BREAK IN MINORS WILL COME NEXT WEEK AT CHICAGO MEETING

Baseball men will invade Chicago early next week to attend the first big meeting of the year.

The joint conference of majors and minors at which the proposed new national agreement will come up for ratification, the major league schedule meetings, and several annual meetings of minor leagues will be held.

As a result of the various meetings there is a chance that a break may come in the ranks of the minors. The Class AA leagues, it develops, will insist that they be left free from the draft, and other factions in the minors will have varied demands to make.

For one thing there is a feeling in the minors that 25 years is too long a period for which to sign any pact. Certain members of the minor league committee also feel that the proposed new agreement does not give the minors enough voice in future baseball legislation.

There is a financial side to the signing of a new agreement also, for if the minors insist on having Judge K. M. Landis designated to act in their behalf as well as in behalf of the big leagues, they will no doubt be given an opportunity to bear a share of the burden of the expense of running his office and paying his salary.

The draft question, however, appears to be the crux of the whole matter, and it will be up to the National Association to thresh it out. The Class AA leagues, it is said, may ask that they be permitted to step into a class of their own as a third party to any agreement signed, with recognition as a "near major unit" of organized baseball. Just how this can be accomplished remains to be seen.

ST. PATRICKS ARE ADMITTED TO BE SPEEDIEST TEAM

Hams Were Outplayed at Every Stage of Game.

Hamilton, Jan. 4.—There was no doubt about St. Patricks being a better team than Hamilton last night. All the fans acknowledge that, and the score, 5 to 4, is not a true indication of the play, for in the second and third periods the visitors simply smothered Lockhart with shots, but his great work was one of the features of the game. Only in the first period did the Hamilton team shape up as worthy opponents of the visitors. The work of Wilson, Cameron, Noble and Dye was decidedly effective, the latter pair being responsible for the goals scored for the Saints.

The game was witnessed by the largest crowd that ever viewed a hockey game in Hamilton, and so great was the rush for seats that the crowd was not all seated by the time the first period had ended. The professional brand of the great winter pastime has made a hit here, and the Hams are assured of good support even if they are not out in front in the league race. There was no sparing of the hickory in last night's game, and while many penalties were handed out, all were minor ones and a great deal of the rough work escaped the eye of the referee. It was not a real rough game, however.

It looked in the first period as though the Hams might come through with flying colors. They held their own with the visitors in the general play and had better luck in the scoring, two goals getting by Mitchell, while the Saints failed to tally. They had many shots, however, and only the great work of Lockhart prevented their getting to the front earlier than they did. In the second and third periods they simply played the Hams off their feet and left no chance for any argument as to which was the better team.

NOTED STALLION BROUGHT TO U. S.

New York, Jan. 4.—Archaic, a noted stallion, who finished second in the last English Derby, arrived here yesterday on the steamship Menominee and will be taken to John Sanford's Hurricania stud at Amsterdam, N. Y. Horsemen who gathered at the pier, declared the stallion is one of the handsomest thoroughbreds ever brought to the United States. He stands 16.1 hands and is of rich chestnut color with a star and flaze. The purchase price was said to be $55,000 at present rates of exchange.

A large consignment of yearlings and mares purchased abroad by United States turfmen were also landed.

GORDON WILLIS DIES.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Sergt. Gordon Willis of the Ottawa police force died in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, last night.

Gordon Willis was a football player of ability as well as being an all-round athlete. He was for many years centre half of the Ottawa seconds, and also a member of the team that won the Quebec Union in 1914. Graduating to the seniors, he was a regular until this season, when he received a serious internal injury following the first game against Hamilton Tigers. He was compelled to undergo a serious operation from which he temporarily rallied and resumed his police duties. His injury, however, necessitated a further operation which he failed to survive.

WILL "NUMBER" PLAYERS.

Boston, Jan. 4.—Hockey players will be numbered at all games held in the new Boston arena. The management announced today this will be a new departure for the majority of college teams playing here. The Harvard team's first practice of the season was attended by more than 60 candidates. With but two exceptions the regulars lined up with a veteran seven. Coach Claflin plans a two-hour daily practice for the remainder of the season.

