Mr. Yatman-Princess Rink. Mare in Pound-Henry Burdick. House to Rent-645 Princess Avenue. Special Meeting-W. Mercer, Sec. Code Lost-Reward at This Office. Steamship Agent-Frank B. Clarke. L. C. S. Practice—Roselle Pococke. Grand Opera House-Houghton Company. House to Let-394 Horton St. Vestmakers Wanted-W. Slater. Concert-"Y" Rooms. Cottage to Let-98 Cartwright St. Residence for Sale-W. D. Buckle. Boarders Wanted-O. P., this office. Horse for Sale—Kennels. Boy Wanted-Milne, Spittal & Co. Pocket Book Found-This office. Cow for Sale—858 Elias St. Furnished Rooms-13, this office. Cape Lost-Detective Ward. Boy Wanted-Box 15, this Office.

# COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Financial News by Mail and

Telegraph. Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, May 30.   Ask. Off.
Montreal         222         219           Ontario         95         86           Molsons
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Canada Pacific Railway Stock 531 52
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Bell Telephone Company, new
Toronto Street Railway 781 78
Dominion Savings and Investment 76
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Farmers' L. and S., 20 per cent 98 -
Huron and Erie L. and S 167
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at 158; Lon.& Can., 91 at 119.
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	MONTREAL, May	30. Of
	Canadian Pacific 534	5:
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	Duluth preferred	157
	Commercial Cable	10
	Wabash Common	
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'	Richelieu and Ontario1011	100
	Montreal Street Railway2001	200
	Montreal Street Railway, new199	19
	Montreal Gas Company2021	20
	Bell Telephone	15
	Royal Electric	15
*	Toronto Railway 79	7
	Bank of Montreal	21
	Ontario Bank	8
	Banque du Peuple	17
	Bank of Toronto	24
	Banque Jacques-Cartier	-1
	Merchants' Bank	16
	Merchants' Bank of Halifax	15
	Quebec Bank	-
	Union Bank	10
	Bank of Commerce140	13
	Northwest Land	
	Montreal Cotton Company	12
	Canada Colored Cotton	6
	Dominion Cotton104	
	, SALES-Com. Cable, 25 at 1574, 75 at 17	8, 1

st 1584, 375 at 1584, 25 at 1573, 75 at 178, 175 at 1584, 375 at 1584, 25 at 1584, 325 at 1584; Rich. & Ont., 5 at 99, 385 at 100, s45 at 101, 75 at 1004; Mont. St. Ry., 3 at 200, 375 at 201; Mont. St. new, 275 at 1984, 325 at 196, 325 at 1994, 25 at 1994, 400 at 1994; Mont. Gas Co., 50 at 203; Bank of Mont., 21 at 219; Morchants Bank, 25 at 170.

## COMMERCIAL

Local Market. (Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.)

London, May 30. The attendance was good, with an active demand for wheat, oats and peas. The receipts in grain were mostly oats, which sold freely at \$1 10 to \$1 13 per cental. There has been more wheat offered this morning than usual; sold from \$1 60 to \$1 65. No corn or barley offered. No rye or buckwheat offered. Butter very plentiful and lower. Eggs in fair supply and demand. Potatoes in fair supply and demand at 50c to 75c per bag. Wool is coming in freely at 20c per pound. Quotations: Wheat, white fall, 100 lbs......\$1 60 to 1 65

Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs 1 60	to	1 65 1 60	900
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs 1 60 Oats, per 100 lbs	to	1 12	
Peas, per 100 lbs	to	1 10	
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Rye. per 100 lbs	to	1 00	S
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs 90	to	1 00	\$
Beans, per bu	to	1 50	
Beans, per bu		1	4
Hay, per ton 8 50	to	9 00	a
Straw, per load 2 00	to	3 00	4
Clover seed, red per bu 6 25	to	6 75	
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu 5 00	to	6 00	
Timothy seed, per bu 3 00	to	3 25	2
Hungarian seed, per bu 80	to	1 00	c
Millet seed, per bu 80	03	1 00	8
PROVISIONS.		1	f
Eggs, fresh, single doz 11	to	12	0
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz 10	to	111	6
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz 9	to	9	2
Butter, single rolls, per lb 13	to	14	
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets. 12 Butter, per lb, large rolls or	to	13	
Butter, per 1b, large rolls or			
crocks	to	12	
Butter, per lb, tubs or firkins 10	to	10	5
Cheese, per lb 6	to	.7	
Lard, per lb 10	to	10	
Ducks, per pair 70	to	1 00	
Chickens, per pair 50	to	75	
Turkeys, per lb, 10c to 12c; each. 1 00	to	2 00	
Honey, per lb 9	to	10	,
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.	+-	1 25	2
Apples, per bag 1 00	to		6
Potatoes, per bag. 50 Carrots, per bu. 20	to	75 30	t
Turnips, per bu	to	20	9
Parsnips, per bu	to	35	
Onions, per bu	to	60	
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.		00	1
Beef, quarters, per lb 6	to	61	(
Mutton quarters, per lb 7	to	8	G
Veal, quarters, per lb	to	5	1
Lamb, quarter 9	to	10	1
Dressed hogs, 100 lb 6 00	to	€ 50	(
Hides, No. 1, per lb 6	to	6	
Hides, No. 2, per lb 5	to	6	
Hides, No. 3, per lb 4	to	4	
Calfskins, green 5	to	5	١,
Calfskins, dry, each 1	to	0	
Sheepskins, each 25	to	1 00	
Lambskins, each 15	to	20	1
Pelts, each 00	to	00	
Wool, per lb	to	20	1
Tallow, rendered, per lb 5	to	0	1
Tallow, rough, per lb 3			

