ENTIRE N. Y. LIST HIT BY WEAKNESS IN RAILS AND OILS

Slump in Northwestern Is One of Chief Incidents in Day's Trading.

STOCKS SENSITIVE

Statement of Central Leather Company Proves To Be Very Disappointing.

By STUART P. WEST.
Special to The Advertiser.
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Wall Street, New York, July 24.—Continued weakness in shares of the northwestern railroads was one of the chief incidents in the market today. Losses of a point to more than two points occurred in Great Northern, preferred, Chicago and Northwestern, St. Paul, preferred, and Northern Pacific. The reasons for the selling in this quarter have quite often been pointed out. Great Northern is earning about 6¼ per cent against dividend requirements of 5. Northern Pacific and Chicago and Northwestern are earning less than 6 per cent and distributing 5.

No Margin Left.

St. Paul will do well if it more than covers fixed charges this year. There is no margin in any of these cases to set against losses through any reduction of grain freight rates, and the result of the depression in the wheat trade.

The fall in the northwestern issues discouraged any attempt at operations for the rise in other railway shares. At the same time belief that crude oil prices will be cut again before the end of the week caused continued pressure against the oil group. The weakness in these two directions had an unsettling effect upon the general list. It did not bring in any important selling, but it dragged prices down generally.

Specialties like Stromberg and Stewart Warner, having had a particularly rapid upturn, were more sensitive than the average to the reactionary movement. Studebaker and Chandler also came down rather easily.

Some special weakness developed in Independent Steel stocks, apparently anticipating that the mid-week reviews of the steel trade will not make stimulating reading.

Leather Industry Disappointing.

Intimations that have been heard all along that the course of the leather industry was disappointing were borne out by the Central Leather figures for the second quarter published today. This company made a fair profit during the first three months, but during the second three months it fails to cover bond interest. Central Leather stocks weakened again after the report came out.

SHIPMENTS OF CHEESE FOR WEEK INCREASE

Exports From Montreal Total 59,198 Boxes—Trade In Butter Dull.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, July 23.—The movement of cheese for the past week from the port of Montreal was the largest of any previous week this season, the total exports being 59,198 boxes, which showed an increase of 30,330 boxes compared with the previous week and an increase of 15,740 boxes with the same week last year, but the total shipments from May 1, 1923 to July 21, 1923, have been 7,770 boxes smaller than for the corresponding period of 1922, and they show a decrease of 335,473 boxes with 1921.

The export trade in butter was dull, and no shipments were made last week, as against 17,106 packages for the same week last year, and a total from May 1, 1923 to July 21, 1922, of 118,226 packages. There were no shipments of eggs last week, as against 400 cases for the same week last year, with the total for 1923 to date of 2,750 cases, as compared with 2,956 cases for the same period in 1922.

MARKS AGAIN DROP AT NEW YORK
Special to The Advertiser.

New York, July 24.—A new record low was marked for German marks at the opening of the foreign exchange market today. They were quoted at 425,530 marks to the dollar, off 61,894, the lowest price yet recorded in the consistent fall of the German currency.

DETROIT DISCOUNT RATE

Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, July 23.—Detroit clearing-house banks uniform rate of exchange on Canadian currency for Tuesday will be at a discount of $2.59 per $100.

BANK OF MONTREAL

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND of THREE per cent., upon the paid up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current quarter, payable on and after Saturday, the FIRST day of SEPTEMBER next, to Shareholders of record of 31st July, 1923.

By order of the Board,

FREDERICK WILLIAMS-TAYLOR
General Manager.

Montreal, 20th July, 1923.

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How the Stocks Closed Today

New York

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum Co. New York, July 24.—Close:

Stock.	Open	High	Low	Close
Ajax Rubber	7	7	7	7
Allied Chem.	67½	67½	66½	66½
Allis Chalmers	41	41¼	41¼	41¼
Am Bosch Mag.	35	35	33	33⅞
Am Can Co.	92⅛	92⅝	90⅛	90¼
Am Car and Fdry.	159¼	159¼	157	157
Am Hide, pfd.	38¼	38¼	37⅞	37⅞
Am Ice	94½	94½	93	93
Am Int Corp.	20	20	19⅛	19½
Am Locomotive	70	70⅛	68⅝	68⅞
Am Ship and C.	13½	13½	13½	13½
Am Smelting	57⅞	57⅞	56¼	56½
Am Steel Fdrgs.	35	35⅛	35	35⅛
Am Sugar Refin.	63½	63½	63	63
Am Sumatra	20	20	20	20
Am Tel and Tel.	122½	122½	122¼	122⅞
Am Woolen	87⅛	87⅛	85⅝	85⅝
Am Zinc & Lead.	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
Anaconda Copper.	42	42⅝	40⅞	41⅜
Atchison	99½	99½	99	99½
Atlantic Coast	114⅝	114⅝	114¼	114¼
At Gulf	13½	13⅝	13½	13⅝
Baldwin Loco	121½	122¼	119⅝	119⅝
Balt and Ohio	50¼	50¼	48⅝	48⅝
Beechnut Pack	65	65	64	64
Beth. Steel	48⅝	48⅝	46⅜	46⅞
Cal. Petroleum	22⅛	22⅛	20⅞	21¼
C. P. R.	146⅛	146⅛	145½	145½
Cen. Leather	21⅝	21⅝	20⅛	20⅛
Cerro de Pasco	41	41	40½	40½
Chandler Motor	52	52	50	50½
Ches. and Ohio	60½	60½	59⅛	59½
C., M. and St. P.	18⅝	18⅝	18½	18⅝
C., R. I. and P.	26	26	25	25
Chi. and Alton	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Chi. and G. W.	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
do. pfd.	11¼	11¼	10½	10½
Chile Copper	27	27	26⅝	26⅝
Coca Cola	78⅜	78⅜	77⅛	77⅜
Col. F. and I.	27½	27½	27½	27½
Columbia Graph.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Computing	73	73	73	73
Consol. Gas	61	61	60½	60½
Con. Textile	7⅞	7⅞	7½	7½
Corn Products	122¼	122¼	120½	120⅝
Cosden & Co.	38½	38⅝	37⅛	37¼
Crucible Steel	65½	65⅝	64	64⅛
Cuba C. Sugar	10⅞	11	10⅞	11
do. pfd.	42¼	42½	42	42¼
Cuban Am. Sgr.	27	27	26¾	27
Dome Mines	36¼	36¼	35⅝	35⅝
Dupont	118⅝	119⅝	116⅝	117
Del. and Hud.	104½	104½	103	103
Erie Railway	12⅛	12⅜	12⅛	12¼
do. 1st pfd.	19⅞	19⅞	19¼	19¼
Famous Players	75⅝	75⅞	73½	73¾
Fisher Body	157	157	155	155
Fisk Rubber	8½	8½	8⅜	8⅜
Gen. Asphalt	29½	29½	28	28
Gen. Electric	175¼	175½	173¾	173¾
Gen. Motors	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
Gt. Nor. pfd.	63	63	61¼	62
Gulf States Steel	73¼	73¼	71⅝	71⅝
Hudson Motors	24⅛	24⅛	23½	23⅝
Inspi. Copper	30½	30½	30	30
Inter. Harvester	76⅛	76⅛	75½	75½
In. M. Marine p.	23½	23½	23½	23½
Inter. Nickel	13	13⅛	13	13
Inter. Paper	36½	36½	36	36
Invincible Oil	10¼	10¼	10⅛	10⅛
Kelly-Springf.	34½	34½	34	34
Kelsey Wheel	91	91	90¾	90¾
Kenn. Copper	35¼	35¼	34⅝	34⅝
Keystone Tire	5⅝	5⅝	5¼	5¼
Lima Loco.	64	64	62¾	62¼
