FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

FRUIT SCARCE TODAY PLENTIFUL TOMORROW

Rain Interfered With Picking Yesterday—Poultry in Large Supply.

Hay was plentiful on the local market this morning, some 30 loads being sold early in the day. Probably the most of it went off at $14 50 per ton, but a few choice loads brought $15 readily. New oats were eagerly snapped up at $1 35 per hundredweight.

The wet weather of yesterday having interfered with the fruit-picking, fruit was scarce today, but will be plentiful tomorrow.

Small baskets of peaches sold as low as 20 cents, larger baskets being offered for 50 cents.

Poultry prices remain unchanged. Poultry is said to be fairly plentiful this season, and commission merchants say that lower prices may prevail after fair time.

Grain Per Cwt.

Oats, per cwt	$1 35	to	$1 36
Barley, per cwt	1 10	to	1 16

Grain Per Bushel.

Oats, per bu	45	to	46
New wheat, per bu	1 00	to	1 01

Hay and Straw.

Hay, per ton	14 00	to	15 00
Straw, per ton	6 50	to	7 50

Produce.

Butter, dairy, lb, retail	24	to	26
Butter, crocks, per lb	24	to	25
Butter, creamery, rolls, lb	25	to	26
Eggs, crate, dozen	17	to	17½
Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen	20	to	20
Eggs, basket, dozen	18	to	20
Honey, strained, per lb	11	to	12½
Honey, sections, dozen	1 50	to	1 75

Poultry, Dressed.

Turkeys, per lb	15	to	15
Old fowl, per lb	10	to	11
Chickens, per pair	1 00	to	1 25
Spring chickens, per lb	12	to	13
Ducks, per pair	1 00	to	1 00

Poultry, Alive.

Spring chickens, per lb	12	to	12
Old fowl, per lb	9	to	10
Turkeys, per lb	12½	to	13

Butchers' Meats.

Beef, by the carcase	7 00	to	9 50
Mutton, per cwt	8 00	to	10 00
Yearling lambs, per lb	13	to	15
Dressed hogs, per cwt	12 00	to	12 00
Spring lambs, each	5 50	to	9 00
Veal, per cwt	7 00	to	9 00
Pork, forequarters, lb	13	to	13
Pork, hindquarters, lb	13	to	14

Live Stock.

Select hogs, per cwt	8 25	to	8 25
Fat sows, per cwt	6 00	to	6 50
Stags, per cwt	2 00	to	2 00
Export cattle, cwt	5 00	to	6 00
Milch cows, each	40 00	to	60 00
Spring lambs, each	4 00	to	6 00

Hides and Wools.

Lambskins, each	30	to	33
Wool, washed, per lb	19	to	20
Wool, unwashed, per lb	11	to	12
Hides, No. 1, per lb	8	to	8
Hides, No. 2, per lb	7	to	7
Hides, No. 3, per lb	6	to	6
Calfskins, per lb	10	to	12
Tallow, rough, lb	3½	to	3½
Tallow, rendered, lb	5	to	5½

Vegetables.

Potatoes, new, per bu	80	to	80
Green onions, per dozen	20	to	20
Radishes, dozen bunches	15	to	20
Lettuce, per dozen	20	to	20
Celery, dozen bunches	20	to	20
Cabbage, dozen, to size	40	to	40
Cucumbers, per dozen	20	to	40
Carrots, dozen bunches	20	to	25
Tomatoes, per basket	25	to	35
Red cabbage, dozen	40	to	40
Onions, per bu	1 10	to	1 25
Rhubarb, per dozen	25	to	30
Spinach, per bu	30	to	30
Spring beets, doz. bunches	20	to	20
Green peas, per quart	12	to	15
Beans, per peck	15	to	20
Green corn, per dozen	10	to	12
Squash, each	10	to	10
Cauliflowers, each	10	to	15
Green onions, doz. bunches	20	to	20
Mushrooms, per box	20	to	20
Puffballs, each	5	to	25

Fruits.

Apples, per bu	80	to	1 00
Sage, dozen bunches	20	to	20
Parsley, dozen bunches	10	to	10
Peppers, per dozen	5	to	10
Peaches, per basket	20	to	50
Plums, basket, retail	50	to	65
Thimbleberries, per box	10	to	11
Thimbleberries, wholesale	8	to	10
Pears, per basket	60	to	60

LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 2500; market strong to a shade higher; beeves, $4 70 to $8 35; Texas steers, $3 60 to $5 70; western steers, $4 to $6 85; stockers and feeders, $4 to $6 15; cows and heifers, $2 50 to $6 40; calves, $6 50 to $8 50. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 16,000; market steady to a shade lower; light, $8 35 to $8 95; mixed, $7 90 to $8 75; heavy, $7 60 to $8 45; roughs, $7 60 to $7 85; good to choice heavy, $7 85 to $8 45; pigs, $8 40 to $8 90; bulk of sales at $8 to $8 30. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 8000; market strong; natives, $2 50 to $4 55; westerns, $2 75 to $4 55; yearlings, $4 55 to $5 75; lambs, natives, $4 75 to $6 85; westerns, $4 75 to $6 85.