Flour, Breakfast Cereals, Feed, Salt, Land Plaster, Etc. B73 TALBOT STREET. - PHONE, 662.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, May 30. Market firm.

WHEAT—Holders outside are asking \$1 for Shipments—Canal, wheat, 24,000 bu; corn, 50,000 bu; o-ts. 23,700 bu.

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Shipments—Rail, flour, 58,000 bbls; wheat, 200,000 bu; corn, 190,000 bu;

Washing Fabrics—Spittal & Co.
Summer Shoes—Smallman & Ingram.
Dish Cloth Soap.
Sacrifice Day—Oak Hall.
Bargain Day—Chapman's.
Monstrous Sale—Mara's.
Dividend—Canadian Savings & Loan Co.
Methodist Revival—Princess Rink.
Mr. Yatman—Princess Rink.
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4.c to 454c.
BARLEY-Odd cars of feed sold west at 52c. and 3,000 bu of malting barley sold east at 55c. RYE—Car lots outside quoted nominally at CORN-Car lots on track here quoted nomi-

Petrolea Oil Market. PETROLEA, May 30 .- Oil opened and closed OIL PRICES.

Oil City. May 29.—Market price opened at \$157; closed \$155. At the Exchange, opened and highest prices \$155; lowest and close \$152. Montreal Produce Market.

MONTREAL. May 30.

FLOUR—Receipts, 1,800 bbls. Market firm; unchanged: Patents, winter, \$5 15 to \$5 30: do spring. \$5 to \$5 15; straight roller, \$5 to \$5 20; extra. \$4 25 to \$4 50; superfine, \$3 60 to \$4; strong bakers, \$4 75 to \$5; Ontario bags, \$2 10 to \$2 25.

GRAIN—Wheat. No. 2 Manitoba hard, 97c to 99c; corn. 66c to 68c: peas, 74c to 75c; oats, 45c to 46c; barley. 57c to 60c: rye, 54c to 56c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, \$2 to \$2 10; cornmeal, \$1 35 to \$1 45. PROVISIONS — Mess pork. \$17 to \$18; lard, 7c to 8c; bacon, 10c to 11c; hams, 9c to 10c; cheese, 6c to 7c; butter, townships, 13c to 15c,

Western, 11c to 16c; eggs, 9c to 10c. English Markets.

London, May 30.

(Beerbohm's Report by Cable.)

Wheat off coast easy, 3d lower; passage weak, 3d lower; Laplatta sail shipments, March and April, 26s 6d; sale 1.

English country markets firm; corn off coast, quiet; passage easy. Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; demand roor; holders offer moderately; futures dull; R.W., 5s 9\frac{1}{2}d May; 5s 9\frac{3}{2}d June; 5s 10\frac{1}{2}d July; 5s 10\frac{3}{2}d Aug.; 5s 11\frac{1}{2}d Sept; corn weak; no demand; 4s 10\frac{1}{2}f tutures dull 4s 10\frac{1}{2}d May; 4s 8\frac{1}{2}d June; 4s 8\frac{1}{2}d July; 4s 9\frac{1}{2}d Aug.; 4s 8\frac{3}{2}d Sept. 4s 9d Oct.; flour 21s.

French country markets firm.

