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Sharp Slide in Quotations at the

Week End-Local Prices

Are High.

The well defined plan of stepping values down without disrupting the small amount of confidence now left in the New York

market has been proceeded with this week. Complete irregularity has marked the fluctuations and with the exception of one

or two incidents it cannot be charged that

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ly wrought up

Lawson said to be heavily interested in Copper and Steel preferred. Bradstreet's says cold and rainy weather affected general trade, and iron trade less

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STOCK EXCHANGE.

Price of Oil, Pittsburg, May 20 .- Oil closed at \$1,29.

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It is highly improbable that they have met with mach success.

Interest in local securities shows about the same listlessness us has marked the trading for several weeks past. The buoyarcy under active manipulation which was eximat, a week ago, was entirely lost after the epening of the present week. The weeksness at New York permitted values to be lowered, but this was the result rather than an actual cause. There has been no charge in conditious on when to determine values, and most of the week's liquidations has emanated from small traders anxious has emanated from small traders anxious has enabated from small traders anxious has enabled from small traders anxious has enabated from small traders anxious has enabled from small traders anxious has enabated from small traders anxious has enabated from small traders anxious has enabled from small traders anxious has enabated from small traders anxious has enabated from small traders anxious has enabated

Price of Silver. Bar silver in London, 27 1/kd per oz. Bar silver in New York, 58 1/ke per Mexican dollars, 45c.

Montreal, May 20.—Clost to-day:
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Toledo Raliway
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Detroit Raliway
Dominion Steel
Twin City
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Montreal L. H. & P.
Nova Scotia
Dominion Coal
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—Sales.—
Detroit Raliway—50 at \$ Earnings Detroit United, second week of May, increase, \$13,243.

—Sales.—
Detroit Railway.—50 at 87½, 50 at 88, 100 at 88½, 310 at 88½, 175 at 88, 150 at 87‰, 25 at 87%.
Steel.—87 at 21, 375 at 20½, 5 at 21, Textile, B.—50 at 88, Toledo Railway.—125 at 33¾, 25 at 33½.
Steel bonds.—\$1000 at \$2%, C.P.R.—25 at 145½, 100 at 145, 25 at 144%.

New York Bank Statement.

New York May 20.—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows:

Loans increased \$20,700,900: deposits increased \$414,932,000: circulation increased. \$600,600: legal tenders decreased \$45,500: specie decreased \$4,714,100; reserve required increased \$3,730,000: surplus decreased \$4,5500: specie decreased \$4,714,100; reserve required increased \$3,730,000: surplus decreased \$8,500: do, Gulf, 8,55.

Cotton Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co. wired J. (19,000); reserve decreased \$4,759,600.

Marshall, Spader & Co. wired J. 15.
Peaty, King Edward Hetel, at the close of
the market to-day:
New York, May 20.—Rather well sustained values have been the theory of the week
in cotton, and, while only moderate activity
has prevailed, the markets both at home
and abroad have evinced a steadily increasing strength Toronto Stocks.

incident is that the chief justice lass obtained from his excellency permission to be exempted from the duty of acting as administrator of the government or as deputy governor-general in the future. The chief justice claims that the duty of notifying the senate of the sanctioning of bills on Tuesday last did not lie on him. It has, he claims, never been done before by him or his predecessors. The hour had always been fixed on the preceding day with the approval of the prime minister.

He quoted the editorial of The Toronto Globe of May 12 as indicative of Canadian opinion on the matter, beginning: "By what authority does Mr. Chamberlain pose as the interpreter of Canadian sentiment and ambition." MATTER FOR CONGRATULATION.

Association to-day by a speech in which she vigorously endorsed the at- freights. titude of Dr. Anna Shaw, in sounding the slogan. "No ballot, no babies," and declared that the president need have no fears of race suicide. She said there would always be plenty of babies, but that rapid life and shrinking from motherhood boded ill for the quality of the children of the future. Unlisted Securities, Limited, Confederation Life Building, furnish the following quotations for stocks not listed on Toronto Stock Exchange: OUT OF POLITICS NOW.

