WHEAT FUTURES DROPPED.

Further Recessions in All Options at Chicago.

Selling by Longs Continued to Be Heavy—Corn, on the Contrary, Made a Net Rise of Half a Cent a Bushel at Chicago, on Reports of Dry, Hot Weather in the West —Notes.

World Office,
Saturday Evening, July 14.

In Liverpool to-day wheat futures declined nearly 1d per cental. Maize futures fell off ⅝d.

Chicago wheat futures to-day declined a further cent and a half per bushel, and closed near the low point of the day. There was general selling by longs. Corn futures advanced a net half-cent per bushel on dry, hot weather in growing belt.

Indian wheat shipments to United Kingdom the past week 8000 bush.

English farmers' wheat deliveries the past week 22,000 quarters at an average price of 28s 7d.

Exports of wheat and flour from America this week equalled 2,829,000 bushels, as against 3,264,000 bushels the corresponding week of last year. Corn exports this week 4,008,000 bushels, as against 4,554,000 bushels the corresponding week of last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 244 cars, as against 137 cars last Saturday and 611 cars a year ago.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices at important wheat centres to-day:

	Cash.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
Chicago	$0 76⅝	$0 77	$0 77⅛	
New York	0 85⅝	....	0 82⅝	
Milwaukee	0 79	....	....	....
St. Louis	0 75⅞	0 74⅝	0 75⅝	0 75⅝
Toledo	0 81	....	0 81	0 80⅞
Detroit, red ..	0 80½	0 80½	0 80⅞	0 81½
Detroit, white.	0 80½	....	....	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 79	0 79	....	0 78⅝
Duluth, No. 1 hard	....	....	....	....
Minneapolis, No. 1 Northern ..	0 78⅛	....	0 76⅝	0 77⅝
Minneapolis, No. 1 hard	0 80⅛	....	....	....

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour—Ontario patents, in bags, $3.75 to $3.90; straight rollers, $3.30 to $3.60; Hungarian patents, $4.50; Manitoba bakers', $4.25, all on track at Toronto.

Wheat—Ontario, red and white, 71c to 72c north and west; goose, 70c north and west; No. 1 Man. hard, 90c Toronto and No. 1 Northern at 88c.

Oats—White oats quoted at 27c north and west and 28c east.

Barley—Quoted at 40c to 41c for No. 2 west, and feed barley 36c to 37c.

Rye—Quoted at 59c north and west and 61c east.

Bran—City mills sell bran at $14.50 and shorts at $16, in car lots, f.o.b., Toronto.

Buckwheat—Firm; 48c north and 50c west.

Corn—Canadian, none offered; American, 50c to 51c on track here.

Oatmeal—Quoted at $3.20 by the bag and $3.80 by the barrel, on track at Toronto, in car lots.

Peas—Quoted at 61c north and west, for immediate shipment.

TORONTO FRUIT MARKET.

Receipts amounted to 3500 packages, all told. Trade good, with prices steady, as follows: Strawberries, 5c to 8c; raspberries, 7c to 9c; blueberries, 90c per basket; gooseberries, 30c to 40c for small and 50c to 80c per basket for large; cherries, 90c to $1 per basket for common, and $1 to $1.65 for sweet; red currants, 25c to 40c; beans, 15c; potatoes, 65c per bushel.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 350 bushels of grain, 5 loads of hay, 2 of straw, a few dressed hogs and the usual Saturday's deliveries of butter, eggs and poultry.

Wheat—Prices easier as follows: Red, 100 bushels sold at 73c, one load of goose at 72c.

Oats—Two hundred bushels sold at 32½c to 33½c.

Hay—Three loads of old sold at $13 per ton, and two of new at $9 per ton.

Straw—Two loads sold at $9 per ton.

Potatoes—Old potatoes are worth from 30c to 35c per bag, and new sell at 75c to 80c per bushel.

Butter—Prices steady at 16c to 18c per lb. for the bulk, while choice dairy to special customers sold at 20c.

Eggs—Prices firm at 15c to 17c for strictly new-laid, while case lots sold at 13c to 14c.

Poultry—Spring chickens 75c to $1, while last year's birds brought from 50c to 60c per pair.

Spring Ducks—Deliveries larger, with prices easier at 75c to $1 per pair.

Dressed Hogs—Prices steady at $7.50 to $7.75 per cwt.

