to	1 25
Spinach, per bu	40	to	40
Cucumbers, per dozen	45	to	75
Asparagus, per dozen	50	to	50
Dairy Produce.			
Butter, creamery, lb	23	to	26
Butter, rolls, lb	19	to	20
Butter, crock, lb	18	to	18
Eggs, crate, per dozen	18	to	20
Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen	18	to	20
Honey, strained, lb	10	to	12
Honey, in comb	12	to	15
Berries.			
Strawberries, per box	8	to	9
Strawberries, retail	10	to	12
Butchers' Meats.			
Beef, by the carcase	7 00	to	8 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	6 50	to	8 50
Mutton, per cwt	6 00	to	9 00
Veal, per cwt	7 00	to	9 00
Spring lamb, by the piece	5 50	to	6 50
Dressed hogs, per cwt	10 00	to	10 25
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	10 00	to	11 50
Straw, per load	2 75	to	5 00
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	7 00
Millfeed.			
Shorts, wholesale, ton	23 00	to	23 00
Shorts, retail, ton	25 00	to	25 00
Bran, wholesale, ton	23 00	to	23 00
Bran, retail, ton	25 00	to	25 00
Seeds.			
Alsike, per bu	10 00	to	10 00
Lucerne or alfalfa, bu	12 00	to	12 00
Clover, per bu	6 50	to	9 00
Timothy, per bu	2 75	to	2 75
Blue grass, per bu	1 50	to	2 00
Millet, per bu	1 25	to	1 75
Japanese millet, per bu	7 50	to	7 50
Oats, per bu	1 10	to	2 50
Peas, per bu	1 40	to	1 75
Beans, per bu	2 00	to	3 00
Spring wheat, per bu	1 65	to	1 75
Buckwheat, per bu	85	to	1 50
Flint corn, per bu	1 50	to	2 00

BEANS.

DETROIT.

Detroit, June 24.—Beans—Spot, $2 50; October, $2 05 bid.

GRAIN.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 25.—The market for western grain is still a little firmer than it was at the opening of the week. American corn is a shade off, following the foreign markets, but there is no demand for it, even at the recession. Business generally is very dull. Local dealers' quotations:

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 36; No. 2 northern, $1 34; No. 3 northern, $1 32, on track at lake ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 red, white or mixed, $1 38 to $1 40.

Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 81c to 81½, Toronto freights; Canadian, 76c to 77c, Toronto freights.

Oats—No. 2 white, 59c to 60c, on track at Toronto; No. 2 white, 55c to 56c; No. 3 white, 54c to 55c outside; Canada western, No. 2, 60c; No. 1 extra feed, 59¾c; No. 3, 59c.

Barley—No. 2 nominal, 62c to 63c; No. 3 extra, 62c; No. 3, 60c to 61c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 70c to 75c, according to needs.

Manitoba Flour—Quotations at Toronto: First patents, $6 20; second patents, $5 70; strong bakers, $5 50.

Ontario Flour—Ninety per cent winter wheat patents, $5 75 to $6 25, in buyers' sacks, on track at Toronto, and $5 50 to $5 outside.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $23 to $24 per ton; shorts, $24 to $25, on track at Toronto; Ontario bran, $25; shorts, $26, on track at Toronto.

DAIRY.

WINCHESTER.

Winchester, June 24.—At the meeting of the cheese board today, 538 white and 75 colored were registered. Nearly all sold on the board at 11 7-16c; six buyers present.

KINGSTON.

Kingston, June 24.—Today 11 11-16c was paid for 900 boxes, 11½c for 755 boxes and 11 5-16c for 398 boxes of cheese at the cheese board.

ALEXANDRIA.

Alexandria, June 24.—Nine hundred and four boxes of cheese sold at the meeting tonight at 11 5-16c.

VANKLEEK HILL.

Vankleek Hill, June 24.—There were 1,075 boxes white and 320 colored cheese were boarded and sold today; 1,000 sold for 11⅜c and the balance at 11 5-16c; there were seven buyers present.

BELLEVILLE.

Belleville, June 24.—At the weekly meeting of the cheese board tonight 3,900 boxes were offered; sales, 760 at 11 7-16c and 1,250 at 11⅝c; balance refused.