Mack Truck	77⅝	77⅝	74½	75
McIntyre Por.	16⅝	16⅝	16⅜	16⅜
Maxwell M. A	41	41	40¼	40¼
do. B	12⅝	12⅝	12½	12½
Miami Copper	24⅞	24⅞	24¾	24¾
Middle S. Oil	7⅝	7⅝	7¼	7⅝
M., K. and T.	11¼	11¼	10½	11
Miss. Pacific	11¾	12	11¾	12
Mother Lode	9⅝	9⅝	9½	9½
National Lead	118	118	117	117
N.Y. Central	99⅝	99⅝	98¼	98¼
N.Y., N. Haven	12⅞	12⅞	12⅜	12⅜
Nor. and West.	104½	104½	104¼	104¼
North American	22¼	22⅜	21⅝	21⅝
North. Pacific	64½	64½	62⅞	63⅜
Lehigh Valley	60⅝	60⅝	60⅛	60⅛
Columbia Gas	34⅝	34½	34	34
Pacific Oil	33⅜	33⅜	33¼	33¼
Pan-American	64⅝	64⅝	61⅜	62⅛
do. B	61¼	61¼	59½	59⅝
Pennsylvania	43⅞	43⅞	43¾	43¾
Penn. S. Steel	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Peoples Gas	90	90	89½	89½
Pere Marquette	43¼	43¼	42½	42½
Foundation Co.	77⅝	78	76¼	76½
Eastman Kodak	108	108	108	108
Pressed Steel Car.	56	56	54¾	54¾
Producers	34⅞	35	33¾	33⅞
Punta Alegre	50	50	49¼	49¼
Pure Oil	18½	18½	18½	18½
Ray C. Copper	11⅝	11½	11⅜	11½
Reading Co.	75½	76⅜	75	75⅝
Replogle Steel	13½	12½	13¼	13¼
Republic Iron	45½	45½	43¾	43¾
Royal Dutch	28⅛	28½	27⅞	27⅞
Reynolds Spring.	21½	21½	20⅛	20⅞
Sinclair	47½	47½	47½	47½
May Stores	78	78	76¼	76¼
Schulte Retail	95⅛	95⅛	94	94
Sears-Roebuck	74¼	74¼	74¼	74¼
Southern Railway	33¾	33¾	32⅞	32⅞
do. pfd.	67½	67½	67	67
Stan. Oil, Cal.	51½	51½	50⅝	50⅝
do. New Jersey	33⅝	33⅝	33⅛	33⅛
Stewart-Warner	92	92⅞	90¼	90½
Stromberg	72	72	69½	70½
Studebaker	106⅛	106¼	104⅜	104⅞
St.L & San Fran.	19	19	19	19
Missouri Pacific	33	33	32	32
Texas Co.	43	43	42½	42½
Tex.-Pacific Oil	10⅝	10⅝	10½	10½
Timken Roller	38¼	38¼	37½	37½
Tobacco Products	81¾	82¼	81¾	81¾
Transcon. Oil	6⅝	6⅝	5¾	5⅞
Marland Oil	37½	37¾	36½	37
Union Pacific	131	131	129⅞	129⅞
United Drug	81¾	81¾	81¾	81¾
United Fruit	171	171	171	171
U. S. Food	3⅛	3⅛	3¼	3¼
U. S. In. Alcohol	49	49	47⅞	47⅞
U. S. Rubber	43	43	42½	42½
U. S. Steel	91⅞	91⅞	90½	90½
Utah Copper	60½	60½	60	60
Vanadium Corp.	30¼	30¼	30	30
Vivandau, Inc.	18½	18½	18½	18½
Fleischmann	44⅝	44⅝	43¾	43¾
Westinghouse	57	57	56½	56⅝
White Motor	51	51	51	51
Retail Stores	72⅝	72⅝	72	72
Phillips Petroleum	23	23	22½	22¾
Willys-Overland	7¼	7⅜	7⅛	7¼
Woolworth	234½	234½	234	234
Worthington	28½	28½	28½	28½
Wilson & Co.	26	26	26	26
Wabash Railway	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
do. A	28¼	28¾	27⅞	28
Virginia Chem.	9⅝	9½	8¾	8¾
Reynolds Tobacco	64⅝	64⅝	63⅞	63⅞
St. Paul, pfd.	33	33	31¾	32
Houston Oil	53	53	51¾	52