Grain—		
Wheat, white, bush.	$0 73 to	$0 73½
" red, bush	0 73	....
" fife, bush.	0 72½	0 73½
" goose, bush.	0 72	....
Oats, bush	0 32½	0 33½
Barley, bush.	0 40½	....
Rye, bush.	0 50	....
Peas, bush.	0 59	....
Buckwheat, bush.	0 48	....
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, old, per ton	$13 00 to	$....
Hay, new, per ton	9 00	....
Straw, sheaf, per ton	9 00	....
Straw, loose, per ton	4 00	5 00
Dairy Produce—		
Butter, lb. rolls	$0 16 to	$0 18
Eggs, new-laid	0 14	0 17
Poultry—		
Chickens, per pair	$0 50 to	$0 60
Turkeys, per lb.	0 10	0 12
Spring chickens, per pair.	0 60	0 90
Spring ducks, per pair.	0 75	1 00
Fruit and Vegetables—		
Potatoes, per bag	$0 30 to	$0 35
Potatoes, new, per bush.	0 75	0 80
Fresh Meat—		
Beef, forequarters, cwt.	$4 50 to	$5 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.	8 00	9 00
Lamb, per lb.	0 08	0 09
Mutton, carcase, per cwt.	6 50	7 50
Veal, carcase, per cwt	7 00	8 50
Spring lambs, each	3 00	4 25
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	7 50	7 75

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Hay, baled, car lots, per ton	$9 00 to	$9 50
Straw, baled, car lots, per ton	4 75	5 00
Potatoes, car lots, per bag.	0 32	0 35
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0 17	0 18
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls.	0 19	0 20
Butter, creamery, boxes	0 18	0 19
Butter, tubs, per lb.	0 16	0 17
Eggs, new-laid	0 12½	0 13
Honey, per lb.	0 09	0 10

Hides and Wool.

Price list, revised daily by James Hallam & Sons, No. 111 East Front-street, Toronto:

Hides, No. 1 green	$0 07½ to	$0 08
Hides, No. 1 green steers.	0 08	0 08½
Hides, No. 2 green steers.	0 07	0 07½
Hides, No. 2 green	0 06½	0 07
Hides, No. 3 green	0 05½	0 06
Hides, cured	0 07	0 08
Calfskins, No. 1	0 08	0 09
Calfskins, No. 2	0 07	....
Deacons (dairies), each	0 60	0 70
Sheepskins, fresh	0 80	1 20
Lambskins	0 30	0 35
Pelts	0 25	0 35
Tallow, rendered	0 04	0 04½
Wool, fleece	0 15	0 16
Wool, unwashed, fleece	0 09	0 10
Wool, pulled, super	0 16	0 18
Wool, pulled, extra	0 18	0 21

Chicago Markets.

Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Aug.	78⅛	78⅛	76⅞	77
" —Sept.	79¼	79¼	77⅝	77⅞
Corn—Aug.	44¼	44½	43⅞	44
" —Sept.	44⅝	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝
Oats—Aug.	24⅝	24½	24⅛	24⅛
" —Sept.	24½	24⅝	24⅛	24⅛
Pork—Sept.	12 57	12 57	12 52	12 52
Lard—Sept.	6 92	6 92	6 87	6 87
Ribs—Sept.	6 97	6 97	6 95	6 95

British Markets.

Liverpool, July 14.—(12.30).—Wheat, No. 1 Northern spring, 6s 5d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 4d to 6s 4½d; red winter, no stock; corn, new, 4s 1⅝d; old, 4s 2d; peas, 5s 7½d; pork, prime western mess, 67s 6d; lard, prime western, 35s 3d; tallow, Australian, 26s; American, good to fine, 25s; bacon, long clear, light, 43s 6d; heavy, 43s; short clear, heavy, 39s 6d; cheese, white 47s 6d, colored 47s 6d; wheat steady; corn, old quiet, new firm.

Paris—Holiday. French country markets quiet.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat quiet; No. 1 standard Cal., 6s 4d to 6s 4½d; Walla, no stock; Northern spring, 6s 5d to 6s 6d; futures dull; Sept., 6s 2⅝d; Dec., 6s 3⅝d. Spot corn, firm; mixed American, old, 4s 2d to 4s 3d; new, 4s 1½d to 4s 1¾d; futures dull; Sept., 4s 2¾d. Flour, Minn., 20s 9d to 22s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage easier and neglected, 3d lower; La Plata, steam, June, 32s 9d, paid; Aug. and Sept., 32s 6d; La Plata, sail, on passage, 32s 9d, paid; all sold late yesterday; No. 1 Northern spring, steam, July, 35s 9d; paid. English country markets quiet. Maize, on passage, rather easier. Oats, American, No. 2 clipped, on passage, 14s, paid; maize, spot quotations, American mixed, 21s. Flour, spot Minn., 26s.