BROCKVILLE.

Brockville, June 24.—At the regular meeting of the cheese board today 3,095 boxes offered; 265 colored sold at 11½c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., June 24.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 22c to 25c; dairies, 20c to 23½c. Cheese—Steady; daisies, 14½c to 14½c; twins, 14½c to 14¾c; Young Americans, 14¾c to 15c; longhorns, 14½c to 14½c.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 24.—Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 8,782 packages.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 7,351 boxes.

COTTON.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 24.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady. Closing bids: June, 11.14c; July, 11.08c; August, 11.13c; September, 11.17c; October, 11.17c; November, 11.19c; December, 11.21c; January, 11.17c; March, 11.20c; May, 11.27c.

COFFEE.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 24.—Coffee—Futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points, and ruled very quiet, with the near months improving slightly on small supporting orders in the absence of offerings. Havre was one-quarter to one-half franc lower. The local market closed quiet, net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Sales were reported of 4,250 bags, including June, $6.15; July, $6 20; September, $5 75; December, $5 70; March, $5 75.

Spot quiet; No. 7 Rio, 7¾c; No. 4 Santos, 9c to 9½c; mild quiet; Cordova, 9½c to 12½c.

SUGAR.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 24.—Sugar—Wholesale quotations were: Montreal granulated, barrel, $4 70; do, yellow, $4 30; Paris lumps, 100-lb boxes, cwt, $5 85; Acadia granulated, bags, $4 60; Beaver granulated, bags, $4 30; Imperial granulated, bags, $4 30.

NEW YORK.

New York, June 24.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.42c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3.92c; molasses sugar, 3.17c; refined sugar steady. Molasses—Steady.

PRODUCE.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 23.—Farmers' produce prices today: Butter, dairy, choice, lb, 22c to 25c; do, ordinary, 20c to 21c; chickens, dressed, lb, 22c to 23c; fowl, 15c to 16c.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, June 23.—Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western winter nominal. Futures firm; July, 9s 2¾d; September, 8s 7¾d; December, 8s 5¾d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new (via Galveston), 5s 5d. Futures steady; July, 5s 7¾d; September, 5s 7¾d.

Cheese—Canadian finest white and colored, new, steady, 58s 6d.

Turpentine Spirits—Strong, 33s 6d.

Rosin—Common firm, 8s 4½d.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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

Chicago, June 25, 1909

Wheat, July	1 14¼	1 15⅞	1 14½	1 15⅞
Sept	1 09	1 10¼	1 09	1 10¼
Dec	1 07¼	1 08⅞	1 07¼	1 08⅞
Corn, July	69⅝	70⅜	69⅝	70¼
Sept	67¾	68	67⅜	67¾
Dec	58	58⅛	57¾	58
Oats, July	50	50¼	49⅞	50⅜
Sept	43⅛	43⅜	43¼	43⅜
Dec	43⅛	44	43⅜	43⅜
Pork, July	20 00	20 10	19 90	20 10
Sept	20 17	20 35	20 10	20 35
Lard, July	11 82	11 82	11 70	11 75
Sept	11 87½	11 92	11 80	11 80
Ribs, July	11 12	....	....	....
Sept	11 02	....	....	....

LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 24.—An unexpected light run of cattle for the past two days' markets firmed prices considerably today. Trade was very brisk, with quite a few outside representatives among the buying crowd, and the result was that prices were higher today than any day this week. There was quite a run on butcher cows, and excepting for anything very common and of inferior quality, cows were 10c to 20c higher. Choice butcher steers and heifers were very firm and selling strong up to $5 05. Medium butcher cattle were much in demand, and not enough of them available at around $5 to $5 25.

Choice picked export cattle sold at around $6 50.

The run for yesterday and today included 93 loads, with 1,254 head of cattle, 1,028 sheep and lambs, 750 hogs and 436 calves

Exporters—Market steady; extra choice heavy well-finished cattle firm at $6 to $6 50; medium, $5 75 to $6.

Butchers—Steady demand for choice butcher cattle, and prices steady to firm; medium cattle steady to firm; common easier.

Stockers and Feeders—Demand for good stock; market steady.

Calves—Market steady for good butcher calves.