NEW YORK CURB

Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward. New York, July 24.

Stocks.	Bid	Ask
Anglo	15	15¼
British Tobacco	22⅞	23
Caribou	4⅛	4¼
Dublilier	9	9⅜
Durant of Delaware	46	49
Goodyear	11⅛	11½
Gulf	51	51½
Imperial Oil	96	98
International Petroleum	15⅝	15¾
Midvale	15	16¼
Mutual Oil	9¾	9⅞
New Cornelia	18½	20
Peerless	31	32½
Pennock	12	12¼
Radio	3⅛	3¼
Standard Oil of Indiana	53⅞	54
Standard Oil of New York	38	38½
United Verde	31	31½
Vacuum	44⅝	44⅞

Toronto

Canadian Press Despatch.
Morning sales:

Sales	Stocks:	High	Low	Noon
5	B. C. Fishing	16	16	16
5	Bell Telephone	122⅝	122⅝	122⅝
20	Car & Foundry, p.	78	78	78
75	Can. Steamships	14⅛	14	14⅛
17	C. G. Electric	102½	102½	102½
70	C. P. R.	151	151	151
5	City Dairy	141	141	141
5	Consumers' Gas	158½	158½	158½
18	Dom. Canners, pf.	84	84	84
2	Russell Motors, p.	50½	50½	50½
35	Spanish River, pf.	98	98	98
5	Steel of Can., pfd.	101	101	101
50	Toronto Railway	79½	79½	79½
	Mines:			
200	Crown Reserve	59	59	59
50	McIntyre	17.00	17.00	17.00
	Banks:			
3	Commerce	195	195	195
4	Hamilton	157	157	157
30	Can. Permanent	187	187	187
	Bonds:			
1000	Canada Bread	99¾	99¾	99¾
1000	Victory, 1924	103	10330	10330

Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward. Toronto, July 24.—Close.

Stocks—	Bid	Ask
Abitibi Power	59	60
Atlantic Sugar	17	18
British-American Oil	32	33
Barcelona	18	19
Canada Bread	54	57
British Empire Steel	7	8
do., 1st. pfd.	65	66
do., 2nd. pfd.	20	21
British Columbia Fish	15	16
Brazilian Traction	47	47¾
Brompton Power	38	38¾
Bell Telephone	122	123
F. N. Burt	128	..
Canadian Pacific Railway	150	151
City Dairy	140½	..
do., pfd.	99¾	..
Crown Reserve	59	60
Canada Car	26½	28
do., pfd.	77	78½
Can. Cement	..	82
do., pfd.	102	102
Dome Mines	36	37
Dominion Canners	28	29
Duluth-Superior	40½	42
Goldale	55	56
General Electric	100⅞	..
Hollinger	1210	1225
International Petroleum	15½	16¾
Imperial Oil	98½	101
Lorraine	18	19¼
Lake Shore	340	350
Mutual Oil	10	10½
Mackay	110	111½
do., pfd.	67	69
McIntyre	17.00	17.70
Maple Leaf	..	89
do., pfd.	..	93
Montreal-Ontario Gold	49	50
Penmans	142	145
Quebec Railway	20½	21¼
Riordon	2	3
Spanish River	87	89
do., pfd.	98	99
Steel Co. of Canada	69½	71
do., pfd.	..	101
Tucketts	..	51
Twin City Railway	71¾	72¼
Teck-Hughes	127	130
Vipond	66	66½
Winnipeg Electric	34½	35½
West Dome	26½	27
West Hargreaves	315	..
Newray	41¾	42
Dominion Glass	92½	93½

UNLISTED SECURITIES

Reported for The Advertiser by A. J. Pattison, Jun., & Co. Toronto, July 24.

Stocks.	Bid.	Ask.
Algoma Steel, 5s	41.00	43.00
Alberta-Pacific Grain, com.	....	109.00
do. pfd.	93.50	95.00
Bay Sulphite P. & P., 6½s.	....	97.50
Beigo-Can. Paper, 6s, 1943	....	99.00
Canadian Machinery, 6s	76.00	81.00
Cockshutt Plow, pfd., 7%	42.75	43.50
Commercial Finance, com.	10.00	....
Crown Life	90.00	....
Dominion Power, com.	40.00	42.00
Dunlop Tire, pfd., 7%	86.00	87.00
Durant Motors	8.25	9.00
English Electric, pfd.	72.00	75.00
Guardian Realty, 6s	85.00	....
Hamilton Pantages, pfd.	31.00	33.00
Home Bank of Canada	....	100.00
Howard Smith, 7s	100.50	101.00
Inter. Milling, pfd., 7%	....	97.50
King Edward Construction, pfd., xd. 4%	68.00	71.00
Man. Life, 20% paid	53.00	....
N. Canada Power, 6½s, 1938	....	99.25
N. Mexico Dev., com.	9.00	11.00
Robert Simpson, 5s, 1952	85.00	....
Spanish River, 8s, 1941	106.00	106.50
Sterling Bank, xd. 2%	105.50	108.00
Sterling Coal, com.	39.00	40.00
Trusts & Guarantee, 6%	76.75	77.75
W Canada Flour, 6s, 1931	99.25	....
Whalen Pulp, pfd.	18.00	19.00

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward.