Mr. Haggart suggested that new the elections were over and the Trent Valley Canal was not a political football, \$4.83. These prices are not delivery here; that the advice of the engineers be taken and money not be wasted on these surveys. It was beyond doubt that the Trenton route was the best Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following.

Chicago, May 20.—The federal grand jury, which has been investigating the beef industry, has adjourned after having been in session exactly three months. It will reconvene on June 7. jury, which has been investigating the beef industry, has adjourned after having been in session exactly three months. It will reconvene on June 7.

Tenth Victim of Strike.

Chicago, May 20.—Policeman Patrick E. Blackwell died to-day at Mercy Hospital. His death is the tenth ascribed to the teamsters' strike. Blackwell was injured while guarding a Wells Fargo Express wagon.

Wheat May 96

Sept 80%

Crn—
May 53½

July 48

Sept 47%

Outs—
May 30%

Supplementation of the teamsters' strike. Blackwell was injured while guarding a Wells Fargo Express wagon.

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BANNERMAN ON CHAMBERLAIN.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable)
London, May 20.—Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman, addressing a mass meeting in connection with the National Liberal Federation, referred to the imperial side of Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal scheme as "the heavy artillery to which we are so accustomed, and the roar of which had never intimidated us."

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealers in Wool, Hides, Calf and Sheep Skins, Tallow, etc.:

Tallow, etc.:

Inspected hides, No. 1 steers ... \$0 00
Inspected hides, No. 2 steers ... 0 08
Inspected hides, No. 1 cows ... 0 08
Inspected hides, No. 1 cows ... 0 07½
Inspected hides, No. 2 cows ... 0 07½
Country hides, flat, at ... \$0 07½ to \$0 07½
Califskins, No. 1, selected ... 0 11
Dekins, No.1 selected, acch 0 80
Sharpskins ... 1 25
Horse hides ... 1 25
Horse hides ... 3 15
Horse hides ... 3 15
Tallow, rendered ... 0 04

London, May 20.—The Duke of Connaught, speaking at the Colonial Institute annual banquet, said it was a matter for congratulation that the British public had awakened to a more adequate sense of their responsibility as citizens of a world-wide inheritance. Lords Strathcona and Minto were amongst those present.

NO BALLOT, NO BABIES:

Wool, unwashed, hew cup. o 13

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Four—Manitoba, first patents, \$5.50 to \$5.00; banivoba, second patents, \$5.50 to \$5.00; strong bakers', \$5 to \$5.10, bags included, on track, at Toronto; Ontarlo, 90 per cent, patents, in buyers' bags, east or middle freight, \$4.50 to \$4.60; Manitoba bran, sacks, \$18.50 per ton; shorts, sacked, \$20.50 per ton, in Toronto.

Lincoln, Neb., May 19.—Dr. Freda Meat—Red and white are worth 95c, middle freight; spring, 88c, middle freight; spring, 88c, middle freight; members of the State Homoeopathic grinding in transit; No. 2 northern, 98c. Outs-Oats are quoted at 40c, high

Rye-Quoted at about 65c outside. Barley-No. 2 at 45c; No. 3X, 43c.

Ottawa, May 20.—(Special.)—Some discussion arose in the house Friday over the item of \$25,000 to complete lots, 25c higher.

Oatmeal—At \$4.35 in bags, and \$4.60 in barrels, car lots, on track at Toronto; local lots, 25c higher.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

A GRAIN PRICES STEADIER

WHEAT FUTURES RALLY

WHEAT FUTURES RALLY

Wheat and flour, \$25,200, and corn, 1,088,000; corn, 1,522,000; last week, wheat and flour, \$50,000; corn, 1,522,000; last year, wheat and flour, \$50,000; last week, wheat and flour, \$50,000; corn, 1,522,000; last year, wheat and flour, \$50,000; last week, wheat and flour, \$50,000; corn, 1,522,000; last year, wheat and flour, \$50,000. There is not very much wheat for sale and market acts very firm. We advise purchase of wheat on all recessions.