Antwerp—Spot wheat quiet; No. 2 red winter, 17¾f.

New York Produce Markets.

New York, July 14.—Flour—Receipts, 18,310 bbls.; exports, 15,360 bbls.; sales, 5700 pkgs.; weak and lower to sell, closing entirely nominal. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal—Quiet. Rye—Quiet; No. 2 western, 65c, f.o.b., afloat; state rye, 61c to 62c, c.i.f., New York, car lots. Barley—Nominal. Barley Malt—Nominal.

Wheat—Receipts, 94,300 bushels; exports, 63,714; sales, 2,856,000 bushels futures, 400,000 bushels spot. Spot weak; No. 2 red, 85½c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 red, 82⅞c, elevator; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 87½c, f.o.b., afloat, to arrive. Options opened weak and were further depressed during the forenoon by active liquidation, lower cables, enlarged spring wheat crop estimates, and further Northwest showers; closed weak at 1c net decline. July closed 85⅝c; Sept. 82⅝c to 83 7-16c, closed 82⅝c; Oct. 82⅛c to 83⅛c; Dec. 83⅛c to 84⅛c, closed 83½c.

Corn—Receipts, 274,650 bushels; exports, 188,879 bushels; sales, 35,000 bushels futures, 320,000 bushels spot. Spot firm; No. 2, 51½c, f.o.b., afloat, and 50⅝c, elevator. Options opened firm on less favorable report from Kansas than expected, but eased off steadily with wheat. Later the market was dull and easy, with considerable realizing; closed steady at 1c to 1⅜c net advance. July closed 49⅝c; Sept. closed 49½c; Dec. closed 46½c; Nov. closed 46½c.

Oats—Receipts, 200,200 bushels; exports, 39,970 bushels; sales, 60,000 bushels spot. Spot quiet; No. 2 oats, 29c; No. 3 oats, 28½c; No. 3 white, 30½c; No. 2 white, 31c; track, mixed western, 29c to 30c; track, white western, 30½c to 34½c; track, white state, 30½c to 34½c. Options inactive and easier.

Butter—Steady; creamery, 16½c to 19c; factory, current packed, 14c to 16½c; imitation creamery, 15c to 17c; state fair, 15½c to 18½c. Cheese—Firm; large colored, 9c to 9⅝c; large white, 9⅛c to 9⅝c; small white, 9⅛c to 9½c; small colored, 9⅛c to 9½c. Eggs—Firm; state and Pennsylvania, at mark, 14c to 17c; western, at mark, 12c to 13½c, for average lots.

Rosin—Steady. Rice—Steady. Molasses—Steady. Pig Iron—Weak. Copper—Quiet. Lead—Dull. Tin Plates—Steady.

Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 9¼c. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining, 4 5-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 13-16c; molasses sugar, 4 1-16c; refined firm. Coffee—The market for coffee futures opened firm in tone, with prices 5 to 10 points higher, and ruled quiet but steady on Hamburg cables and continued light crop movement in Brazil. The market was finally steady, with prices, net, unchanged to 10 points higher. Total sales futures were 11,000 bags, including Sept. at 8.05, Oct. 8.10, Nov. 8.20, Dec. 8.45 to 8.50, Feb. 8.55, March 8.65, April 8.70, May 8.80.

New York, July 14.—The receipts of butter for the week aggregated 57,429 packages, and shipments 698 tubs. Cheese—Receipts amounted to 45,489 packages, and shipments, 17,217 packages.

Montreal Produce Markets.

Montreal, July 14.—Flour—Receipts, 2200 barrels; market quiet and unchanged.

Cheese Markets.

Watertown, N.Y., July 14.—Sales on the Board of Trade to-day, 8000 boxes cheese, at 9c to 9⅛c; the ruling price; about 2000 for Montreal at 9⅛c to 9 3-16c.

London, Ont., July 14.—At to-day's market, six factories offered 600 boxes June and July cheese—140 white and 460 colored. Sales, tubs, 140 at 9 11-16c.

Chicago Gossip.