HON. N. W. ROWELL WILL SPEAK TO CANADIAN CLUB IN NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 4.—Canadian Press.—The Canadian Club announced today that Hon. Newton Wesley Rowell, former president of the Canadian Privy Council, and one of Canada's delegates to the assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva, will be the principal speaker at a banquet to be held at the Hotel Biltmore here on January 21. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will also be among the speakers.

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REDSKINS TO LIVE AT TOURIST CAMPS

Hotel Men Plan Novel Lure for Resort Trade.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 4.—Newly-organized Great Lakes Way camps at Traverse City and Cadillac are to become Indian camps, according to plans now being developed by Carroll F. Sweet, Hugh J. Gray and other Grand Rapids men identified with the Michigan Tourist and Resort Association. Two clubs in addition to those at Cadillac and Traverse City are contemplated.

Officers of the association feel that because Indians are already in the northern parts of the state where these camps will be located, it is good business to capitalize them.

Indian women will be at the camps weaving baskets, making pottery and pursuing other traditional occupations. Wigwams and tepees will replace bungalows, there will be canoes on the streams and the entire atmosphere of the camps will be suggestive of primitive Indian life. The two camps now in operation will open for the season June 1.

MANY PASSENGERS ARE REPORTED LOST

Fears Expressed For Members of Crew of Spanish Boat.

Madrid, Jan. 3.—One of the several boats which put out from Villa Garcia to search for the passengers and crew of the wrecked steamer Santa Isabel, returned today with forty persons who had been rescued. The vessel was on her way from the Canary Islands with two hundred passengers and crew when wrecked. The Santa Isabel was totally wrecked Saturday night on the coast of Villa Garcia. Boats from Villa Garcia began to search for survivors Sunday morning. Forty-five survivors from the wrecked steamer have been taken to Ribayara, a village on the Galician coast. The captain of the Santa Isabel was rescued, but was unconscious. Although official dispatches are lacking, it is reported that many passengers and members of the crew were lost.

The Santa Isabel went aground at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Fishing vessels which were dispatched immediately from Ferrol and Corunna, found the steamer aground in shallow water with the funnel and masts still visible.

The Santa Isabel was engaged in coastwise service between Cadiz and Corunna. It is officially stated that all passengers on board were to transship at Cadiz for Buenos Aires.

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BODY OF MISSING MAN

to his home in Toronto on probation by his father, who promised that he and his son would be in constant attendance with the patient, whose condition was greatly improved. He was not on New Year's leave, but was to stay at his home so long as his condition warranted it. However, the youth's mother died recently, and, while he was informed of her death, I do not think he realized it until he reached home, and the shock caused him to take his life. His father has accepted all responsibility for the unfortunate affair, and we are very sorry. McMahon showed no suicidal tendencies here, and if he had we would have legally committed him permanently. We parole many patients on probation, and a nurse visits them periodically to report on their condition. McMahon was a model patient during the latter period of treatment here, although at times he became confused."

BOY SACRIFICES LIFE IN EFFORT TO SAVE HIS DOG

Northampton, Mass., Jan. 4.—In an effort to save his dog, which had slid off the edge of the ice into Paradise Pond, on the Smith College grounds, yesterday, Harold Abbot, 14 years old, was drowned. The dog was rescued. The boy, who was a deaf mute, was a pupil at the Clark School for the Deaf. His father, Rev. David C. Abbot, is a missionary to India, and is now here on a furlough.

REQUIRED 20 SHOTS TO SINK FORMER GERMAN RAIDER

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 4.—Twenty 4-inch shells fired by the United States destroyer Wickes at ranges varying from 3,500 to 2,500 yards, were required to sink U-boat 88, former German high seas raider, six miles off the San Pedro breakwater, late yesterday.