Milch Cows and Springers—Good market for good quality milkers and near springers, but common are not wanted.

Feeders are wanted and are firm around $5, and not too many offering.

Choice butcher cattle are steady to firm around $5 25 to $5 80 for picked extra choice heifers and steers; the ordinary run of fair to good butchers are steady around $4 75 to $5; common to inferior mixed butcher cattle easier; cows off about 50c.

Hogs—The market is strong at $7 75, f. o. b., and $7 90 to $8, fed and watered.

Lambs—Market steady to firm; spring lambs are quoted at 8½c to 9¼c per lb.

Sheep—Market easy.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, June 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 75 head; steady; prime steers, $6 85 to $7 15. Veals—Receipts, 2,000 head; steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000 head; strong to 5c higher; best grades of Yorkers and pigs steady; heavy, $8 to $8 10; Yorkers, $7 15 to $7 90; pigs, $7; roughs, $6 75 to $7; dairies, $7 35 to $7 90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; active and 25c lower; lambs, $4 50 to $8 75; yearlings, $6 50 to $6 75; wethers, $5 25 to $5 50.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, June 25.—Cattle receipts estimated at 1,000; market strong; beeves, $5.10 to $7.85; Texas steers, $4.75 to $6.25; western steers, $4.75 to $6.25; stockers and feeders, $3.60 to $5.50; cows and heifers, $2.50 to $6.50; calves, $5.50 to $7.50.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 9,000; market 5 cents higher; light, $7.05 to $7.70; mixed, $7.25 to $7.85; heavy, $7.30 to $7.90; roughs, $7.30 to $7.50; good to choice, heavy, $7.50 to $7.90; pigs, $6.10 to $6.90; bulk of sales, $7.45 to $7.75.

Sheep receipts estimated at 7,000; market steady; natives, $3.50 to $5.85; western, $3.75 to $5.75; yearlings $6 to $7; lambs, native, $5 to $8; western, $5.50 to $8; spring lambs, $5.50 to $8.85.

POTATOES.

TORONTO

Toronto, June 24.—Potatoes—A couple of sales of car lots were reported this morning. The market is still slow, however, and prices are still at 85c to 90c in car lots on track here, or $1 to $1 05 per bag in store.

HAY.

TORONTO.

Toronto, June 24.—Baled Hay—No. 1 timothy, $12 50 to $13; inferior, $9 to $10, on track at Toronto.

Baled Straw—The range is from $7 50 to $8, according to quality.

TODAY'S STOCKS.

COBALT.

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

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, June 25.—Noon quotations on the Standard Mining Exchange: Beaver, 39½; Green-Meehan, 14; Rochester, 14; Chambers-Ferland, 50; Kerr Lake, 7.75; Nova Scotia, 39; Crown Reserve, 3.42; La Rose, 8.00; Silver Leaf, 11; Cobalt Lake, 13½; Little Nipissing, 26; Silver Queen, 35; Caniagas, 6.20; Nipissing, 10.50; Temiskaming, 94; Foster, 26; Otisse, 40; Trethewey, 1.30; Peterson Lake, 38.

Toronto, June 24.—Mining exchange prices today:

	High.	Close.
Beaver Consolidated	39½	39½
City of Cobalt	41½	41½
Cobalt Central	38	38
Cobalt Lake	13½	13¼
Coniagas	6.25	6.25
Crown Reserve	3.44	3.44
Gifford	20	19
Great Northern	16½	16¼
La Rose	8.04	8.02
Little Nipissing	26¼	26¼
McKinley-Darragh	93½	93½
Nipissing	10.60	10.60
Nova Scotia	38	37¾
Otisse	38¼	38
Peterson Lake	27	26
Silver Leaf	11¼	11
Temiskaming	93¼	90

By private wire to H. C. Becher, London, from Harris, Winthrop & Co.

New York, June 25.—Americans in London heavy, one-eighth to one-half lower. Coppers weak.

Revived rumor of purchase of control of Western Union by American Telephone, but story not confirmed.

The weather reports indicate no early relief from the heat.

German minister defeated on inheritance tax, and resignation of Chancellor Von Buelow expected.

Federal suit against Boston and Maine merger dropped.