J. J. Dixon has the following to-day from Chicago:

Wheat—Opened easy, with local traders selling. Speculative trade moderate. Discouraged longs sold freely, causing quick break to 75c for September. Cash demand only fair. Sentiment mostly bearish. Crop estimates vary greatly. Some people recently from the fields still claim 75,000,000 to be the outside crop to expect, while some of the newspaper authorities talk as high as 135,000,000 for the three States. The Northwest one moment tends to the belief that the former estimate is nearer the truth. It is thought the visible decreased Monday about 1,500,000. World's shipments estimated at 9,800,000, which are very light.

Corn—There has been light trade in corn to-day, with prices steady and somewhat higher than yesterday's close. Hot and dry weather thru Kansas and Nebraska, together with predictions for fair and warmer to-morrow, were features. There was some selling by local crowd on extremely wide wheat market and fairly large receipts caused market to ease off ½c. Country acceptances were light.

Oats—There has been a rather large trade in oats to-day, with market firm and higher. Houses with Northwest connections have been the buyers. Crop reports not so favorable as past few days. Cash demand fair.

Provisions—Opened a shade easier on more hogs than expected and lower prices for same. Packers bought moderately of September ribs and lard. Commission houses sold. Estimated hogs Monday, 34,000; next week, 145,000.

THE CATTLE MARKETS.

No Trading in New York, But the Feeling Was Steady.

New York, July 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 823; no trading; feeling steady; exports, 1455 cattle, 73 sheep and 7120 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 3; no trading of importance; feeling dull and weak; city dressed veals, 8c to 10c per lb.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4481. Sheep steady. Lambs slow and weak. Sheep, $3 to $5; lambs, $6.30 to $7.60 per hundred for fair to choice.

Hogs—Receipts, 4142; none for sale; nominally steady.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, July 14.—Receipts of sale and thru cattle, about 100 head. Hogs, 32 cars. Cattle—Demand limited, prices ranging easy. Veals and calves were slow and generally lower; closed weak. Sheep and Lambs—Lower, weak. Hogs—Dull, slower and lower.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 150; nominal steady; natives, good to prime, $5.10 to $5.50; poor to medium, $4.50 to $5; selected feeders, $4 to $4.75; mixed stockers, $3.75 to $3.90; cows, steady, $3 to $3.75; heifers, $3 to $5; canners, $2 to $2.80; bulls firm, $2.75 to $4.50; calves, $4.50 to $4.85; receipts for the week, 1350; last week, 3100; Texans, fed steers, $4.25 to $5; do., grass steers, $3.80 to $4.10; do., bulls, $2.50 to $3.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; opened steady; closed weak to 5c lower; top, $5.40; mixed and butchers', $5.10 to $5.45; good to choice, heavy, $5.20 to $5.45; rough, heavy, $5 to $5.15; light, $5.15 to $5.42½; bulk of sales, $5.25 to $5.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 2500. Sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $4.10 to $4.50; fair to choice, mixed, $3.20 to $4.15; western sheep and yearlings, $3.60 to $4.60; Texas sheep, $3.10 to $4; native lambs, $4.50 to $6.00; western lambs, $5 to $6.25.

Receipts this week: Cattle, 55,800; hogs, 144,200; sheep, 71,600. Last week: Cattle, 45,600; hogs, 93,200; sheep, 57,800.

Cotton Markets.

New York, July 14.—Cotton—Futures opened steady. July 9.85 bid, Aug. 9.45, Sept. 8.80, Oct. 8.46, Nov. 8.28, Dec. 8.26, Jan. 8.26, Feb. 8.26, March 8.28 bid, April 8.32 offered, May 8.34 offered.

New York, July 14.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands, 10c; middling Gulf, 10¼c. Sales, none. Futures closed steadier. July 9.58, Aug. 9.12, Sept. 8.64, Oct. 8.33, Nov. 8.19, Dec. 8.16, Jan. 8.17, Feb. 8.19, March 8.21, April 8.24, May 8.27.

Price of Oil.

Pittsburg, July 14.—Oil closed at $1.25.

No Council Meeting To-Day.

Contrary to intention no notices have been sent out for a meeting of the City Council this afternoon. City Clerk Littlejohn thought a meeting to-day necessary, as a consequence of the decision not to submit the Exhibition bylaw to the people at present. Many members, however, are out of town, and the bylaw can wait until a large meeting can be got together, which will not be later than Monday next. Other important business will be ready by that time.