BRANTFORD CROWD REFUSES TO LISTEN TO MAYOR WEDLAKE

Brantford, Jan. 4.—For the first time in Brantford's history, a newly-elected mayor was refused a hearing by the election crowd. Mayor-elect Wedlake being booed by the crowd to such an extent as to find it impossible to speak. However, Mayor McBride, who followed, fared no better, he also having to give up an attempt.

VILLA HEADS FEDERAL CAVALRY IN PURSUIT OF FORMER FOLLOWER

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 4.—Francisco Villa at the head of a force of federal cavalry, has taken the field in pursuit of one of his former followers, known as El Charro.

CARDINAL GIBBONS'S CONDITION IMPROVES.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 4.—The improvement in Cardinal Gibbons's condition, which permitted his return home yesterday, continued this morning, it was stated at the archiepiscopal residence. He enjoyed a refreshing night's sleep after an absence of nearly a month at the home of friends in Western Maryland, where he became seriously ill, and was said to be doing very well.

POET'S WARSHIPS ARE DISMANTLED

Italian Army Assumes Responsibility of Procuring Food for People.

Triest, Jan. 4.—Disarmament of warships under control of the D'Annunzian legionaries, in Fiume, continued today, all submarine chasers coming out and being taken over by the blockading fleet. The army has taken over the work of finding food for the population in the zone affected by recent attacks until the situation becomes stabilized, and legionaries are being enrolled before being taken out in groups of 300.

A score of Arditi tried to run the blockade of Fiume in a motorboat armed with a machine gun yesterday, but they were captured, and there have been other arrests of persons trying to get out of the city.

Church Thief Even Stole Pastor's Silver Cigarette Case

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Parishioners of the Episcopal Church at Winnetka, a fashionable North Shore suburb, are mystified as to the identity of the elderly gentlemen who occupied a front pew Sunday morning after he had visited the choir-room and secured all the valuables from the overcoats of the choir members.

Missing articles included the pastor's monogrammed silver cigarette case, a Derby hat and sums in cash ranging from car fare to $10.

The thief was first espied by Mrs. Archibald Shaw, a member of the choir, who saw him in the choir cloakroom. He explained that he was attending the services and lost his way. Later he was noticed among the congregation.

As the man left the church an usher shook hands with him and asked him to return. He promised to do so.

AMERICAN CITIZEN SUING MEXICAN GOVT. FOR HALF MILLION

Dr. Charles T. Sturgis Files Claim With U. S. State Department.

St. Johns, Mich., Jan. 4.—Dr. Charles T. Sturgis, formerly of this city, has filed with the state department claims for more than $500,000 against the Mexican Government, charging the loss of a ranch of 3,000 acres, and cruelties suffered by his family while held captive by Mexican bandits at La Blanca, State of Chiapas. The bandits are alleged to have driven off 3,000 head of cattle and goats, and to have destroyed the coffee plantation and buildings.

Mrs. W. H. Keenwright, Dr. Sturgis's mother-in-law, is alleged to have died of starvation, while Mrs. Sturgis was forced to do messenger duty between the bandit camp in the mountains and Mexico City, under threat of death to Dr. Sturgis. Dr. and Mrs. Sturgis were released on November 11 last, without food or money, and made their way across the United States line, the complaint says.

SWISS SOCIALISTS ARE FORBIDDEN TO ACCEPT WORK UNDER LEAGUE

Berne, Jan. 4.—Members of the Swiss Socialist party have been forbidden by that organization to engage in any work under the auspices of the League of Nations. A resolution has just been passed by the executive committee of the party declaring that acceptance of any mandate whatsoever from the league, or any institution created by it, was incompatible with the acceptance of a position of trust in the party.

ELECTED PROVISIONAL GOVERNOR OF FIUME

Rome, Jan. 4.—Anton Grossisch was elected provisional governor of Fiume by the communal council of that city. The council ratified the convention recently concluded at Abbazia between representatives of Italy and Fiume, it is said in dispatches received here.