July interest and dividend disbursements will exceed $218,000,000.

London settlement concludes today.

Corporation tax amendment to tariff bill comes before senate today.

Gold shipments expected in near future.

July disbursements will not tighten money market here or abroad.

Twelve industrials advanced .59.

Twenty active rails advanced .75.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Ont.,	Ask'd 1.	June 25 Bid
Packers A	..	91
Packers B	..	90
Bell Telephone	149	..
Canadian General Electric	116	..
Canadian Pacific	182	179¾
City Dairy, pref	..	91
C. N. W. Land	195	..
Consumers Gas	204¼	203½
Crow's Nest	100	..
Dominion Coal, com	75	72½
Dominion Steel com	43¼	43
Dominion Iron and Steel, pfd	125	..
Dominion Telegraph	..	106
Duluth, com	..	16
Electric Development	..	55
International Coal	80	..
Illinois Traction, pref	94	93
Lake of the Woods	113½	112½
Laurentide Paper, com	..	120
Laurentide Paper, pref	..	120
McKay, com	81	79½
McKay, pref	74¼	73½
Mexican L. & P.	..	67
Niagara Navigation	..	127
Northern Navigation	..	110
N. S. Steel, com	68	67½
Prairie Lands	..	220
R. & O. Navigation	..	80
Sao Paulo	144¼	143¼
St. L. & C. Navigation	..	117
Toronto Electric Light	..	115
Twin City	104½	104
Winnipeg Railway	187½	..
Penman	..	54
Porto Rico	..	45
Rogers, com	..	115
Shredded Wheat	31	..
Shredded Wheat, pref	96	..
La Rose	800	799
Nipissing	10.50	..
Trethewey	..	129
Bank of Commerce	184	183
Dominion Bank	242	..
Bank of Hamilton	205	204
Imperial Bank	231	229
Merchants Bank	..	158
Bank of Montreal	253	250
Bank of Nova Scotia	..	252¾
Bank of Ottawa	..	209¼
Standard Bank	229	..
Bank of Toronto	220	..
Traders Bank	..	139¼
Agricultural Loan	..	120
Canada Landed	..	156
Canada Permanent	162	158
Central Canada	100	..
Hamilton Provident	..	125
Huron & Erie	..	192
Landed Banking	..	124
National Trust	..	163
Ontario Loan	..	140
Ontario Loan, 20%	..	122
Toronto General Trusts	..	158
Commercial Cable bonds	..	90
Electric Development	..	88¾
Rio Janeiro Bonds	..	92
Sao Paulo Bonds	98	..

Morning Sales: Dominion Steel, 50 at 42, 25 at 43¼, 25 at 43¼, 25 at 43¼, 25 at 43½, 50 at 43½, 50 at 43¼; Sao Paulo, xd., 5 at 143¼, 5 at 153¼, 25 at 153½, 2 at 144, 100 at 143½, 75 at 143½, 100 at 143½, 5 at 144, 25 at 144, 10 at 144, 5 at 144, 10 at 155; La Rose, 500 at 8.00, 60 at 8.00, 50 at 8.00, 100 at 8.0, 75 at 8.00, 10 at 8.00; Nipissing, 50 at 10.4, 50 at 10.40; Bank of Hamilton, 15 at 205; Winnipeg, 1 at 183, 20 at 184, 25 at 184, 10 at 184; Trethewey, 100 at 129, 100 at 130; Twin City, 25 at 104¼, 10 at 104, 20 at 104¼, 5 at 104½; Woods, 15 at 113½, 10 at 113½, 50 at 113¾; Rio, 50 at 86¼, 25 at 86¼, 25 at 86¼; Bank of Commerce, 37 at 183; R. & O., 10 at 81⅞; Canada Permanent, 65 at 160, 11 at 161, 20 at 160; General Electric, 10 at 114; Mackay, xd., 5 at 80½, 25 at 80, 10 at 80; Mexican L. & P., 5 at 68; Dominion Caol, xd., 10 at 72⅞.

Ex-dividend: City Dairy, common, 1 per cent.