130 June; 19.90 May; flour, 44.85 May; 45.10 June.

French country markets firm. The quotations for the past three market

days are as follows:

May 28. | May 29. | May 30. Wheat quiet; demand poor; oats moderate;

#### American Markets.

New York, May 29. FLOUR-Receipts, 32,000 packages; exports, FLOUR—Receipts, 32,000 packages; exports, 10,000 barrels; sales, 9,000 packages; firm; winter wheat, low grades, \$2,70 to \$3,50; do fair to fancy, \$3,75 to \$4,25; do, patents, \$4,25 to \$4,75; Minn. clear, \$3,20 to \$3,60; do straights, \$3,80 to \$4,15; do ratents, \$4,15 to \$5,20; low extras, \$2,70 to \$3,50; city mills, \$4,40; do, patents, \$5,15; rye mixtures, \$3, to \$3,35; rye flour firm. \$4, to \$4,75.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, \$2,90 to \$3,50; city mills, \$4,40; do, patents, \$5,75; corn, \$2,90 to \$3,50; city mixtures, \$4,50; city mixtures

BARLEY MALT-Nominal; Canada country-made, 85c to 90c; western, 65c to 75c; two-rowed State, 70c to 72½c; six-rowed do, 75c

PEAS-Canada nominal. WHEAT — Receipts, 71,000 bu; exports, 7,000 bu; sales, 8,390,000 bu futures, 8,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 81% to 82c; afloat, 82to to 82½c; f. o. b., 82½c to 83½c; ungraded red, 74c to 84c; No. 1 northto 83¢c; ungraded red, 74c to 84c; No. 1 northern, 86åc to 87c; options unsettled; sales included No. 2 red, May, 81åc; June, 81åc; July, 82åc; Aug., 83åc; Sept., 83åc; Dec., 85åc. CORN—Receipts, 1,090 bu; exports, 41,000 bu; sales, 365,000 bu futures; 63,040 bu spot; spots firm: No. 2, 57åc elevator, 59åc afloat; options steady; May, 57åc; July, 58åc; Sept., 59åc.

OATS—Receipts, 58,000 bu; exports, none; old; exports, inchestals, 53,000 out, exports, inchestals, 600,000 bu tutures; 63,000 bu spot; spots firmer; options steady; May, 33½c; June, 33½c; July, 34c; Sept., 34½c; spot No. 2, 33½c to 33½c; No. 2 white, 37½c; No. 2 Chicago, 34½c to 34½c; No. 3, 32¾c; No. 3 white, 37c; mixed western, 33c to 35c; white do and white State, 27c, 43c

34c; No. 3, 32\forallectric No. 3 white, 37c; mixed western, 33c to 35c; white do and white State, 35c to 48c.

FEED BRAN—82\forallectric to 87\forallectric country.

MIDDLINGS—85c to 90c.

RYE FEED—85c to 87\forallectric country.

HAY—Easy, 70c to 75c.

HOPS—Steady; State. 3c to 9c.

BEEF—Steady; family, \$11 to \$13; extra mess. \$8 50 to \$9.

CUTMEATS—Easy; pickled bellies, 5\forallectric country.

Cut middles, nominal.

LARD—Firmer; western steam, \$6 95; refined dull; continent, \$7 20; compound, 5c to 5\forallectric country.

PORK—Steady; mess, \$13 75 to \$14 50; extra prime nominal.

BUTTER—Weaker; State dairy, 11c to 18c; do creamery, 12c to 18\forallectric country, 7c to 11c; Elgins, 18\forallectric country.

CHEESE—Firm; State large, 5c to 7c; do fancy, 7c; do small, 5\forallectric country.

EGGS—Firm; State and Pennsylvania, 13\forallectric country.

TALLOW—Firm: city, 4\forallectric country.

to 14c; western fresh, 13c to 13½c.

TALLOW—Firm; city, 4½c; country, 4½c to PETROLEUM-Nominal; refined, \$785; do PATROLEOM—Nominal; renned, \$7.85; do in bulk, \$5.30 to \$5.35.

POTATOES—Unsettled; Jersey, \$1.25 to \$1.50; New York white, \$1.62 to \$1.87; do rose, \$1.75 to \$1.87; Bermuda, \$3 to \$5.50; southern,

\$1 75 to \$1 87; Bermuda, \$3 to \$5 50; southern, \$1 25 to \$4.

RICE—Firm; domestic, 4½c to 6c.

MOLASSES—Firm; 26c to 32c.

COFFEE—Options steady; sales, 12,250 bags, including June, \$14 25 to \$14 35; July, \$14 85 to \$14 95; Sept., \$15 to \$15 05; Oct., \$15 05; Dec., \$14 90; March, \$14 70; spot steady, No. 7 15c.

SUGAR—Steady: Standard "A." 4 7-16c to 4½c; confectioners "A." 4 5-16c to 4½c; cut-loaf and crushed, 5 1-16c to 5½c; powdered, 4½c to 4 15-16c; granulated, 4 7-16c to 4½c.

CHICAGO, May 29.