Par.		New York.	Toronto.
$4.86.66	London	$4.59½	$4.59¾
19.20	France	5.96½	5.97
19.30	Belgium	4.91	4.93½
19.30	Italy	4.38	4.38½
19.30	Switzerland	17.45	17.50
40.20	Holland	39.21	39.24
19.30	Spain	14.26	14.28
23.80	Germany	.425,530	....
26.80	Sweden	26.68	26.72
26.80	Norway	16.19	16.23
26.80	Denmark	17.91	17.95
32.44	Brazil	10.40	....

New York funds—2 19-32.

Reported for The Advertiser by Glazebrook & Cronyn.

Money	Buyers	Sellers	Counter
N. Y. funds	2 37-64pm	2 39-64pm	
Mont. funds	par	par	⅛-¼
Ster. demand	4.71	4.71¼	
Cable trans.	4.71¼	4.71½	
Sterling in N. Y.:			
Demand	4.59¾		
Cables	4.59⅝		

Bank of England rate, 4 per cent.

PARIS BOURSE.
Special to The Advertiser.

Paris, July 24.—Prices were firm on the bourse today.

Three per cent rentes, 56 francs 85 centimes.

Exchange on London, 77 francs 25 centimes.

Five per cent loan, 75 francs 52 centimes.

The United States dollar was quoted at 16 francs 74½ centimes.

CANADIANS IN LONDON

Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward.

Brazilian	50
British Empire Steel	6
Canadian General Electric	109
Canadian Pacific Railway	109½
Hudson Bay	5⅝
Erie	12½

GOVERNMENT LOANS

The following is the Victory bond market, as reported by Aemilius Jarvis & Co., Limited:

Issue	Tues. close	Change from Mon.	Yield about
	5½% Victory.		
1923	100.55	unch	4.30
1924	100.75	unch	4.98
1927	103.25	unch	4.69
1933	105.40	+ 5	4.84
1934	103.30	unch	5.11
1937	107.80	unch	4.75
	5½% Renewal.		
1927	101.80	unch	5.01
1932	102.65	unch	5.12
	5% War Loan.		
1925	100.80	+ 10	4.67
1931	101.45	unch	5.16
1937	102.65	+ 5	5.13

EXCHANGE RATES

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, July 23.—Sterling exchange rates were quoted today: Demand, $4.7125; cables, $4.7150.

Canadian Press Despatch.

New York, July 23. — Sterling exchange irregular, at $4.56½ for 60-day bills and $4.59⅛ for demand.

Mexican dollars—48⅝c.

Canadian dollars—Today, 2⅝ per cent discount; Saturday, 2⅝ per cent; week ago, 2 11-16 per cent.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, July 24.—Sterling exchange easy. Demand rates: Great Britain, $4.59¼; France, 5.93c; Italy, 4.37½c; Germany, .000215c.

Canadian dollars, 2 17-32 per cent discount.

BEANS

Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, July 23.—Beans, immediate and prompt shipment, $5.50 per cwt. at shipping points.

Montreal

Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward. Montreal, July 24.—Close.