MONTREAL

Montreal June 25, 1909	Ask'd.	Bid
Bell Telephone	147	145
Packers A	..	94
Packers B	95	94
Can. Converters	43	41
Canadian Pacific	181⅞	180⅞
Detroit Electric	64	60
Dominion Coal, com	73¼	72¾
Dominion Iron & Steel	43¼	43⅛
Dominion Iron & Steel, pref	123¼	123⅛
Halifax Electric	115	..
Havana Electric, com	..	59
Illinois Traction, pref	..	93
International Coal	79	79
Lake of the Woods, com	113¼	113
Mackay, com	80¾	80⅝
Mackay, pref	74½	..
Mexican L. & P., com	70¼	67
Minneapolis & St. Paul	138¾	138½
Montreal L., H. & P.	123¾	122
Montreal Street Railway	217⅜	217
Montreal Steel Works	..	83
Montreal Telegraph	160	154
Nipissing	11	..
Nova Scotia Steel & Coal	68	67¼
Ogilvie Milling, com	125	124¾
R. & O. Navigation	81	81½
Rio de Janerio	87	86¼
Toronto Railway	124	123⅜
Twin City	..	104
Winnipeg Electric	..	183¾
Shawinigan	95¾	..
Quebec Railway, com	56	54¾
Penman, com	53⅜	53⅛
Porto Rico	46	..
Merchants Bank	..	162
Molsons Bank	201	..
Bank of Montreal	251¼	250
Bank of Nova Scotia	250	..
Bank of Ottawa	..	210
Quebec Bank	125	..
Royal Bank	234	..
Bank of Toronto	220	..
Textile, com	72	70¾
Rubber, com	89¾	89
Rubber, pfd	119⅞	119
Canada Colored Cotton	53	50
Dominion Textile, pref	108	107¾
Montreal Cotton	130	127⅞
Reserve	345	342¾
Rubber bonds	97¾	97
Dominion Coal bonds	97⅝	97¼
Dominion Cotton Bonds	102½	..
Dominion Iron & Steel Bonds	95	92¾
Laurentide Paper Bonds	..	110
Mexican Electric Bonds	86	..
Mexican L. & P. Bonds	87⅜	80
Montreal Street Railway Bonds	100¾	..
Rio Jan Tram	94¾	..
Textile Ser. A	..	95
Textile Ser B	95½	97
Textile ser. C	95½	95
Penman, pref	92	89¾

Morning Sales: C. P. R., 5 at 182, 100 at 181⅞, 25 at 181½; Montreal Railway, 4 at 217; Power, 20 at 122¼; Mackay, 25 at 80½, 25 at 80⅝, 25 at 80¾; Winnipeg Electric, 20 at 184½; Halifax Railway, 3 at 112; Sao Paulo, 10 at 144½; Penmans, 30 at 54; Quebec Railway, 25 at 55; Twin City, 10 at 103¾; Rio, 25 at 86; Toronto Railway, 7 at 124; Havana, 100 at 59½; R. & O., 10 at 82; Soo, common, 125 at 139; Packers, A, 5 at 95; do, B, 5 at 95; do, H, 5 at 95; Quebec Bank, 15 at 124; Iron, common, 135 at 43, 100 at 43¼, 400 at 43⅜, 25 at 43¼, 50 at 43⅛, 50 at 43⅛; Scotia, 25 at 67½; Woods, 50 at 113½; Textile, 25 at 71; do, preferred, 50 at 107½; Reserve, 1,000 at 3.42½, 170 at 3.44, 300 at 3.43, 150 at 3.44, 200 at 3.45; Rubber, common, 209 at 89¾, 25 at 89¾; Montreal Railway, bonds, 4,500 at 100; Bank of Commerce, 1 at 180; Coal, common, 25 at 72¾, 50at 73; Woods, preferred, 20 at 122; Bank of Montreal, 6 at 250; Merchants' Bank, 2 at 162¼; Rubber, bonds, 5,000 at 97; Iron, preferred, 50 at 123½

NEW YORK.

