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Single judge at 10 a.m.-Walker v. Underwood; re Campbell and village of Southampton: James v. Princess (two motions); re Georgian Bay Ship, etc., Co.; Kidd v. ugherin; Cusick v. Cusick; Howley v. Hastings.

Non-jury sittings at 10 a.m.-Dickerson v. Radeliffe (to be concluded); Humber-stone v. Township of York; Ryan v. Mc-Laughlin; Whittam v. Scott; Johnston v. Dominion G. D. & P. M. Co.; Johnston v. Stafford; Weston v. Toronto Street Ry. Co.; are quoted at \$4.10 to \$4,15 in barrels, mid-Hurst v. City of Toronto; Farweil v. Glen- dle freights.

Below will be found the only complete report of patents gran.ed this week to Canadian inventors by the United States Government. This report is prepared especially for this paper by Messrs. Marion & Marion, solicitors of patents and experts, head office, 185 St. James-street, Temple Building, Montreal: John Edmonds, Woodburn, Can., draining machine; Charles A. McClair et al, North Brookfield, samp tappet; Peter McMurray, Welland, acetylene gas generator; John M. Parkinson, Toronto, detachable fastener for cuff links; Marmaduke Matthews, Bracondale, pedal for biscycles, etc.

Wholesale Clothing Cutters. A meeting of the wholesale clothing cutters of this city will be held in Shaftesbury
Hall to-night at 8 o'clock. E. J. Sabine,
President of the Syracuse Clothing Cutters'
Union, international organizer of United
Garment Workers, President Joyce and
Secretary Oliver of Hamilton Cutters'
Union will be present to address the meeting. All cutters are invited to be present.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BOXING GLOVES PUNCHING BAGS

Which Advances Again Despite the

Wednesday Evening, March 2. Wheat advanced from 1/2c to 1c at Ameri-Cheese is down 6d in Liverpool.

Heavy purchases of May wheat in Chi-Corn is firmer on the local snarket.
Puts on July wheat 90%, calls 92%. Puts on May corn 301/sc, calls 301/sc.

Leiter is picking up May wheat at March

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

oledo 1 00 etrolt 0 98½ uluth, No. 1 Northern 1 00 uluth, No. 1 hard 1 00½ oronto, red 0 93 oronto, No. 1 hard 1 09 GRAIN AND PRODUCE

WHEAT-The wheat market is brisker, winter. Spring is offered at 87c to 88c on Midland. No. 1 Manifoba hard is dull and weak, being quoted at \$1.00 North Bay and at \$1.06 Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with cars quoted at 35c west and 36c east.

RYE-The market is unchanged, with sales outside at 50c to 51c. CORN-The market is firmer. Car lots quoted at 32c to 33c.

BRAN-The demand is good and prices firm. Bran is quoted at \$12.50 middle freights and shorts at \$13.50 middle freights.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. The receipts of grain were fairly large Wheat unchanged; 1000 bush sold as fol-

lows: White 84c to 8416c straight, red 92c

passage nothing doing. Maize on paster easy, arts-close—Wheat, 271 70c for Aug. STOCKS ARE STILL our, 61f 20c for May.

Chicago:

Wheat—Outside shorts were again active buyers of July wheat this morning, which accounts largely for the advance up to 92%. There was also buying by local parties, influenced, doubtless, by the steady buying of March and May by the bull clique, the latter selling up to \$1.07. While the feeling generally was somewhat bearish on July, the continued absorption of nearby deliveries by the bull crowd tends to create a feeling of uneasiness among the bears, especially on the bulges, who are undoubtedly aware that they have a good deal of company. Outside markets were firm, and Minneapolis was up 1½c per bushel, influenced by the reported further purchase in that market to-day of 500,000 bushels for shipment to Duluth. It is also claimed that there were heavy purchases of May in that market, supposed to be for account of Chicago party.

Liverpool closed from ½ to ¾d higher. Paris fregular, and Antwerp unchanged. The advance in May to \$1.07 was just ½c under the Liverpool May price, 5½c over New York, and the same over \$t. Louis. During the last hour July broke back 1 cent, and shorts are pretty well covered. There was considerable wheat for sale. The close was easy at about the low point of the day. The selling out of long corn had a depressing effect on the crowd. The principal selling came from holders who were buyers at 30 and under taking profits. Outside of this there was no especial feature. Receipts large, 69 cans; clearances moderate, 330,000 bushels.

Provisions—Were firm, and stocks on the first proved about as expected, pork for month increasing 300,000 barrels, lard 2500 tierces and ribs 273,000 lbs. Shipments of meabs continue, large. In three days they have aggregated out of Chicago 10,456,000 lbs, with 5,230,000 lbs of lard shipped out.