Will Fight Over $1.

Ottawa, July 15.—(Special.)—An interesting case is on the docket of the Division Court for next August. It is a small dispute between a member of Parliament and an Ottawa merchant. The member says he has been overcharged $1 and proposes to fight the matter out. It will necessitate a trip of 500 miles in August, but the M.P. is determined.

STOCK MARKETS OF A WEEK

Improved Tone in Business Community and in Securities

During the Past Few Days — The Crops and the Money Markets as Factors — Saturday's Good New York Bank Statement—Fluctuations on Wall Street—Notes and Gossip of a Day.

World Office,
Saturday Evening, July 14.

During the past short while the tone of both the business community and the security market has taken a decided turn towards confidence, and in some cases even buoyancy.

This change is due, no doubt, partially to the improvement in the crop outlook in the Canadian and American Northwest, and especially in Ontario. A bumper wheat crop is promised in this province, and the recent rains have greatly raised the condition of the spring wheat in the west. Moreover, the outlook just now is that the improved prices of wheat this year will make up for the shortage of the crop on this continent. Another thing to be remembered is the bumper crop of corn that is promised this season.

Another factor in the more confident condition of affairs is the continued ease of money. No stringency is reported either from England or Europe, while in New York, Toronto and Montreal the banks are freely offering funds for call loan purposes.

One effect of this ease of money is the renewed activity in launching new enterprises and the carrying out of consolidation of old ones, such as the absorption of the Bank of British Columbia by the Bank of Commerce.

The disturbing elements in the situation are still the Chinese crisis and the Presidential campaign across the line.

During the week Canadian Pacifics have made a net gain of over one-half point, General Electrics have risen 3 points, Commercial Cable 2, Richelieu between 2 and 3 and Dunlop Tire pref., 1. Dominion Bank after sagging on the reduction of the dividend rate, closes the week strong and advancing, and Western Assurance, after a sharp slump, due to the calling in of the unpaid capital, is tending rapidly upwards. Street Railway issues have taken an upturn during the week, but have eased off again. In mining stocks War Eagle, Republic and Payne closed the week strong.

Notes by Cable.

Consols declined ⅛ to 3-16 to-day in London.

In London the weakness in Wall-street yesterday, together with a lack of public support to-day, checked American railway shares at the opening, but the market quickly recovered and closed steady.

The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was £91,000.

Spanish fours 70¾.

In Berlin exchange on London 20 marks 44¾ pfgs. for cheques. Discount rates: Short bills, 3 per cent.; three months' bills, 3⅝ per cent.

On Wall Street.

The sole interest attaching to to-day's stock market was on account of the dullness. In that respect it was a true index of the speculative condition, which is one of entire uncertainty and lack of conviction. Most of the board members were out of town for a holiday, confident that nothing that could occur would induce any sudden activity to develop. Some desultory efforts were made to advance Union Pacific by making bids for the next dividend on a specified number of shares at a higher figure than the prevailing dividend rate, but these efforts secured little attention. The market was, as a whole, lower than last night, when the bank statement appeared. There was some light buying to cover shorts, but the large increase in reserves and in the surplus attracted even less attention than did last week's unexpected decrease. There was no explanation of the large gain in cash, and it was generally accepted as the working of the average system in the rectification of last week's unwarranted show of a loss. The sterling exchange market was nominal, as usual on a Saturday, but the posted rate for demand sterling was advanced ½c in response to the rise in London discounts. It is pretty certain that these developments foreshadow an advance in the Bank of England minimum discount rate, and export of gold from New York last week.

The opening was dull, and at last night's closing figures, but the volume of business was the lowest the stock market had this year. The fact that London did almost nothing and to-day being half-holiday, made the trading entirely uninteresting, and with the exception of Sugar, which was stronger, on a higher raw market, barely any stock showed a larger range of price than ½ per cent. The bank statement, which was issued to-day, was very satisfactory, showing increase in specie and legal tender of nearly $4,750,000, while reserve increased over $4,000,000. The transactions, after the appearance of the bank statement, did not increase in volume, but prices were the best of the day. Demand sterling $4.87. The bank statement read: Surplus reserves increased $4,720,925, loans increased $1,654,900, specie increased $4,386,700, legal tenders increased $394,300, deposits increased $5,640,300, circulation increased $286,800. The banks now hold $19,960,125 in excess of the legal requirements.