TORONTO, Aug. 18.—Receipts at the city cattle market, including yesterday and today, were 84 loads, with 1290 head of cattle, 2183 sheep and lambs, 800 hogs and 270 calves. Trade was good and active, and everything was sold before the close of the day's trading. The demand for export cattle continues light, and prices in this class show a steadily declining tendency. Choice exporters are quoted at $6 25, the top. A few loads of medium exporters sold at $5 50 to $5 75. While the exporters were easier, the demand for choice butcher cattle has been quite active for the latter part of this week. Butcher buyers have bought good export cattle for the local butcher trade, the decline in export prices enabling them to secure these cattle to advantage. Good to choice butchers were quoted firmer, at $5 25 to $5 75, and good export butchers at $6 to $6 15; choice butcher cows firm at $4 75 to $5 25. Stockers and feeders in good demand at $3 50 to $4 75 for light stockers, and $4 75 to $5 25 for heavy feeders, 1000 to 1100 lbs in weight. Sheep—Heavy ewes easy, light ewes and lambs firm. Calves steady, at $7 50, the top. Hogs—Market firmer, at $8 40 to $8 50 f. o. b., and $8 75 fed and watered, at Toronto. W. J. Neely (Park, Blackwell) bought 5 loads of butchers; good, $5 to $5 50; good cows, $4 to $4 80; common, $3 50 to $4; canners, $1 to $2. George Rowntree's (Harris Abattoir) purchases for the week were 700 head of cattle; butchers, $4 40 to $5; butcher and export steers, 1100 to 1300 lbs, $5 40 to $6 15; cows, $3 60 to $5 50; canners and cutters, $1 50 to $3; bulls, $3 15 to $4 80. George Dunn bought 1 load stockers, 910 lbs, at $4 87½; sold 1 load butchers, 800 lbs, at $4 70. Maybee & Wilson sold 5 loads butchers at $4 50 to $5 75. H. Hunnisett bought 2 loads exporters, 1100 to 1200 lbs, at $5 50 to $5 75; 1 load mixed cows, 900 to 1100 lbs, good, $4 40 to $4 75; medium, $3 50 to $4 25; common, $2 to $3. H. P. Kennedy sold 2 loads mixe dcattle; a few extra choice cows, export, 1200 lbs, at $5 40; butcher steers and heifers, $5; medium to good butcher cows, $3 50 to $4 75; sheep, $4; lambs, $7; calves, $7 to $7 50. W. Dunn bought 850 lambs, average $6 75; 200 sheep, average $4 25; 150 calves, average $7 25. C. Zeagman & Son sold 100 eastern stockers, 500 to 850 lbs, at $3 75 to $4 75; 2 loads feeders, 850 to 950 lbs, at $4 40 to $6; 200 lambs, 75 lbs, at $7 10; 50 sheep, 130 lbs, $4 75; 70 rough calves, 175 to 250 lbs, $4 75 to $7 50. W. Crealock (D. B. Martin & Co.) bought 90 butcher cattle; good, $5 25 to $5 60; medium, $4 75 to $5 25; cows, $4 to $4 80. Dunn & Levack sold 15 loads of cattle: butcher steers and heifers, $4 80 to $5 50; cows, $3 50 to $5. Corbett & Hall sold 8 loads butchers at $5 20 to $5 80; cows, $3 80 to $4 40.

EAST BUFFALO, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts 100 head; firm. Veals—Receipts 450 head; active, 50c higher; $7 to $11. Hogs—Receipts 5,600 head; slow, 10c to 15c lower; heavy, $8 75 to $8 80; mixed, $8 85 to $9; Yorkers, $9 15 to $9 30; pigs, $9 25 to $9 30; roughs, $7 15 to $7 40; dairies, $8 50 to $9 25. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2,000 head; active. Sheep steady. Lambs, 10c to 25c higher; lambs, $4 75 to $7.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO Aug. 19