After wide fluctuations wheat today closed to lower for July and 1c higher for cash. July corn closed to under yesterday, and cash to above. Oats closed to higher for July, and to for each. Provisions were higher. for cash. Provisions were higher. Estimated recepts for tomorrow: Wheat, 35 cars; corn, 815 cars; oats, 325 cars; hogs, 23,000 head. Freights unchanged.

WHEAT-May. 79gc; July, 80gc; Sept., 80gc. CORN-May, 52gc; July, 53gc; Sept., 54gc. OATS-May, 30gc; June, 30gc; July, 31gc;

OATS—May, 30\(\frac{1}{3}\)c; June, 30\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; July, 31\(\frac{1}{3}\)c; Sept., 31c.

PORK—July, \$12.90; Sept., \$13.17\(\frac{1}{2}\).

LARD—July, \$6.85; Sept., \$7.

SHORT RIBS—July, \$6.45; Sept., \$6.65.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 80\(\frac{1}{3}\)c to 81c; No. 2 red, 79\(\frac{1}{3}\)c to 79\(\frac{1}{3}\)c in No. 2 rye, 65c to 66c; No. 2 cats, 30\(\frac{1}{3}\)c to 31c; No. 2 rye, 65c to 66c; No. 2 barley, 51c mess pork, \$12.80 to \$12.87\(\frac{1}{2}\); lard, \$6.72\(\frac{1}{2}\) to \$6.75\(\frac{1}{3}\); short ribs sides, \$6.40 to \$6.45\(\frac{1}{3}\); dry salted shoulders, \$5.37\(\frac{1}{2}\) to \$550; short clear sides, \$6.50 to \$6.55\(\frac{1}{3}\). Receipts-

6,000 Wheat..... 16,000 Corn 731,000 Oats 493,000 Rye. 4,000 Barrey 9,000 Shipments— 5,000 Wheat..... 32,000 Corn. 11.000 Oats 38.000 Rye. 3.000 Barley 9.000

WHEAT—Spring wheat—Limits lower; demand light: No. 1 hard spot, 24c; do c. i. f., 14c over New York July. Sales: 5,000 bu No. 1 hard, 850c; spot, 10,00) bu No. 1 northern, 83c; c. i. f., elosing No. 1 hard, spot, 854c to 854c; do c. i. f., 84kc; No. 1 northern, spot, 855c; do c. i. f., 8 c. Winter wheat—Dull; closing No. 2 red Chicago, 834c; Indiana, 844c in store; No. 2 red on track, 87c; No. 1 white, 89c; No. 1 white Oregon, 894c in store.

white Oregon, 89% in store.

CORN—Openea firmer; No. 2 yellow on track sold 60c; closed dull; 59½c asked. Sales. Store, 5 000 bu No. 3 corn, 55½c; 8,000 bu No. 3 yellow, OATS-Fair'y active; liberal supply, closing

OATS—Fair'y active; liberal supply, closing only steady; sales, 16 cars No. 2-white, 36c; No. 3 white, 35\;\text{tc}; 3 cars No. 2 mixed. 32\;\text{tc} to 32\;\text{tc} con track; 3,000 bu No. 2 white, 35\text{tc} to 36\;\text{tc}; 5,000 bu No. 3 white, 35\text{tc} in store.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2 held at 75c in store.

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FLOUK—In fair request; steady; unchanged.

MILLFEED—Quiet; easy; unchanged.

CANAL FREIGHTS—Quiet steady. Wheat 1\;\text{tc}, corn 1\;\text{tc}, corn 1\text{tc} to New York.

Receipts — Four, 38,000 bhls: wheat, 80,000 bu. corn. 173,000 bu; oats, 25,000 bu.

Shipments—Canal, wheat, 24,000 bu; corn, 50 000 bu; oats, 23,700 bu.

On 'Change. Special to C. E. Turner, broker, Masonic Temple, from Kennett, Hopkins

Company. Company.

Chicago, May 29.—The absence of rain to any extent from the weather map caused a strong opening, but the market soon began to sagfrom realizing sales for both local and country account, and with an intervening holiday and prospects of general rains the longs were disposed to take profits. It is still a weather market, and if rains do not materialize higher prices on Friday are probable. But the crowd prices on Friday are probable. But the crowd have absorbed so much long stuff today that a sharp break might result from their attempt to get out of it on Friday if the rains should come. A good deal of the snap has gone out of the market. The countrymen have in many instances taken profits and gone back to their instances taken profits and gone back to their farms. When Kansas sends out a bulletin re-porting general improvement last week, as it did today, traders begin to doubt if the re-ported damage may not have been exaggerated

heretofore.