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Provisions—Opened strong and higher, as receipts of hogs were 7000 less than expected. At the advance packers who bought yesterday were sellers to-day. Market ruled weak and lower on this selling, and closed easy. Estimated receipts of hogs to-morrow 33,000.

Wheat—The early market to-day was in the hands of a lot of professional traders who arrived at the conclusion that market was firm, and they were generally accumulating good lines of wheat. There was no particular fight made against them, and for a while they kept the market firm. At the advance there was some good selling noticeable, some July by the Leiter bockers, and the local enthusiasts began the liquidation process, which forced prices down ic under the best of the day, closing weak on July. May wheat, however, was "riclously" bild for around close by Leiter brokers, and at closed "out of sight" again at 15%c premium over July. The news did not warrant any advance. Cable advices were quiet, and the export dusiness small; 12 loads red wheat taken at seaboard for Continent. There were vague disquieting rumors aflout to the effect that Spanish situation was not so serene

OVERCOATS,

ESTAB. 1843

Messrs. A. E. Ames & Co.'s cable to-day quotes G.T.R. 4 per cent. guaranteed stock at 74; G.T.R. first preference at 65½; G.T. R. second preference at 45½; G.T.R. third preference at 22½.

Bar silver declined to 25¼d per ounce in London.

N. Y. Sugar fell 3 points. Money Markets.

The local money market is not much changed, with call loans quoted at 4 per cent. In New York call loans were 2 to 2½ per cent, at the close. In London the rates were from 2% to 2% per cent. The Bank of England discount remains at 3 per cent, and the open market rate is 2% per cent.

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Consols, account1121/4	112 5-16
Canadian Pacific 86½ New York Central 117¼	86½ 118¾
Illinois Central1051%	106
St. Paul 967%	97%
Erie	143/4
Pennsylvania Central 591/4	59%
Union Pacific 341/2	31%
Louisville & Nashville 561/4	57%

tario, 110 and 100; Molsons, 205 and 200; Toronto, 235 and 220; Jacques Cartier, 100 and 98½; Merchants', 185 and 180½; Merchants', 185 offered; Nova Scotla, 230 and 210; Qubec, 125 offered; Ville Marie, 92; Hochelaga, 153 and 150; Windsor Hotel, 100 asked; Northwest Laund, 58½, and 50; C.P. R. bonds, 108 and 104; Dominion Coal, 168½; do., 60m, 108; and 105; Can. Cotton Co.'s bonds, 100 and 97½; Dominion Cotton, 97 and 93; Auer, 60 asked. Mornfag sales: Canadian Pacific, 25 at 84½, 200 at 84½, 200 at 84½, 50 at 84½, 5 at 84½, 20 at 185; Hallfax H. L., 15 at 38½; Richelieu & Ontario, 75 at 105; Montreal Railway bonds, 81000 at 250½, 21 at 250½, 25 at 261½, 40, new, 200 at 103½, 100 at 250½, 25 at 105; Montreal Cas, 100 at 196, 150 at 196; Royal Electric, 50 at 157½; Toronto Railway, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½, 100 at 261½, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½, 100 at 261½, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½, 100 at 261½, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal, 28 at 261, 25 at 261; do., new, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal, 28 at 261, 25 at 261; do., new, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal, 28 at 261, 25 at 261; do., new, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal, 28 at 261, 25 at 261; do., new, 100 at 261½, 80 at 104½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal Coal, 200 at 194½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal Coal, 200 at 194½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal Coal, 200 at 194½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal Coal, 200 at 194½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal, 28 at 261, 25 at 261; do., new, 200 at 261½, 50 at 161½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 185; Montreal Coal, 200 at 194½; Dominion Coal, 25 at 261½; do., new, 200 at 261½, 25 at 261½; do.,

WATERFORD BADLY SCORCHED. Yesterday Morning.