Wheat, Sept	100¼	101	1 00⅛	100¼
Dec	104½	104½	103⅞	103⅞
May	109¼	109⅞	108⅞	108⅞
Corn, Sept	62⅜	62⅜	61⅛	61⅛
May	62⅛	62¼	61⅛	61⅛
Dec	60⅛	60⅛	59½	59½
Oats, Sept	35⅜	35¼	34½	35⅛
May	40¼	40¼	40¼	40¼

TORONTO, Aug. 19.—Local quotations are as follows: Ontario wheat—Old No. 2 winter nominal, at $1 03 to $1 05 outside; new nominal, at 97c to $1 outside. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 14½; No. 2 northern, $1 13; No. 3 northern, $1 10, at lake ports for immediate shipment. Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 71½c to 72c; No. 3 yellow Canadian nominal, 61c, Toronto freights. Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 41½c; No. 3, 40½c, at lake ports, for immediate shipment; Ontario No. 2 white, 38c to 39c outside; No. 3 white, 37c to 38c outside, 41c to 42c on track at Toronto; new oats nominal, at 35c to 36c. Barley—Nominal; No. 2, 50c to 51c; No. 3 extra, 48c; No. 3, 45c outside. Peas—No. 2, 73c to 75c. Manitoba our—Quotations at Toronto are: First patents, $6 20; second patents, $5 70; strong bakers, $5 50; 90 per cent patents, Glasgow freights, 25s. Ontario flour—New winter wheat flour, for future delivery, $4 75 to $4 85, at the mills. Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $20 per ton; shorts, $22; on track at Toronto; Ontario bran, $20; shorts, $22, on track at Toronto.

POTATOES

TORONTO, Aug. 18.—Potatoes—Local dealers are paying farmers 70c to 90c per bag.

HAY

TORONTO, Aug. 18.—Baled hay—No. 1 timothy, old, nominal, at $14 50 to $15; new No. 1, $13 to $14; inferior, $11 50 to $13. Baled straw—$6 to $7 50.

FLAX SEED.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—Flaxseed—No. 1 southwestern, $2 27; No. 2 northwestern, $2 49.

SUGAR

TORONTO, Aug. 18.—Sugar—Montreal granulated, in barrels, cwt, $5 20; do, in bags, $5 15; yellow, in barrels, $5 15; do, in bags, $4 75; Acadia, bags or barrels, $5 10; No. 2 granulated, in bags, $4 90.

DAIRY.

MADOC, Aug. 18.—At the cheese market 550 boxes were offered and sold at 10¾c.

STIRLING, Aug. 18.—At the regular weekly meeting of the cheese board 900 boxes were boarded; all sold at 10 11-16c.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 18.—At the cheese board 680 boxes white and 1389 colored were offered; sales at 10⅝c.

CAMPBELLFORD, Aug. 18.—At the cheese market 870 boxes were boarded; all sold at 10⅝c.

CLOVER SEED.

DETROIT, Aug. 18.—Cloverseed—Spot, $8 50; October, $8 60; March, $8 65; by sample, 10 bags at $8 25 per bu; prime alsike, $8 50; by sample, 24 bags at $8 25, 20 at $8, 37 at $7 50, 5 at $6 50, and 4 at $6 per bu. Timothy—Prime, 75 bags at $2 85 per bu.

TOLEDO, Aug. 18.—Cloverseed—Cash, $8 57½; October, $8 57½; December, $8 57½; March, $8 57½. Timothy—Prime, $3 65; August, $3 65; September, $3 65. Alsike—Prime, $8 60; August, $8 60; September, $8 60.

BEANS.

DETROIT, Aug. 18.—Beans—Spot, $2 40 bid; October, $2 15 bid; November, $2 10 bid.

STOCK MARKETS.

By private wire to H. C. Becher, London, from Harris, Winthrop & Co.

New York, Aug. 19, Wall Street 10 a.m.—Summary:

Americans in London weak, unchanged to a quarter below parity.

James J. Hill says the Northwest is prosperous, and financial conditions need not cause apprehension.

President Shonts and Sherman Wilcox agree on extension of new subway.

Railroads buying locomotives more freely than last spring.

Missouri Pacific will have spent ten million dollars for improvements before close of year.

Cotton crop in Texas helped by recent rains.

Rhode Island woollen mills to go on full time.

Copper market strong, heavy buying movement reported at 12¾ cents for electroiytic.

Copper stocks abroad decrease 41,126,400 pounds.

American Light and Traction expected to earn 28 per cent on common.

Third avenue bond holders will appeal reorganization case.

Kansas City Southern earns three per cent on common stock.