Corn and oats opened wild, but the country took profits in corn and local traders in oats, and prices sold off, although oats showed the effect of some outside buying

Provisions—There were good many country buying orders. Local herders sold ribs, but the demand exceeded the supply, and prices advanced sharply on rather a moderate trade. Dairy Markets.

PICTON.

Picton, Ont., May 29.—Today 11 factories boarded 1,003 boxes cheese, all colored. Sales, 225 at 71-16c; 778 at 7c.

WOODSTOCK.

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Woodstock, May 29.-11 factories offered 1,401 boxes cheese; 180 sold at 71-16c; 156 at 7c; 90 at 6 15-16c and 109 at 6 11-16c. Market active. Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, May 29.—The receipts of cattle showed very few lots choice, but there were plenty of the ordinary kind. Prices were 10c lower. The local packing and shipping demand for hogs was good, and the offerings were an advance of 10e per 100 lbs. There was a fair demand for sheep, but a liberal supply was on

advance of 10c per 100 108. Here was a lair demand for sheep, but a liberal supply was on sale, and prices lost 10c to 15c.

Cattle — Receipts, 15,000. Extra 1,400 to 1,500 lb steers, \$6 to \$6 10; choice to prime 1,300 to 1,600 lb steers, \$5 40 to \$5 90; good to choice steers, 1,100 to 1,300 lbs, \$4 85 to \$5 30; common to medium steers, 900 to 1,200 lbs, \$4 to \$4 90; bulls, choice to extra, \$3 75 to \$4 50; bulls, poor to good, \$2 to \$3 50; feeders, 90 to 1,200 lbs, \$3 80 to \$3 90; cows and heifers, extra, \$4 50 to \$4 75; cows, fair to choice, \$3 to \$4 25; cows, poor to good canners, \$1 75 to \$2 80; veal calves, good to choice \$4 75 to \$5 50; veal calves, common to fair, \$3 40 to \$4 60; Texas steers, \$3 50 to \$3 60; Texas cows, bulls and stags, \$2 50 to \$3 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 26,000. Heavy packing and shipping lots, \$4 55 to \$4 85; common to choice mixed, \$4 45 to \$4 80; choice assorted, \$4 45 to \$4 65; light, \$4 35 to \$4 70; pigs, \$3 25 to \$4 45.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 17,000. Inferior to choice, \$3 to \$4 75; lambs, \$3 50 to \$5 80.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK. May 29.—Beeves — Receipts, 1,561 head. Market dull and lower. Poor to choice native steers, \$4 50 to \$6: oxen and stags, \$2 50 to \$4 75; bulls, \$2 72½ to \$5 50; cows, \$2 50 to \$4 50; city dressed native sides, \$4½ to \$c per lb. Calves—Roceipts, 611 head. Market lower; ordinary to prime veals, \$5 to \$6 25; choice and extra lo s, \$6 50 to \$6 75.

Buttermilks, \$3 90 to \$4 50; mixed calves, \$4 Buttermilks, \$3 90 to \$4 50; mixed calves, \$4 50; dressed calves easier at 50 to 100 for

ity dressed veals; 7c to 9c for country dressed: to 6½c for little calves, and 6½c to 7½c for buttermilks.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9,907 head.

Sheep and yearlings lower; lambs higher.

Ordinary to prime sheep, \$3 to \$4 50; selected do, \$4 60 to \$5; yearlings, \$3 50 to \$5 25; lambs, \$5 to \$6 90; dressed mutton, 6c to 9c; dressed yearlings, 8c to 10c; dressed lambs, 9c to 13c.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,888 head. Market firm at \$4 80 to \$5 10; country dressed, 5c to 7½c. buttermilks.

EAST BUFFALO. N. Y., May 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 63 cars through, none here; feeling dull and easier veals steadier at \$4.75 to \$5.25; extra, \$5.50 to \$5.75. Market closed weak in

Hogs-Receipts, 8 cars through. 25 on sale, Market stronger for Yorkers and light grades, but steady to easy for others. Yorkers, \$4 60 to \$4 65; roughs, \$4 to \$4 25 stags, \$3 to \$3 50. closed steady to strong for good grades, and slow for pigs, with a few decks unsold. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6 cars through, exports, Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6 cars through, to pieces. Score
53 on sale. Market dull and lower. Good Buffalo .....0 1 3 0 0 2 3 3

yearling lambs, \$4 75 to \$5; a few very fancy. \$5 25 to \$5 40; fair to good. \$3 50 to \$4 50; mixed \$5 25 to \$3 49; fair to good, \$5 30 to \$4 05; emmon sheep, good to prime, \$3 50 to \$4 05; common to fair, \$3 25; culls. \$1 50 to \$2 50; export yearlings, \$5 25 to \$5 50; export wethers, sheep, \$4 25 to \$4 50. Market very dull. with late sales of 6 1b yearlines at \$2 75 to \$3 25; good sheep, \$3 25 to \$3 70; 15 loads unsold.