SIGN LANGUAGE AT BOSTON MARRIAGE

Boston, Jan. 4.—A marriage in which the services had to be interpreted to both the bride and groom occurred here yesterday when Edwin W. Frisbee, a deaf mute, married Miss Cora F. Crocker. As the minister read the ritual aloud each sentence was repeated to the bride and groom by touch and sign language. Mr. Frisbee is senior member of the board of trustees of the New England Home for Deaf Mutes and Miss Crocker has lived there for the last year.

RECEIVER APPOINTED.

Toledo, Jan. 4.—For the second time in less than a week a receiver was appointed yesterday to take charge of a branch railroad of the Toledo Railways and Light Company, a subsidiary of the Henry L. Doherty Company of New York.

Last week the United States district court named a receiver for the Toledo and Western, an interurban line running to Pioneer, Ohio, and Adrian, Mich., and today another was appointed to take charge of the Maumee Valley Railways and Light Company, a loop line 30 miles long, running around the city and through Perrysburg and Maumee.

COMBINE FRANCE'S NEEDS.

New York, Jan. 4.—A plan to combine all of France's financial needs in this market for 1921 was reported in Wall street today to be under negotiation by representatives of the French Government in the United States. The arrangement is not expected to be completed possibly before March, but if successful, it was said, all French requirements would be placed in one lot. Maturities for the year will exceed $75,000,000 in the United States, it is estimated.

WILL COMBAT OPEN SHOP.

Rochester, Jan. 4.—Decision to combat any movement for the open shop and to oppose wage decreases until the cost of living shall have been materially reduced was made at yesterday's session of the executive board of the United Shoe Workers of America here. The board tomorrow will begin discussions of a plan for a working alliance between labor organizations outside the American Federation of Labor.

HULL'S POLICE RECORD.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—According to the annual report of the chief of police of Hull, Quebec, there were 2,712 arrests in that city during the past year. Of this number only 400 were residents of the city. "Drunks" constituted the major portion of the offenders, 1,780 having faced the magistrate in the twelve months.

In 1919 there were 1,622 arrests made.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

HAY PRICES ARE SLIGHTLY EASIER

Live Hogs Bring $15 Per Cwt. —Potatoes Slow.

Twenty loads of hay were offered at the London market today, as compared with 12 loads yesterday. The price was slightly easier, being from $26@29 per ton, but most of it sold at $27@28.

Two loads of straw brought $12@12 50.

Oats ranged from $1 50@1 53 per cwt, being in better demand.

For select live hogs for tomorrow's shipments $15 was paid, and dressed hogs realized $21 50@22 per cwt.

There was a poor sale for potatoes at $1 75 per bag wholesale, and the demand for this product is likely to remain slow for some time.

Eggs remained unchanged at 75c per crate, 80c per basket, and 90c by the single dozen.

Very little poultry was offered, and prices remained unchanged.