COBALT STOCKS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Aug. 19.—Beaver 22, Chambers 17, Crown Reserve 290, Cobalt Lake 13¼, Foster 12½, Green Meehan 13¼, Kerr Lake 660, La Rose 425, Little Nipissing 16, Nipissing 11, Otisse 2½, Rochester 17, Nova Scotia 30, Silver Leaf 7¼, Temiskaming 72½, Trethewey 128.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper 65⅞	66½	65¾	65¾
Amer. Beet Sugar 35	35½	34¾	34¾
Amer. Locomotive 36¾	36¾	36½	36½
American Foundry 49½	49⅝	49¼	49¼
American Refining 68¼	69¼	68	68
Amer. Cotton Oil 62½	62½	61⅜	61⅜
Atchison, com. 100¾	101	100	100
Baltimore & Ohio 105⅝	105⅝	105	105¼
Brooklyn Transit 76⅝	77⅞	76¼	76¾
Canadian Pacific 191¼	191¾	191¼	191½
Chesapeake & Ohio 74⅜	74½	73½	73½
Chicago & G. W. 24¼	..	..	..
Consolidated Gas 130½	130½	129¾	129¾
Col. Fuel & Iron 31½	31½	31¼	31¼
Distillers 28	28	27⅝	27⅝
Erie, com. 26	..	..	..
G. Northern, pfd 126½	126½	125½	125½
Kansas & Texas 33½	33½	33¼	33¼
Kansas & Tex., pfd. 36 ¼	..	..	..
Louisville & Nash 142¾	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific 54¼	54¼	54⅛	54⅛
New York Central 114¼	114¼	114	114
Northern Pacific 117⅝	117⅝	116⅝	116¾
Norfolk & Western 97⅞	..	..	..
National Lead 143	143½	143	143½
Ontario & Western 41	41	40⅛	40⅛
Pacific Mail 28	28	27⅝	27⅝
Pennsylvania 129½	129⅝	129⅛	129⅛
Reading 145	145⅞	144½	144½
Republic Steel 33⅞	33⅞	33	33
Rock Island 33⅛	33⅜	32½	32⅝
Rock Island, pfd 68⅞	69	68⅞	69
Southern Railway 23⅝	23⅝	23½	23⅝
Southern Pacific 115⅞	116¼	115⅛	115½
St. Paul 123	123¼	122⅝	122½
Texas Pacific 27⅛	..	..	..
Union Pacific 168½	169½	167¾	168
Central Leather 36⅛	36¼	35⅝	35⅝
U. S. Rubber 35¼	35¼	35	35
U. S. Steel 72	72⅜	71¼	71¼
U. S. Steel, pfd 116¾	116¾	116⅝	116⅝
Wabash, com. 18½	18⅝	17⅞	17⅞
Wabash, pfd. 38⅝	39½	38	38⅛

MONTREAL, Aug. 16.	Asked	Bid
Asbestos com	16½	15½
Black Lake com	26½	26½
Packers A	82½	78
Packers B	93	88
Canadian Converters	39	38
Canadian Pacific Ry	192	191⅞
Cement, pref	81	80
Crown Reserve	296	291
Detroit Electric	52	50½
Dominion Coal, pref	106	105
Dominion Iron and Steel	63	62⅞
Dominion Steel, pfd	105	104
Duluth Superior	68½	68
Halifax Electric	..	123
Illinois pref	90	89½
International Coal	55	..
Lake of the Woods	131	130
Lake of the Woods, pref	125	..
Laurentide Paper com	145½	142
Mackay, com	87⅛	86½
Mackay, pref	..	73¼
Mexican L. & P.	83	76
Minn. & St. Paul	131¼	131⅛
Mt. L., H. & Power	133	132⅞
Montreal Street Railway	241½	240½
Montreal Steel Works	120	117
Montreal Telegraph Co	150	147
Nor. Ohio T. & L.	38	37½
N. S. Steel, com	84⅞	84½
Ogilvie Milling	128⅛	128
Ogilvie Milling, pref	126	..
Ottawa Power	111	110
Penman, com	..	56¼
Porto Rico	..	48¾
Quebec, com	..	41½
R. & O. Navigation	86⅛	85½
Rio de Janeiro Tram	92½	91½
Rubber, com	..	94
Rubber, pref	..	110
Shawinigan	98⅛	..
St. John Electric Railway	..	102
Textile com	66	65⅞
Toronto Railway	120	116¼
Twin City	..	108
Winnipeg	180	179
Cement	19	18¼
Bank Commerce	..	199
Eastern Township Bank	162	160½
Hochelaga Bank	..	143
Merchants Bank	148	185
Molsons Bank	205	204
Bank Montreal	243	241
Bank New Brunswick	275	270
Bank Nova Scotia	280	279
Royal Bank	240	239¼
Traders Bank	..	143
Union Bank	142	140
C. C. Cotton bonds	100	99¼
Dominion Coal bonds	99	..
Dominion Cotton bonds	103	100
Dominion Iron and Steel bonds	..	94¼
Halifax Tramway	..	90
Keewatin Milling bonds	103	100
Lake of the Woods bonds	111	..
Laurentide Paper bonds	110	..
Mexican Electric	83	82
Mexican L. & P.	89	88
Montreal Light and Power bonds	99¼	98
Montreal St. Railway bonds	..	101
Ogilvie Milling bonds	114	..
Ogilvie bonds B	..	112
Porto Rico	85	82
Price Bros. bonds	105½	..
Rio de Janiero	..	95⅝
Rubber bonds	99	97
Textile bonds A	..	95¼
Textile bonds B	99¼	98⅛
Textile bonds C	96	95½
Textile bonds D	..	95½
Winnipeg Electric bonds	104	..
Quebec bonds	81¼	80¼
Cement	95½	95
Canada Car bonds	104	..
Windsor Hotel	69	..