# Physicians' Prescriptions

Family Recipes

184 Dundas Street, London.

Canadian Agency for Halsey Bros.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

CURIOUS AND INTERESTING.

The princess of Wales has a tea service consisting of 60 pieces, and every piece has ipon it a photograph taken by the princess in Scotland. The Chinese Emperor rises at 4 every

morning and studies English and Manchu until 5, when he breakfasts. The race of Lapps, inhabiting the northern part of Norway, Sweden and Russia, numbers less than 30,000.

A bill has been introduced in the Florida legislature making it a punishable offense for any school, public or private, in the State to allow white and colored pupils to be educated together.

#### TOO MANY SOCIETIES.

The condition of many churches was depicted in a true though homely way by a colored preacher's description of his own flock. The editor of the Bible Reader, in answer to a question as to the condition of the church, received the answer:

"Mighty poor, mighty poor, brudder." We ventured to ask the trouble, and he replied: "De cieties, de cieties. Dey is just drawin' all the fatness and marrow outen the body and bone of the blessed Lord's body. We can't do nuffin without de 'ciety. Dar is the Lineum 'Ciety, wid Sister Jones an' Brudder Brown to run it. Sister Williams mus' march right in front of de Daughters of Rebecca. Den dar is de Dorcases, de Marthas, de Daughters of Ham and de Liberian Ladies."

"Well, you have your brethren to help in church we suggested. "No, sah. Dar am de Masons, de Odd Fellows, de Sons of Ham, and de Oklahoma Promis' Land Pilgrims. Why, brudder, by de time de brudders an' sisters pay all de dues an' tend all de meetin's dere is nuffin left for Mount Pisgah Church but jist de cob. De co'n has all been shelled off and frowed to de speckled chickens."

THE PARTY WHO WAS SEEN PICKING up velvet cape in London West on last Saturday afternoon, is requested to leave it at Detective Wara's office.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

-Mr. J. W. King, architect, Toronto, who has charge of the work in connection with the Dundas Street Center Church, is at the Tecumseh.

-The Homing pigeon owned by Mr. Obadiah Cannon, made the trip from Chatham to London, in the recent pigeon flying centest, in 1 hour and 45 minutes.

-Commencing on Sunday, June 2, clearance of the street letter boxes of the city and suburbs will be made every Sunday between the hours of 9 and 10 p. m.

-Dr. L. H. Dawson, son of Lieut.-Col. Dawson, city, and an honor graduate of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons and Toronto University, has opened a dental parlor in Brantford.

-Mr. James Cox, a farmer living on con. 3, London township, was taken to the police station this morning for driving a horse with a very sore shoulder. Cox was badly frightened, and while talking to the sergeant on duty fell to the floor in a faint. He will appear on Monday on a charge of cruelty to animals.

-The Street Railway Company's survey of the Springbank line on the north side of the river was completed this morning. Both sides of the river are now surveyed, but the company has not yet decided which route to adopt. Mr. J. B. MacKay, a St. Thomas engineer, has arrived in the city and will superintend the work of construction for the Company.

-The house of Mrs. Midham, con. 13, London township, was the scene of a happy gathering on Wednesday evening. The occasion was the marriage of Miss Rebecca Midham and Mr. John Corsaut, of London township. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Kirkland, of Bryanston, after which the company sat down to a rich repast. A large number of beautiful and costly presents testified to the high esteem in which the contracting parties are held. Mrs. and Mr. Corsaut will reside on the twelfth concession.

ASSESSMENT ROLL IS PRINTED. One thousand copies of the assessment roll are piled up in the city clerk's office awaiting claimants. Any ratepayer may have one for the asking, but they will not be distributed. The roll makes a respectable-sized book of 185 pages. It is published under authority of bylaw No. 882, passed Dec. 5, 1894, and cost the ratepayers just \$1,400. The matter contained is not arranged alphabetically, but in wards, and subsections of wards. Neither are the streets taken in parallel order, but a starting point is made at the corner of a block and the whole block covered until the starting point is again reached. There is no way of discovering a man's total assessment, as the name of the owner is not included with that of a tenant, and the latter's name is no clue to the owner.