Grain, Per Cwt.—			
Oats, new, per cwt...	$1 50	to	$1 53
Wheat, per cwt.....	2 67	to	2 75
Barley, per cwt.....	1 75	to	2 00
Buckwheat, per cwt..	2 75	to	2 75
Grain, Per Bushel—			
Oats, new, per bu...	51	to	51½
Wheat, per bu.....	1 60	to	1 65
Barley, per bu.....	84	to	96
Buckwheat, per bu..	1 32	to	1 32
Vegetables—			
New potatoes, bu.....	1 50	to	1 60
do, bag, retail.....	1 90	to	1 90
do, wholesale.....	1 75	to	1 75
Lettuce, per doz.....	50	to	50
Parsley, per doz.....	40	to	50
Onions, per bu.....	1 00	to	1 25
do, per qt.....	15	to	15
do, per peck.....	25	to	25
Cabbage, per doz.....	40	to	40
Beets, per bu.....	50	to	50
Carrots, per bu.....	50	to	50
Celery, per doz.....	60	to	1 00
Turnips, per bu.....	40	to	50
Parsnips, per bu.....	60	to	75
Fruits, Retail—			
Apples, per bu.....	50	to	80
do, per bbl.....	2 00	to	2 50
Honey, Wholesale—			
Honey, 5-lb pail.....	1 50	to	1 55
do, comb.....	28	to	28
Honey, Retail—			
Honey, 5-lb pail.....	1 50	to	1 60
do, comb.....	30	to	30
Hay and Straw—			
Timothy hay, ton....	26 00	to	29 00
Clover hay, ton.....	26 00	to	28 00
Straw, per ton.....	12 00	to	12 50
Dairy Products, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	62	to	62
do, dairy, lb.....	60	to	60
do, crock, lb.....	59	to	59
Eggs, strictly fresh..	80	to	90
Dairy Products, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	58	to	58
do, dairy, lb.....	55	to	57
do, crock, lb.....	55	to	55
Eggs, fresh doz.....	70	to	80
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Turkeys, per lb.....	65	to	65
Geese, per lb.....	38	to	40
Ducks, per lb.....	40	to	40
Chickens, each.....	1 00	to	1 75
do, per lb.....	35	to	35
Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale—			
Chickens, per lb.....	32	to	32
Hens, per lb.....	20	to	28
Turkeys, per lb.....	60	to	60
Geese, per lb.....	35	to	35
Ducks, per lb.....	35	to	35
Live Fowl—			
Ducks, per lb.....	25	to	25
Geese, per lb.....	30	to	30
Old fowl, per lb.....	20	to	20
Chickens, per lb.....	25	to	25
Live Stock—			
Fat sows, cwt.....	10 00	to	10 00
Small pigs, pair.....	12 00	to	15 00
Hogs, per cwt.....	15 00	to	15 00
Dressed Meats, Wholesale—			
Dressed hogs, cwt...	21 50	to	22 50
Veal, choice, 100 to 125 lbs, cwt.....	22 00	to	25 00
do, 85 to 100 lbs....	20 00	to	20 00
Heifers and steers, 500 to 600 lbs.....	17 00	to	18 00
do, 400 to 500 lbs....	15 00	to	16 00
Cow beef, choice, 500 to 600 lbs.....	15 00	to	15 00
do, 400 to 500 lbs...	13 00	to	13 00
Lambs, choice, 35 to 40 lbs.....	25 00	to	26 00
do, 25 to 35 lbs.....	23 00	to	24 00
Dressed Meats, Retail—			
Pork, hinds, lb.....	24	to	25
do, fronts, lb.....	22	to	23
Beef, hinds, lb.....	20	to	21
do, fronts, lb.....	15	to	16
Veal, hinds, lb.....	35	to	35
do, fronts, lb.....	30	to	30
Lamb, hinds, lb.....	35	to	35
do, fronts, lb.....	30	to	32
Hides—			
Cow hides, No. 1.....	5	to	6
do, No. 2.....	4	to	5
Calf skins, No. 1.....	8	to	8
do, No. 2.....	6	to	6
Lamb skins, each.....	40	to	40
Horse hides, each....	2 00	to	3 00
Kip, per lb.....	6	to	6

FLOUR.

TORONTO, Jan. 3.—Ontario Flour—90 per cent patent, $8.25, bulk, seaboard.

Manitoba Flour—Government standard, track, Toronto, cash prices: first patents, $11.10; do., second, $10.60.

Millfeed—In carlots, delivered Montreal freights, bags included; bran, $38@40 per ton; shorts, $42 per ton; good feed flour, $2.75@3 per bag.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 3.—Flour—Unchanged to 30c higher; carlots, family patents, per barrel, 98-lb. cotton sacks, $9.40@10.

Shipments—61,910 barrels.

Bran—$26@27.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Flour—Firm; spring patents and Kansas straights, $9@9.75; spring clears, $7.50@8; winter straights, $8.75@9.25.

MONTREAL, Jan. 3.—A fairly good trade was done in Manitoba bran, but the movement in shorts was slow today.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, new standard, $11.10.

Rolled Oats—Per bag, 90 lbs., $3.70.

Bran—$40.25.

Shorts—$42.25.

POTATOES.

MONTREAL, Jan. 3.—The potato market showed no change today.

Potatoes—Per bag, carlots, $1.55@1.60.