Waterford, March 2.-What proved to be this morning, when the Opera House, located in the top storey of the Alice Block, the finest building in town, owned by Mr, I. C. York, was discovered to be on five. The alarm was quickly sounded, and responded to by a large number of citizens; but owing to lack of are-fighting apparatus it was impossible to save the building, and their efforts were directed toward saving the surrounding structures. After an hour's hard work this was accomplished, but the Alice Block was completely destroyed. Loss, \$12,000; insurance, \$6000. The building was occupied by N. H. Cowdry, private banker; contents removed, no loss; I. C. York & Co., druggists, loss \$8000, insurance \$5500. Mr. York had also a printing press and type, value \$500, insurance \$275. S. L. Squire, drygoods and groceries, loss \$5000, insurance \$7500. Insurance \$5000; Dr. W. M. McGuire, dentist, loss \$100, no insurance, Miss Saltsbury, dressmaker, loss \$50, no insurance. The following is a list of surrounding stores damaged by heat and water; F. S, Green, hardware, damage by smoke and water, \$25, insured; Pearce Caley, damage on two blocks, \$50, insured; T. C. Savage, jeweler, damage to stock \$10, no insurance; Postofice Block, \$50, insured; George Doughty, damage to building, \$100, insured.

Canadian Pacific 860½ 86½
New York Central 117½ 118%
Illimois Central 105½ 106
St. Paul 967½ 178%
Reading 10 10
Pennsylvania Central 50½ 507%
Erie 14½ 14½
Uniton Pacific 340½ 507%
Louisville & Nashville 50½ 507%

Foreign Exchange.

Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-street west, Toronto, stock and exchange brokers, report local rates to-day as follows:
—Counter—Bet, Banks—Buy, Sell. Bay, Sell.
N.Y. Funds. ½ to ½|1-10-pre. Buy, Sell. Bay.

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Sterling, 60 days 4.83 4.82
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New York Gossip.

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Returns Received Yester

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Thus Evening Up Matt the province there can be much as since Wednesday returns altering the s.tuati ceived, The World time must stick by yesterday morning Conservatives a lead o at this writing the outlo ridings, now conceded to the yet have to be transferre olumn. West Elgin and th are referred to. Up to dat ed riding has been regarded Macnish (Lib.), but a privat in the city states that the be held in St. Thomas at ne give McDiarmid (Con.) the M.L.A." after his name. ubstantfated by informat source, to the effect that b ror, Dunwich Township was correctly give McNish 231, in majority. As Reformers ha of a lead for Macnish in stituency; this alteration in allow his opponent to win by

riding of the same name. seats go as suggested, The ask Mr. Hardy to step dow OFFICIAL FIG

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William Charlton Had a Cl South Norfolk - Ot Returns. Brantford, March 3 .- Sou tion official figures: Hardy 2511. Majority for Hardy 527 Chariton's Close C

now placed at 170.
North Braut—Official; Burt 102.
The official figures for West Tucker 1912. Scott. 1683.
Tucker 220.
South Wentworth—Dickinson 1475. Majority for Dickinson West Terento.

. The official figures give Cri jority of 730, the count bei 3678, Spence, 2948. Sheriff Widdifield yesterday official count for East Toron be: Dr. Pyne 3103, Mr. Caldy jority for Dr. Pyne, 1628.

'Hamilton, March 3.—(Specical counts in West and E were handed in this moran Henry Carscallen's majority duces that of the Mayor from The total number of votes East was 6839, of which 5614 56 ballots were rejected and I the West 5225 votes were 1616 and 88 ballots were rej

MR. GIBSON IS SA The Minister of Crown Land be Still Clinging to the Remaining in the Cal

Hamilton, March 3 .- (Spec took no stock in Mr. Gibson' Tuesday night that he would again for any constituency of The Minister of Crown Lan membered, made that same st he was beaten out by "Tom' for all that flung round patro years longer. The very in came the reliable rumor that worth would be opened, but had put up too big a fight tail in with that scheme. Not the other suggestion, any had put up too big a fight tail in with that scheme. Not the other suggestion, any had the suggestion of people here, Mr. Gibson now mas "a strong disinclination of people here, Mr. Gibson now will find the Mayor's majorit pull down as the mountain, and won on the Stinson major the ground of the alien vote, for one moment to be thoughthis charge or that of corrubrought against the Mayor. time Mr. Gibson is going restreets with a smilling face a that, though representing no still draw his salary of \$1000. If South Wentworth is prelikely will be, the victorior West and East Hamilton will the fight.

THE SORENESS IN

A Good Deal of Talk Being Regarding the Alleged I Ottawa, March 3.—(Specia about the dropping of Mr. Upper Town Conservatives, in quietly let die, is to-day quietly let die, is to-day than ever. Mr. Siattery's fidignant, and threaten all ki for the next election. Many tant Conservatives are also i say they had no idea such a be done.

Several Protestant Conservato to-day, said Mr. Slattery self to blame largely, as I Harmony Hall had offended tant members of the party, they say, at that meeting Catholicity too much, and that he was a P.P.A. a m Pope's Pontifical Associatio particularly. Others say tia Protestant element in Upper to get even with the Catholi