Ethis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell, McKinnon Building: Chicago, May 20.—Wheat—we have a large scalping market during the week with sharp changes in fluctuations while the situation remains practically unchanged. The solution of the solution remains practically unchanged. The position of the cash market is the predominating influence,

weather and crop news of the week suggests and the too mach rain has fallen in purpose the profession of the present of the profession of the present of the

New York Dairy Market.

New York, May 20—Butter—Firm; receipts, 5606; western factory, common to exira, 14c to 18½c.

Cheese—Easy, unchanged; receipts, 1203.

Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 18,-556

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

es%c, closed 18%c; July 92c to 9213-16c, closed 86c.

Corn—Receipts, 37,625 bushels: exports, 41,108 bushels; sales, 10,000 bushels future.

Spot steady; No. 2. 56%c, elevator, and 56%c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 vellow, 56%c; No. 2 white, 57c. Option market dull, but steadler with wheat closing unchanced to %c higher, May closed 56c; July 53%c to 53%c, closed 53%c.

Onts—Receipts, 78,000 bushels: exports, 873 bushels, Spot gulet; mixed onts, 28 to 32 lbs, 35c to 35%c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs, 35c to 35%c; natural white, 30 to 40 lbs., 36%c to 40c.

Rosh—Steady; strained, common to good, 83,70 to 83,75. Molasses—Steady, Lead—Quiet, Tin—Firm; snelter dull.

Coffee—Spot Rio qulet; mild quiet.

Suzar—Raw nominal: fair refining, 3 11-16c; centrifucal, 96 test, 45-16c; molasses sugar, 3 7-16c; refined steady.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged_Feeling Easier in the American Markets.

New Pork, May 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 322; hone on saie; feeling, weak. Cables, steady. Exports to-day, 1380 cattle and 8300 quarters or beef.
Calves—Receipts, none; feeling, nominally steady.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1441. Trade slow, but steady. Clipped lambs, at \$6.60; nushorn lambs, \$8.50; Kentucky spring lambs, at \$9.50 per cwt.
Hogs—Receipts, 2300. Feeling steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; market steady; good to prime steers, \$5.60 to \$6.75; poor to medium, \$4.40 to \$5.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 to \$5.25; cows, \$2.50 to \$5.26; cows, \$2.50 to \$5.26; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.40; bulls, \$2.60 to \$4.75; caives, \$3 to \$3.65.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market, 5c to 7½c nigher; mixed and butchers, \$5.30 to \$5.45; good to choice heavy, \$5.55 to \$5.45; hough heavy, \$5 to \$5.30; light, \$5.25 to \$5.45; bulk of sales, \$5.30 to \$6.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 2000; market, steady; good to choice wethers, snorn, \$4.75 to \$5.5; fair to choice mixed shorn, \$3.50 to \$4.50; native lambs, shorn, \$4.50 to \$6.50.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, May 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; prime steers, 86.15 to 86.60; saipping, 85.50 to 86.10; butchers', 84.75 to 85.85; heifers, 84.50 to 85.75; cows, 83.75 to 85.10; buils, \$3.25 to \$4.50.

Veals—Receipts, 500 head; active and steedy, \$4.50 to 86.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2500 head; active, strong, shade higher; heavy, 85.65 to 85.70; mixed, yorkers and pigs, \$5.70; roughs, 84.80 to \$5; stags, \$3.25 to \$3.75; dairles, \$5.40 to \$5.65. \$5.05.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,500 head; slow; lambs and wethers, 10c lower; lambs, \$4.50 to \$6.65; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$5.75; wethers, \$5.25 to \$5.40; ewes, \$4.75 to \$5; sleep, mixed, \$2.50 to \$5.

British Cattle Markets. Loudon, May 20.—Cattle are quoted at 111/4c to 121/4c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 01/4c to 01/4c per lb.; sheep, 13c to 141/4c

Vienns, May 20.—It is reported from Bel-rade, Servia, that 2000 Albanians have urrounded the town of Guillane, Albania, nd are threatening to massacre the Ser-ian population of that place.

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