Stocks—	Bid	Ask
Abitibi Power	59	59¼
Asbestos Paper	52	55
Atlantic Sugar	17⅛	..
do., pfd.	..	40
Bell Telephone	122½	..
British Columbia & Packing	15	16
Brazilian Traction	47¼	47⅜
British Empire Steel	7	8
do., 1st., pfd.	63¾	..
do., 2nd. pfd.	20	20½
Brompton Power	38¼	38½
Canada Car & Foundry	27	28
do., pfd.	77	77¾
Canada Cement	80½	..
do., pfd.	103	104
Can. Converters	88	89
Can. Cottons	108	..
Can. General Electric	..	103
Can. Steamships	14½	15
do., pfd.	48	..
Con. Mining & Smelting	25	25¼
Cuban-Can. Sugar	6	7
do., pfd.	..	29
Detroit United Railway	70	71
Dominion Bridge	64	65½
Dominion Canners	28½	..
Dominion Glass	92½	..
Dominion Textile	66	66⅞
Howard Smith	67	..
Lake of the Woods	168	..
Mackay	110	..
Montreal L., H. and P.	119½	119⅝
Ogilvie Flour Mills	..	286
Ottawa L., H. and P.	168	..
Penmans	142½	..
Price Brothers	..	42¾
Quebec Railway L., H. & P.	20	20¾
Riordon	2	2½
Shawinigan	115¼	116
Spanish River	87	87½
do., pfd.	95⅝	97¾
Steel Company of Canada	69	69⅞
Toronto Railway	..	79½
National Breweries	48½	49½
Winnipeg Electric	34	..
do., pfd.	84	85
Laurentide	93¾	94
Twin City Railway	72¼	..
Wayagamack	47¼	..

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Argonaut, 100 at 87c.

Canada Car notes, $455 at 93.

Dome Mines, 30 at $35.

Industrial Alcohol, 20 at 17, 3 at 17½, 30 at 17.

Eastern Engineering, 110 at 22.

St. Maurice Power, 46 at 52.

Laurentide Power, 20 at 97¼.

WEST LORNE

Special to The Advertiser.

West Lorne, July 23. — Duncan Baldwin is visiting in New Glasgow.

Catherine and Frances Marks are visiting in St. Thomas.

The Dutton baseball team will play the local team here on Wednesday afternoon.

Mary Andrews has been re-engaged as teacher for the entrance room for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry of London spent Sunday with friends here.

Dougald Baldwin of New Glasgow spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson of Detroit spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. McLeitch.

Elsie Pethrick has accepted a position as teacher in the Comber public school.

David Frederick of New Glasgow spent the week-end at the home of his mother, north of town.

Nina Baker of Detroit is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. B. Skinner.

W. J. Roach of Essex spent the week-end here. He was accompanied home today by Mrs. Roach and family, who have been visiting in West Lorne.

William Hauser of Port Glasgow spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrr. F. S. Howard and two daughters of Vancouver, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Skinner, left yesterday for Wallacetown, where they will spend some weeks with Mrs. Howard's mother, Mrs. J. H. Baker.

Mrs. M. Richards and daughter of Tilbury are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hunchburger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Skinner spent Sunday at Wallacetown.

Miss Wilden Smith has returned home after visiting in Windsor and Detroit.

Work was started today for the paving of the Main Street from the Pere Marquette railway tracks south to the corner of Main and Graham streets.

COURTRIGHT

Special to The Advertiser.

Courtright, July 23.—Eva McIntyre, who has been ill in Detroit, is recovering.

Captain George Warwick is ill on his steamer the Davidson.

Gertrude and Norma Kent are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kent, during their parents' absence in Chicago.

There will be no service in the Presbyterian Church for the next three Sundays, as Rev. Mr. Shannon is taking his holidays.

Margaret McGill of London is the guest of Captain and Mrs. W. D. Neal.

There will be a lawn social at the home of Robert Boulton, 6th concession, Moore, Tuesday.

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Norman this Wednesday.

Mr. Finlay and Mr. Shannon are acting as supervisors at the boys' camp on Lake Huron beach.

Flossie McRae has accepted a school near Watford for the coming term.

PORT DOVER

Special to The Advertiser.

Port Dover, July 23.—Mr. and Mrs. L. Ede of Woodstock are visiting Mrs. A. H. Wilson at Lynn Crest.

Prof. J. W. Russell of Western University was a week-end visitor at Lynn Crest.

Senator and Mrs. McCall, Miss C. McCall and Mrs. Laing of Simcoe are visiting Mrs. T. Muir at Belleview.

Rev. R. C. and Mrs. Masters and Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Wallace of Simcoe were week-end visitors with Mrs. Muir at Belleview.