Railway Earnings.

C.C.C. earnings for the first week of July increased $412.

Illinois Central's net earnings for May decreased $145,366.

The Money Markets.

The local money market is steady. Money on call, 5½ per cent.

The Bank of England discount rate is 3 per cent. Open market discount rate, 2⅞ per cent.

Money on call in New York nominal. No loans.

Foreign Exchange.

Buchanan & Jones, 27 Jordan-street, Toronto, stock brokers, to-day report closing exchange rates as follows:

	Between Banks. Buyers.	Sellers.	Counter
N.Y. Funds	1-64 dis	par	1-8 to 1-4
Montl Funds	5 dis	5 pre	1-8 to 1-4
Demand Sig	9 7-16	9 1-2	9 7-8 to 10
60 Days Sight	8 7-8	8 15-16	9 1-4 to 9 3-8
Cable Transf's	9 9-16	9 5-8	10 1-8 to 10 1-4

—Rates in New York—

	Posted.	Actual.
Demand sterling	4.87½	4.86¾ to ....
Sixty days sight	4.85	4.84⅛ to 4.84¼

New York Stocks.

Thompson & Heron, 16 West King-street, report the fluctuations on Wall-street to-day as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Sugar, com	118	118	117½	117½
Am. Tobacco	91¼	92½	91¼	92
Am. S. & W., com.	32	32⅝	31½	32¼
Atchison, com	25¼	25½	25¼	25½
do. pref.	69⅛	69⅛	68⅞	69
Anaconda Copper	40	40	39⅝	39⅝
B. R. T.	53¼	53⅝	52⅞	53½
B. & O., com	74	74⅝	73⅞	73⅞
do. pref.	81	81	80½	80½
Ches. & Ohio	27⅛	27½	27⅛	27½
Cont. Tobacco	25	25	24	25
C., B. & Q.	124¼	124¼	123⅝	124
Chi. Great West	11	11	10⅞	11
Chi., M. & St. P.	110⅝	110⅝	110¼	110⅝
Federal Steel, com.	32¼	32¼	32	32¼
do. pref.	65½	65½	65½	65½
Louis. & Nashville.	72⅝	72⅞	72½	72⅝
Missouri Pacific	51½	51½	50⅞	51
M., K. & T., pref.	31½	31½	31⅛	31½
Manhattan	87½	87½	87½	87½
Met. St. Ry.	151¼	151¼	151	151
N. Y. Central	129¼	129⅞	129¼	129⅞
Nor. & West., com.	33⅝	33⅞	33⅝	33⅝
Nor. Pacific, com.	49½	50	49½	49⅝
Ont. & West.	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼
Penn. R. R.	128	128¼	127⅞	127⅞
People's Gas	98⅛	98⅛	97⅞	97⅞
Pacific Mail	27½	27½	26½	26½
Rock Island	106⅛	106¼	105½	106⅛
Reading, 1st pref.	59	59	58⅝	58⅝
Southern Ry, com.	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
South. Pacific	32¼	32⅝	32¼	32½
Tenn. Coal & Iron.	65¼	65½	65¼	65½
U.S. Leather, com.	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Union Pacific, com.	55	55⅝	54⅞	55⅛
do. pref.	74¼	74¼	73⅝	73⅝
Wabash, pref.	18½	18½	18½	18½

London Stock Market.

	July 13. Close.	July 14. Close.
Consols, account	98⅛	98⅝
Consols, money	99	98 13-16
N. Y. Central	133	133
C. P. R.	91¼	91¼
Illinois Central	120⅝	120⅝
Pennsylvania	65⅝	65⅝
St. Paul	113¼	113⅝
Louisville & Nashville	75⅝	74⅝
Northern Pacific, pref.	73	72⅝
Union Pacific	56⅝	56⅝
Union Pacific, pref.	76½	76
Erie	11¼	11¼
Erie, pref.	33¼	33¼
Atchison	26½	26½
Reading	8⅝	8⅝
Ontario & Western	19⅝	19⅝
Wabash, pref.	19¼	19¼

Charles Lee of the second concession of York had four cows killed and one injured this morning by a C.P.R. train, while they were being driven across the tracks near Leaside.

ROSSLAND'S YIELD SO BIG

That One of the Smelters Which the Camp Feeds Has to Be Doubled in Capacity.

A GOLD INGOT WORTH $135,275.

Sales of and Closing Quotations on Mining Stocks on Saturday—Sailor and Minnehaha.