HAY.

TORONTO, Jan. 3.—Hay—Baled, on track, Toronto, carlots, $29@30 per ton; No. 1 loose, $35@37 per ton..

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Hay—Quiet; No. 1, $1.75@1.85; No. 2, $1.65@1.75; No. 3, $1.50@1.60; shipping, $1.30@1.40.

MONTREAL, Jan. 3.—There was no improvement in the baled hay market today.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $30@31.

COFFEE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The market for coffee futures today closed at a net loss of 10 to 18 points. Closing bids: January, 5.84; March, 6.34; May, 6.76; July, 7.13; September, 7.37; October, 7.49; December, 7.73.

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SUGAR.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Raw sugar opened steady at 4⅝c for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 5.39c for centrifugals. There were sales of 23,000 bags of Cubas, in port, to a local refiner at 4⅝c, cost and freight.

Refined sugar was steady, with fine granulated quoted at $7.90 to $8. There was a light demand.

The market for sugar futures was quiet, and after opening 20 points lower continued to ease off under liquidation. Prices were at the lowest at noon.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The market for cotton futures closed higher today. Closing bids:

January, 15.47; March, 14.60; May, 14.30; July, 14.90; October, 14.85.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 16.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 3.—Cotton—Spot, in fair request; prices steady.

American middling, fair, 13.49d; good middling, 10.99d; fully middling, 9.99d; middling, 8.74d; low middling, 6.99d; good ordinary, 5.49d; ordinary, 4.74d. The sales of the day were 3,000 bales, including 2,700 American bales. The receipts were 24,000 bales, including 15,500 American bales. The futures closed steady.

CHEESE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Cheese—Steady; receipts 1,350 boxes; state, whole milk flats, held specials, early make, 27½@28c; do., fall make, 25@26c; do., average run, 24@25c; state, whole milk flats, fresh specials, 24@25c; do., average run, 22@23c.

MONTREAL, Jan. 3.—The undertone to thec heese market was firm.

Cheese—Finest easterns, 24½@25c.

COTTON.

Liverpool, Jan. 4.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady; Jan., 9.59d; Feb., 9.56d; March, 9.70d; April, 9.74d; May, 9.80d; June, 9.80d; July, 9.81d; Aug., 9.80d; Sept., 9.78d; Oct., 9.76d; Nov., 9.76d.

PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Provisions were firm, influenced by strength in the hog market.

Liverpool, Jan. 4.—Hams—Short cut, 22lbs.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 19lbs; Wiltshire cut, 225s; clear bellies, 210s; short clear backs, 191s; shoulders, square, 186s; do, New York, 146s.

Lard—Refined, 158s 6d; unrefined, 155s 6d.

OILS.

Liverpool, Jan. 4.—Turpentine Spirits—100s.

Rosin—Common, 32s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 2s 3d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 2s 4d.

London, Jan. 4.—Closing: Calcutta Linseed—£22 10s.

Linseed Oil—37s.

Sperm Oil—£60.

Petroleum—American refined, 2s 3¼d; spirits, 2s 4¼d.

Turpentine Spirits—100s.

Rosin—American strained, 39s; type G, 40s 6d.

Tallow—Australian, 59s 6d.

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—May wheat opened 1½c to 2c up at $1 92@1 92½.

Oats ⅛c to ⅜c lower for May at 58½@58¾c.

May flax ½c lower at $2 17.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Opening: Wheat—March, $1 75½; May, $1 70.

Corn—May, 76c; July 77½c.

Oats—May, 50⅝c; July, 48⅞c.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Wheat prices reacted somewhat today from yesterday's sharp advance. Doubt as to the stability of such a sudden gain was expressed, and there was a disposition to await new developments regarding European call and about domestic milling demand. Besides, reports were current that the Egyptian Government would try to resell 11,000,000 bushels of wheat contracted for in Australia. Opening prices, which ranged from 1¾c lower to ¼c advance, were followed by moderate setbacks all around.

Corn was bearishly affected by large receipts here. After opening unchanged to ⅜c lower, the market continued to sag.