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New York, June 25.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper	81⅛	81½	80¼	81½
American Sugar	123½	123½	123¼	123¼
American Foundry	56¼	..	..	..
American Refining	90½	90¾	89⅝	90⅜
Amer Cotton Oil	75	..	..	..
Atchison, com	58¼	58⅝	58⅛	58¼
Baltimore & Ohio	117¼	117¾	116⅞	117¼
Brooklyn Transit	78¾	79¼	78⅝	79½
Canadian Pacific	181¼	181¼	180½	180¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	76⅞	77¼	76⅞	76⅞
Chicago & G. W.	2¼	..	..	..
Col. Fuel & Iron	43¾	43¾	42⅞	43¼
Erie, com	35¾	35¾	35	35⅜
Erie, pfd	52	..	..	..
G. Northern, pfd	149¼	149¼	148⅞	148⅞
Illinois Central	148⅜	..	..	..
Inter-Metropolitan	17	17¼	16⅝	17¼
Inter-Met., pfd	48¾	51	48¾	50⅜
Kansas & Texas	41⅛	41⅜	41	41
Mexican Central	24⅝	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	73½	73½	73	73
New York Central	133	133¼	132⅝	133
Northern Pacific	151½	151½	150½	151
Norfolk & Western	90½	..	..	..
National Lead	85	85⅝	85	85⅝
Ontario & Western	53	53	52½	52¾
Pacific Mail	30⅞	31	30⅞	31
Pennsylvania	136⅜	136½	136⅛	136⅜
Pressed tSeel Car	42¼	..	..	..
Reading	153¼	154	152	154
Republic Steel	31	..	..	..
Rock Island	31	31¼	30½	31
Southern Railway	31	31⅜	31	31⅛
Southern Pacific	130¼	131⅜	130	130⅞
St. Paul	152½	152½	151⅝	152
Texas Pacific	34½	..	..	..
Union Pacific	193½	193⅝	192½	193⅜
U. S. Steel	66⅜	66¼	66	66½
U. S. Steel, pfd	123¾	123⅞	123½	123⅞
Wabash, com	21⅜	21¾	21½	21¾
Wabash, pfd	56	56⅜	55½	55¾
Western Union Tel	72	73⅛	72	73⅛

Local Items

—Mr. G. Gosling, who was formerly organist of the First Congregational Church of this city, is leaving for Arnprior, where he has accepted the position of organist in the Presbyterian Church.

—The following pupils of Miss Yealland, ably assisted by Miss Devena Scot, vocal pupil of Miss Brown and Miss Reita Brown, elocution pupil of Miss Anthistle, gave an interesting recital at Conservatory Hall, last evening: Misses Vivian Langford, Velma Wylie, Naomi Walker, Ethel Rymill, Blanche Tancock, Mabel Dexter, Hazel Haskett, Ethel Wilson, Muriel Mitchelltree, Florine Crummer, Marjory Dexter, Jean Govenlock, Mary Nicholson, Masters Wilfred Glenn and Lorne Little.

Rifle Match.

The sergeants of the Seventh Regiment will hold a rifle match at Thorndale tomorrow afternoon.

Weekly High Court.

There are only two cases to be heard at the weekly high court tomorrow. Chief Justice Sir William Meredith is expected to preside.

Enjoyable Picnic.

The first annual picnic of St. John the Evangelist Women's Auxiliary was held yesterday afternoon at Springbank. In spite of the rain, a very enjoyable time was spent.

Died in Peterboro.

At 839 Water street, Peterboro, on June 23, the death occurred of Susanna Sutton, wife of the late James Weir, of Forest, and mother of Miss J. Weir, of this city.

Washout on G. T. R.

The heavy rain yesterday at noon caused a slight washout on the Grand Trunk near Beachville. In several places the track was undermined by the water and express No. 6, which leaves here at noon, was delayed for some time while the places were filled in with gravel.

Death of Mrs. Price.

Mrs. Elizabeth Price, wife of Mr. John Price, died at her home, 184 Wellington street, this morning, after a brief illness. Mrs. Price was 78 years old, and had resided in London for many years. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Alleged Stabbing Case.

The two Gootson brothers, of Glencoe, who were arrested by Constable McLeod over a week ago, charged with stabbing and otherwise injuring Samuel Ketry, also of Glencoe, appeared before Squire Chittick this afternoon. A number of witnesses were called and at the time of going to press the case was still under consideration.

Furious Driving Case.