So rapidly is the output of Rossland camp ores advancing that it is found necessary to enlarge one of the smelters that take care of the product.

In consequence of the output of the Le Roi increasing in the manner it has done of late and of the expected output of the Le Roi No. 2 (No. 1 Josie) and of the Le Roi No. 3 (Nickel Plate) it has been definitely decided to considerably enlarge the capacity of the smelter at Northport which is at the present of a 650-ton capacity, but which is able to deal with a larger amount of ore thru subsidiary treatments to a capacity which is nominally double, 1250 tons. New batteries of boilers which are in the aggregate upwards of 750 horse power have been ordered and are already on the way. A new engine of commensurate capacity has already been shipped. Some of the minor machinery which will be readily erected has not as yet been decided upon, the deliberations are now taking place as to what particular species of this machinery is most desirable. The addition of this new plant will double the present capabilities of the smelter. As the excavations and grading for the new engines and boilers were provided for at the erection of the original plant and as a flue has already been built for the new boilers there will be no time lost in getting the new works into order. The new part of the smelter will probably blow in before the middle of September.

A Gigantic Gold Brick.

There will be on exhibition at the Dominion Express Company's office, corner Yonge and Wellington-street, to-day, from 9 till 2 o'clock, a gold ingot weighing 7897 ounces, value $135,275, the result of 62 days' washing with 2500 miner's inches of water at the Consolidated Hydraulic Mine. This is the largest ingot recovered from any hydraulic mine in the world, for the same number of days washing.

Sailor and Minnehaha.

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with Sec. 100 of the Companies Act, 1897, British Columbia, a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Sailor Consolidated Mining and Milling Company of Camp McKinney, Limited, will be held at the company's office, 19 and 21 Adelaide-street east, Toronto, on Friday, the 27th of July, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of confirming a special resolution passed at the second annual meeting of the said company held on July 12, providing for the increase of the authorized capital of the said company from $1,250,000 to $2,000,000.

At a meeting of the shareholders of the Sailor Consolidated, held in the Temple building Thursday afternoon, the agreement looking towards the absorption of the Minnehaha Company was formally ratified. By the terms of the contract the Sailor Company assumes all the outstanding liabilities of the Minnehaha, amounting to about $2000. The capitalization of the Sailor will be increased from $1,250,000 to $2,000,000, the shareholders of the Minnehaha receiving 500,000 shares of the new stock. In return the Sailor Company secures the Minnehaha mine, stamp mill, boiler, hoist and compressor, together with all other machinery owned by the Minnehaha Company. The Sailor Company binds itself to expend $25,000 in development work within the year, and taking in this the assets of the Minnehaha Company will revert to the shareholders. At the meeting on Thursday the old directors were re-elected, Mr. James Robinson of Montreal being added to the board.

Le Roi Shipments Again High.

Rossland, B.C., July 14.—The shipments of ore from Le Roi mine this week have again passed its record, and are close to the highest mark for the whole camp in the days when the Le Roi, War Eagle, Centre Star and the Iron Mask were all regular shippers. The Le Roi shipped 4080 tons, and the Evening Star 75, making a total of 4755 tons. Ninety tons of this was sent to Trail. This is the first of the regular daily shipments of 150 tons from the Le Roi to Trail, a contract having been made for a regular supply to that smelter. This will bring Le Roi's total beyond the record total of the camp.

Manager Macgillivray Now.

Mr. D. Macgillivray, accountant at the head office of the Bank of Commerce in Toronto, assumes the management of the branch at Walkerville, while Mr. F. L. Crawford, accountant at Montreal, takes the position vacated by Mr. Macgillivray.

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EARTHQUAKE IN CAUCASIA.

Five Villages Were Destroyed, Six Persons Killed and Nine Injured.

St. Petersburg, July 14.—A severe earthquake in Kars and Kagyrman Districts of the Caucasus Mountains resulted in the destruction of five villages, several churches and many houses. Six persons were killed and nine injured.

The Demon Dyspepsia—In olden times it was a popular belief that demons moved invisibly through the ambient air seeking to enter into men and trouble them. At the present day the demon, dyspepsia, is at large in the same way, seeking habitation in those who by careless or unwise living invite him. And once he enters a man it is difficult to dislodge him. He that finds himself so disposed should know that a valiant friend to do battle for him with the unseen foe is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are ever ready for the trial ed

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