Oats weakened with other grain, starting ⅛c off to ¼c advance, and then undergoing a general decline.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Dominion Live Stock.—Cattle—Receipts, 861. Receipts of cattle for today were fairly heavy for the season. Trade is draggy and prices fairly steady with yesterday. A heavy run will probably bring lower prices. Quotations:

Butcher steers, choice ..	$10 00	to	$11 50
do, good	9 00	to	10 00
do, medium	7 00	to	9 00
do, common	4 00	to	6 00
Butcher heifers, choice .	9 50	to	10 50
do, medium	7 00	to	9 00
do, common	4 00	to	6 00
Butcher cows, choice ...	8 00	to	9 50
do, medium	6 00	to	7 00
Canners and cutters	3 50	to	5 00
Butcher bulls, good	7 00	to	9 00
do, common	4 50	to	6 00
Feeding steers, good	9 50	to	11 00
Stockers, good	8 00	to	9 00
do, fair	6 50	to	7 50

Calves—Receipts, 57; calf trade continues brisk for choice veal at steady prices. Quotations:

Calves, choice	$15 00	to	$16 50
do, medium	11 00	to	14 00
do, common	5 00	to	10 00
Milch cows, choice	100 00	to	140 00
Springers, choice	110 00	to	150 00

Sheep—Receipts, 379. With light receipts, the lambs market remained about steady with yesterday. Quotations:

Lambs	$11 50	to	$12 50

Hogs—Receipts, 878. Packers are bidding $1 50 lower, but prospects are for steady prices. Quotations (fed and watered basis):

Hogs, selects	$16 75	to	$16 75
do, lights	14 75	to	14 75
do, heavies	15 75	to	15 75
Sows	12 75	to	13 75

GOLD AND SILVER.

London, Jan. 4.—Closing: Bar gold, 115s 10d per ounce.

Bar silver, 41⅝d per ounce.

MONEY.

London, Jan. 4.—Closing: Money, 4½ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 5⅞ per cent; three months, 6⅝ per cent.

Gold premiums at Lisbon, 140.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Jan. 4.—Closing prices today were:

British 5 per cent loan.....	83⅜
British 4½ per cent loan.....	77⅛
Consols, for money	15¼
Atchison, com.	116
Baltimore & Ohio	49
Canadian Pacific	162
Chesapeake & Ohio	53
Chicago Great Western	11⅜
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul....	41
De Beers	13¼
Denver & Rio Grande	2
Erie, com.	20
Erie, 1st pfd.	27½
Grand Trunk	5
Illinois Central	120
Louisville & Nashville	140
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	4½
New York Central	102
Norfolk & Western	138
Ontario & Western	25
Pennsylvania Railway	56
Rand Mines	2½
Reading Railway	115
Southern Railway	32
Southern Pacific	139
Union Pacific	167
United States Steel	113

EXCHANGE RATES.

New York, Jan. 4.—Sterling exchange strong; demand, $3 55; cables, $3 55¾.

Canadian dollars weak at 15¼ per cent discount.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—The local stock exchange was more than exceptionally quiet and inactive during the early trading this morning, and practically nothing worth mentioning occurred in the first half hour. Atlantic Sugar remained steady and unchanged at 21, as did also Brompton at 55¾ and Riordon at 135½. Breweries strengthened ½ point to 50 as did also Spanish River to 85½. Other important issues did not appear during the early trading.

Sales.	High.	Low.	Noon.
515 Abitibi	58	56¾	56¾
5 Ames, pfd.	30	..	..
5 Asbestos, pfd. ...	88¼	..	..
175 Atlantic Sugar ..	22	21	21½
15 Bell Telephone ..	100	..	..
1660 Breweries	52½	49¾	51
190 Brazilian	32½	32	32½
515 Brompton	56½	55½	55½
10 B. C. Fishing.....	58	..	..
10 Can. Cement	58	..	..
130 Can. Steamships..	48½	48	48
10 do. pfd.	68	..	..
50 Can. Cottons	73	..	..
25 Con. Smelters.....	17½	..	..
100 Detroit United ...	90¾	90½	90¾
10 Dom. Bridge	87½	..	..
10 Dom. Steel, pfd...	65	..	..
45 Gen. Electric	94½	94½	94½
40 Kaministiquia ...	87	..	..