In the police court this morning George Gales, a young colored man, was charged with immoderate driving. Another young man named Maudsley, who was with Gales at the time, is wanted by the police in connection with the case, and Magistrate Love adjourned the hearing until next Tuesday. The case of Ellen Hunter, charged by Annie Lotan with nonpayment of wages, was adjourned until next week.

Alleged Slander.

A writ has been issued by Messrs. Meredith, Judd & Meredith on behalf of Anastatias Fallas and Anastatias Kopsioftis, restaurant proprietors, of this city, against Peter Christikrus, also of this city, for damage for alleged slander, and for an injunction to restrain the defendant from publishing defamatory statements in reference to the plaintiff's trade and business.

EAST LONDON

EAST END FIRE HALL STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Hose Tower Suffered During the Storm of Thursday Afternoon.

The hose tower on No. 2 fire hall was struck by lightning yesterday afternoon while the storm was at its height, the bolt ripping part of the roof off and running down the electric light wire where it knocked the bottom off and put everything out of business. The phones were cut off and the alarm gongs put out of commission. The damage was repaired as soon as possible.

Ten alarm boxes in different parts of the city were blown out. The horses, which were standing in the stalls at the bottom of the hose tower were thrown off their feet by the bolt, and according to the men at the station, the hall was filled with smoke and sulphur for some minutes. The animals were not injured, however.

The gongs rang incessantly while the storm was in progress, sparks flying from all the wires in great style.

COURT STELLA.

The regular meeting of Court Stella of the Ancient Order of Foresters was held in Society Hall on Dundas street east last evening, and routine business conducted.

How Very Provoking

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OAKHALL

154 DUNDAS ST. WM. GIBSON, Manager

MOTORMAN CLARK KNOWS WHAT TO DO

Plugged His Car and Avoided Serious Accident on Dundas Street East.

A buggy driven by Mr. Joseph Miller, of 328 Hill street, was struck by Ottaway car No. 17, on Dundas street, east, in front of the street railway offices, at 10:30 this morning, the wheels being broken.

Mr. Miller was driving west, and did not notice the car coming up behind him, and running in the same direction. He is said to have crossed directly in front of it, but owing to the speed with which Motorman Hugh Clark plugged his car, the collision did not result more seriously.

The car was in charge of Conductor John Henderson and Motorman Clark.

STREET CAR STRUCK DELIVERY WAGON

One of Parsons' Rigs Came to Grief on Dundas Street East.

One of the delivery wagons of Parsons' hardware was struck by an eastbound car at the corner of Glebe and Dundas street yesterday afternoon, the wagon being broken and the horse cut and bruised.

Will Hunter was driving at the time, and as he turned off Glebe street the car approached at a very fast rate, the motorman being unable to avert a collision.

EAST END PICNIC.

A general meeting of the members of the East London Businessmen's Association was held last evening, all committees reporting. Everything is in first-class shape for the picnic now, and the programme for the big event on July 14 will be handed out shortly. President Thomas Shaw occupied the chair.

EAST END NOTES.

The funeral of Miss Jane Lewis, who died yesterday afternoon, will be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence of her nephew, Mr. George Lewis, 525 Quebec street, to St. Johns Cemetery, and the services will probably be conducted by Rev. G. N. Hazen, of Centennial Methodist Chucrh.

Miss Lewis was in her 87th year, and had been ill for some time.

LINNELL—BUSKARD.

The wedding took place at the King Street Presbyterian Church manse, 718 Queen's avenue, last night, at 9:30, of Miss Bertha K. Buskard, to Mr. Arthur William Linnell, both of this city. They were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Linnell will reside at 21 Kitchener avenue.

CHARGE—MOWAT.

Miss Margaret Mowat, of London, and Mr. Wilfred K. Charge, of Winnipeg, were united in marriage Thursday at the home of the bride's parents, 497 Charlotte street. The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and was performed by Rev. Joseph Jones, of St. Marys, a brother-in-law of the bride, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride, who was given away by her father, Mr. Wm. Mowat, was charmingly attired in a princess gown of white silk mull, and carried a shower bouquet of cream roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Mowat, who was formerly soprano soloist of King Street Presbyterian Church choir, is well known in the city. Mr. and Mrs Charge left on the 6:53 p.m. train for