### IN THE SPORTING WORLD.

BASEBALL: TORONTO VS. BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 30.—Over 3,000 people saw the morning game between Toronto and Buffalo, being present from Erie and Toronto. Shaw did well until Sippi made an error in the seventh. This seemed to rattle him, and he went Toronto .....3 0 0 3 0 0 2 0 2-10 17 2

Batteries - Vickery, Herndon and Dowse; Shaw and Lake. THE WHEEL. THIS WAS IN NEW YORK.
The Toronto Telegram, by way of let-

ting Toronto bicyclists know that they have not much to complain of, narrates A New Yorker the other evening lit the lamp on his bicycle and started out to enjoy himself. He wheeled along till a policeman obstructed his pathway

"Your lamp's not lit."
"Thank you," said the bicyclist, "It's gone out. I'll light it." and said: "Never mind lighting it," replied the policeman. "You just come to the sta-

tion with me." And to the station they went. The wheelman had changed his clothes before he started out, and he had not money enough to send a messenger to his friends. He languished in the cells for hours. He was not alone. There were 27 bicyclists, male and female, in custody in one New York police station one night last week.

THE TURF.

THE EPSOM GRAND PRIZE. London, May 30.—The race for the Epsom grand prize of 2,000 sovereigns for 3-year-olds, about one mile and a quarter, was run at Epsom today and was won by Mr. Russell's brown colt Whittier, by Laureate out of Virginia Thorn. Mr. J. Best's bay colt Powick, by Saraband, out of Elegance, was second. Powick was the favorite at 30 to 1.

ACTRESS' SAD DEATH

And Equally Sad Life-Once a Leading Lady.

Chicago, May 30.-Mabel Benson Belew, at one time well-known in England as an authoress and actress, attempted suicide last night at No 108 South Jefferson street by cutting her throat with a razor. She was taken to the hospital, and physicians do not

think that she can live. Miss Bellew has been leading lady to Barry Sullivan, Wilson Barrett, Ernest Knowles, Gustavus Brook and others. She was the first playwright to dramatize "East Lynne." Her family belongs to Wiltshire, England, and are all

theatrical people. At her mother's death Miss Bellew inherited \$50,000 and retired from the stage. She was married to Capt. J. Hackett Townsend, of the British army, who wasted her fortune. She left him, and because of this he attempted to murder her. He cut her throat and left her in a ditch in the outskirts of prison. She went to New York to search for a relative, J. J. Essop, a stock broker, but was unable to find him. She continued her search, and finally she got to the end of her money, and having no friends sought death.

A POINTER FOR ROSEBERY. London, May 30.—The Chronicle this morning lectures Lord Rosebery, and says: "Doubtless he may be called fortunate, but we hope he will never aspire to win another Derby."

BIG ADVANCE IN MUTTON. Rawlins, Wyo., May 30.—Information from the south is to the effect that a herd of nearly 50,000 sheep is on the move toward Colorado, and that the advance of sheep will be resisted by the cattlemen, who are determined that their ranches shall not be destroyed. An armed conflict is probable. GOVERNOR MORTON DROPS.

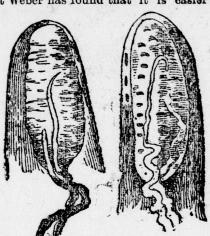
New York, May 30.-At 9 o'clock, while Governor Morton was reviewing the parade at the Worth Monument, he was overcome by the heat and dropped down on the platform unconscious. The Governor had been standing in the hot sun for more than an hour, and had a couple of minutes when there was a quantities.

THE SENSE OF TOUCH.

Which It is Translated.

A writer in a German medical paper has the following on the sensatory nerves of the fingers: "The sense organs, which nervous excitation, are essentially alike crease this amount gradually until they in structure, although they vary consid- are taking a piece about the size of a erably in size. Included among them are pea. Pacini's corpuscles imbedded in the subcutaneous tissues, especially under the skin of the palm of the hand and the sole of the foot, but also in other parts of the body, as in the joints, and in the messentery of the cat. These corpuscles are gradually discontinue the use of it, they elliptical bodies, one to two millimetres invariably die a sudden death, and the tery of the cat. These corpuscles are in length. To the naked eye they appear fact that death generally occurs from to be elastic, semi-transparent bodies with poisoning by hidri eating shows that white stripes. Other corpuscles resembling them, but microscopically small, are those found imbedded in the papillæ of the outer skin.

"As regards the sensation of location of touch, we can distinguish simultaneous pressure on two different parts of the body and concentrate attention now on one and now on the other and to a certain extent determine the relative pressure; but Weber has found that it is easier to



CORPUSCLES OF THE FINGERS, SHOWING THE NERVES.

determine the relative force of two distinct successive pressures on the same

"The delicacy of perception of relative degrees of pressure is not alike on all parts of the body. The fingers exhibit the most delicate perception of locality, and, speaking generally, the sensation of pressure is greater when the sensation of

locality is high. "Sensitiveness to heat and cold is not THE NEW MEDICINE alike on all parts of the body; but we must not confuse sensitiveness with quickness of operation; the most sensitive nerves may terminate under the thickest skin, and skin being a bad conductor of heat, the parts thus protected do not respond so quickly. We find this illustration in the hands. If we dip both hands into water slightly above the freezing point, with the palms toward each other, but not in contact, the cold is first experienced in the back of the hands, where the skin is thinnest, but after about eight seconds we begin to feel the cold more in the hollow of the hands and very soon we realize that the same water produces a far greater sensation of cold there than on

the back of the hands." How the Saying Originated.