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MAJOR P. A. CURRY, general manager White Star-Dominion Line in Montreal, was for three years, previous to assuming his present duties in Montreal a year ago, director of embarkation for the British Ministry of Shipping at New York. He was formerly with the White Star Line in Southampton, Eng., and on the outbreak of war joined the Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry Regiment. In 1915 he was wounded at Ypres, and soon afterwards discharged from the army and sent to New York. For his services with the ministry of shipping, Major Curry was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal by direction of President Wilson.

NEW DEVELOPMENTS IN EGGS ARE LACKING

Increase in Production Noted at Country Points—B. C. Fresh Easier.

OTTAWA, Jan. 3.—There are no new developments in the egg situation. Some increase in production is noted at country points, and Ontario country shippers report paying stores and producers 70c to 75c, and making sales at 75c to 80c, f.o.b. The state of the market depends largely on the trend of the States markets and the exchange rates.

Toronto—Steady; jobbing, specials, 95c @$1.05; do., storage extras, 78@80c; do., firsts, 70@72c.

Montreal—Quiet; jobbing specials, $1 @1.10; storage extras, easier, 75c; do., firsts, 70c.

Winnipeg—Unchanged; jobbing, storage extras, 68c; do., firsts, 60@63c; do., fresh specials, 90c; one car of storage seconds reported rolling to Toronto.

Saskatchewan—Unchanged.

Alberta—Receipts of fresh increasing; trade quoting extra, 70c; do., firsts, 66c, f.o.b. country points; storage, prices unchanged.

British Columbia—Local fresh easier; country points, 66c; 70c offered for specials; a shipment of Chinese eggs is expected early this month.

Maritime Provinces—Firm and unchanged.

Chicago—Current extras, 65@66c; refrigerator, firsts, 57½@58c; do., extras, 58½@59c.

New York—Current extra firsts, 75@76c; do., firsts, 73@74c; refrigerator, firsts, 60@61c.

260 Laurentide	93	..	..
62 Montreal Power...	82	81½	81½
25 Ogilvie, pfd.	100	..	..
50 Riordon Paper	135½	135	135
70 Shawinigan	104½	104	104½
80 Spanish River	86½	85½	86½
60 do, pfd.	94	93	94
38 Steel of Canada...	60	59½	60
50 do, pfd.	87	..	..
150 Toronto Railway..	63½	62	62¼
60 Wayagamack	88¼	88	88¼

$1000 War Loan, 1925...	92½	..	..
1000 do, 1931	90½	..	..
36000 Victory 1934	93	92½	93
23000 do, 1937	97¾	..	..
5000 do, 1923	96⅝	96	96½
2000 do 1933	96	95¾	96

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

New York, Jan. 4—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Price movements showed an uncertain trend at the dull opening of today's stock market, although gains outnumbering losses were reported. Oils and tobaccos were firm with kindred specialties and railroads and steels denoted further selling pressure. Atlantic-Gulf common soon fell 2½ points to the new low record of 67, the preferred also recording a new minimum at a loss of 1½ points. Royal Dutch, Mexican Petroleum, Tobacco Products, Retail Stores and Food Products were higher by liberal fractions to a full point.

1:30 p.m.—The break in Mexican Petroleum, for which no explanation was offered, caused actual losses of 1 to 2 points at midday. Pan-American Petroleum, American Sugar, Food Products Crucible, Mercantile Marine preferred, United States Rubber, General Asphalt, New York Central and St. Paul were among the reactionary issues.

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New York, Jan. 4.

Trunk Lines and Grangers— Open. High. Low. 2p.m.

Baltimore & Ohio.	35½	36½	35½	35⅝
Erie, com.	14½	14⅝	14½	14⅝
Erie, 1