Mrs. A. N. Calton, Sr., of Brantford is visiting Mrs. W. R. Calton at her cottage on Brant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trumper of Toronto are visiting Mrs. W. S. Sterne at her cottage Occomin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dunn, Maude Montgomery and Thelma Gee of Brantford are spending the last two weeks of July in Breezy Bluff cottage.

Miss M. Young of Toronto, Miss H. Young of Hamilton and Miss E. MacIntyre of Brantford are visiting Mrs. A. W. MacIntyre at Poplars.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Maples and daughter Doris of Brantford were week-end visitors with Mrs. W. Ham.

Helen Guest of Mt. Pleasant is visiting Mrs. H. MacIntyre at Poplars.

The following are occupying the Foster cottage for July: Mrs. and Miss Jean Campbell, Mrs. and Master Bobby Tattle, Mrs. R. and Miss Reva Phelps and the Misses Katherine Fonger, Gertrude Foster, Kathleen Kinney, Grace Turnbull, Mary Kyers, Hilda Higgins, Marion Moyer, Mary Cummin, Mary Sullivan, Grace Summerhayes and Dorothy Burton of Brantford.

MONTREAL TRADING DEVELOPS DULLNESS

Twin City Rapid Transit Only Issue To Attract Attention.

Reported to The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward.

Montreal, July 24.—In the early period of the forenoon session on the Montreal Stock Exchange it looked as though a moderately active market would develop, but in the second hour trading lost most of its impetus and during the closing period the market was exceptionally dull and featureless. No factors of any kind are in sight to influence the trend of prices, and the impression prevails in brokerage circles that the future movement cannot be otherwise than in an upward direction, but for a time not much activity is anticipated.

No particular group of stocks received special attention. The pulp and papers displayed steadiness, with Brompton at 39, Howard Smith 68½, Howard Smith preferred 102½, Provincial Paper preferred 96¼, and Spanish preferred 98 to 97¾.

Twin City Rapid Transit was the only issue with board lot transaction in the public utility department. A gain of one-half point was scored by Canadian Converters. The other stocks of the same group were completely neglected. Specialties attracted very little attention.

MONEY

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, July 23.—Money on call easier, 4½ to 4¾ per cent; ruling rate 4¾.

Time loans firm; 60 days, 5 to 5¼ per cent; 90 days, 5 to 5¼; six months, 5 to 5¼; prime mercantile paper, 5 to 5¼.

Associated Press Despatch

London, July 23.—Money, 1⅞ per cent. Discount rates—Short bills, 3 to 3⅛ per cent; three-month bills, 3 1-16 to 3¼ per cent.

POTATOES

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, July 23.—A stronger feeling developed in potatoes. Per bag, carlots, $1.20 to $1.25.

HAY AND STRAW

Toronto, July 23.—Hay, No. 2 timothy, $15 per ton, Toronto; No. 3, $13 per ton; mixed, $12.50 to $13.50 per ton, Toronto.

Straw—Carlots, $9.50 per ton.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, July 23. — There was no change in the baled hay market. No. 2, per ton, carlots, $15.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, July 23.—Hay steady; No. 1, $27 to $28; No. 2, $25 to $26; No. 3, $21 to $23; shipping, $16 to $18.

PROVISIONS

Associated Press Despatch.

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Chicago, July 24.—Downturns in the value of hogs weakened the provision market.

Cash prices:

Pork—Nominal.

Lard—$10.95.

Ribs—$8.37 to $9.25.

Future quotations:

Lard—Sept., $11.07; Oct., $11.17.

Ribs—Sept., $8.77; Oct., $8.65.

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, July 23.—Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 103s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs, 75s 6d; Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75 lbs, 50s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 20 lbs, 70s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 35 lbs, 77s 9d; short clear backs, 12 to 20 lbs, 73s; shoulders, square, 12 to 16 lbs, 66s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, cwt, 62s 7½d.

Associated Press Despatch.

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Bacon—Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs, 76s 6d; Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75 lbs, 90s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 20 lbs, 70s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 35 lbs, 77s 9d; short clear backs, 12 to 20 lbs, 73s; shoulders, square, 12 to 16 lbs, 67s 6d.

EGG MARKET REVIEW

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, July 23.—The market is reported very firm for specials and extras. Receipts at country points are lighter