It is said that the expression, "There i a skeleton in every closet, "arose from the following incident: A young Italian student, finding he was dying, fearing to break the news to his mother, adopted the following device: He informed her that he was ill, and that he had been foretold he would not recover until he had worn a shirt made by a weman who had no trouble. The widow soon discovered that it was no easy task to find such a person, but at length was referred to a lady who seemed surrounded with every comfort and happiness and possessing a husband who seemed devoted to her. The widow made known her request, and for an answer was shown a closet where a skeleton hung suspended from a beam. She was told it was the remains of the lady's former lover, who from motives of jealousy had been slain by her husband. and that he compelled her to visit it every day. The widow concluded that no one

was without trouble, that "there was a skeleton in every closet," and became reconciled to the approching loss of her son.

Napoleon's Birthplace, A correspondent sends us the following account of Corsica, the writer having lately wintered there: "We love the country and the people, but it is as wild as the interior of Africa, with a rude. variable climate. Dirt exists to such a degree that you cannot walk a step without stepping into filth. Stench prevails in every corner, even in the street of Ajaccio, "leading to Napoleon's birthplace. In country inns no sanitary arrangements exist whatever, and you get nothing to eat whatever unless you telegraph the day before. Brigands are rare indeed, but you must have no quarrel with any man, or even look at any man disapprovingly, or he gets mad with anger, and then-beware! Yet the country is marvelously beautiful, and a trip in the latter part of March, April or early in May will repay all incredible inconveniences and horrors."-London Daily News.

Largest Join, The largest gold coin in existence is said to be the gold ingot, or "loof" of Annam, a flat, round gold piece worth about £63, the value being written upon

ARSENIC EATERS.

it in Indian ink.

The Styrians Are Addicted to the Use of the Deadly Drug. For many years the habit of arsenic eating by the people of Syria, a duchy

of Austria, has been known to the scientific world. Travelers who have passed London. For this crime he is now servithrough Syria have came back with reing a fourteen-year term in an English ports on this practice, saying that the ports on this practice, saying that the people of that country were accustomed to taking a white mineral which was arsenic That this was so was denied by many, who said that the mineral taken was nothing more nor less than chalk. There

was much discussion over the matter, and the subject proved itself of such interest and importance that scientific societies took the question up and investigated it, and it was pretty well proven that such a usage did exist, but not so widespread as was generally supposed. Many physicians have gone there simply to investigate this practice of arsenic eating. While some of them have found out much about the custom, others have come away no wiser than they went, owing to the secrecy which exists among those addicted to the habit. As it is against the law to obtain arsenic without a prescription from a physician, of course those who do so are anxious to keep it quiet. There are also found among the peas-ants of Salzburg and Tyrol those who follow the same practice. In these re-gions several arsenic works are situated, and the only way the employes can stand the poisonous fumes is by taking the drug internally, at first in small doses, and gradually increasing only ocasionally used an umbrella for the dose until the system tolerates large

It is probably from these arsenic

workers that the custom spread to others, principally to the lower classes, as Curious Facts About the Nerves Through hunters, wood cleavers, stable grooms and charcoal burners. All forms of arsenic are taken-the pure arsenic, the

red sulphide and the yellow sulphide, or orpiment. The arsenic eaters begin with a dose convert any irritation of the skin into about the size of a pin's head, and in-

> The habit is generally begun at the age of fifteen and continued up to the ages of 70 and 75. The users of hidri, as arsenic is known among the peasants, are generally long-lived people, but unless at the age of 50 they commence to even the Syrians are not invincible to the deadly effects of the drug.

The reason for this custom is asserted by some to be from their personal appearance, but the fact that the habit exists principally among the male sex disproves this.

Enormous quantities of the drug are taken by some of them. In one wellauthenticated case, the man, the manager of the arsenic works, took a daily dose of 23 grains, each dose large enough to kill several men unaccustomed to its use. Another strange thing about this case is the man began it first by taking three grains, an amount which we would consider decidedly dangerous. On several occasions he attempted to leave off taking the drug, but was made violently ill, only to recover on resuming his usual allowance. -Washington Star.

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