Morning sales—Royal Bank, 24 at 240. Cement Bonds, 200 at 95. Halifax Ry., 12 at 122. Power, 275 at 133. Street Ry., 50 at 241. R. & O., 25 at 87, 25 at 86. Mexican, 100 at 76. Rio, 25 at 50. Ohio, 21 at 37½. Soo, com., 150 at 131, 25 at 131¼. Rails, 25 at 117, 20 at 116½. Quebec, 125 at 41¾, 50 at 41⅞, 75 at 42, 25 at 41⅝, 75 at 41½, 25 at 41¼, 100 at 41⅜. Shawinigan, 5 at 97. Telephone, 5 at 142¾, 25 at 143. Textile, 50 at 66. Black Lake, 1 at 25½. Reserve, 150 at 295. Scotia, 100 at 85. Cement, 2 at 18. Mackay, 20 at 88. Power Bonds, 25,000 at 99. Switch, 50 at 117. Penman, 35 at 56. Cement, pfd., 3 at 80½. Iron, com., 150 at 63½, 50 at 63⅜, 75 at 63¼, 50 at 63½, 10 at 63⅝, 1 at 63½, 150 at 63¼, 25 at 63⅛, 125 at 63.

TORONTO, Au. 19—Noon.

	Asked.	Bid.
Black Lake, com	26⅞	26¼
Black Lake, pfd	60	58
F. N. Burt, pfd	102	100
B. C. Packers, B	..	90
Bell Telephone	145	141¾
Canadian General Electric	106	..
Canadian Salt	..	100
Canadian Pacific Railway	..	191
City Dairy, com	70	..
Consumers' Gas	..	202
Dominion Steel, pfd	..	103
Dominion Steel & Coal	64¼	..
Duluth-Superior	68½	68¼
Laurentide, pfd.	140	..
Maple Leaf, com	..	50
Maple Leaf, pfd.	97	95
Monterey	77	75
Mackay, com.	88	87¼
Mackay, pfd.	74	73½
Mexican L. & P.	..	75½
Niagara Navigation	130	..
Northern Navigation	110	108
Penmans, com.	56½	55
Penmans, pfd.	84	82½
Quebec L., H. & P.	42	41½
Rio de Janeiro Tram	92⅜	92
Rogers, com.	..	170
Rogers, pfd.	107	..
Sao Paulo Tram	142	140½
Shredded Wheat, com	44	42½
St. L. & C. Navigation	115	..
Toronto Electric Light	112½	..
Toronto Railway	..	117
Twin City Railway	109¼	109
Winnipeg Railway	..	180
Crown Reserve	295	285
La Rose	405	400
Nipissing Mines	1125	1100
Trethewey	128½	128
Dominion Bank	236	235
Bank of Hamilton	..	198
Imperial Bank	..	225
Bank of Montreal	243½	..
Bank of Nova Scotia	281	..
Bank of Ottawa	..	208¾
Standard Bank	225	223
Bank of Toronto	212	..
Traders' Bank	..	143
Agricultural Loan	..	131½
Canada Landed	154	..
Canada Permanent	..	160
Central Canada Loan	..	190
Colonial Investment	..	..
Dominion Savings	67	72
Hamilton Provident	..	130
Huron & Erie	..	200
Huron & Erie, 20% paid	..	190
Imperial Loan	70	..
Landed Banking	..	130
London & Canadian	110	..
National Trust	..	190
Ontario Loan	..	145
Ontario Loan, 20% paid	..	130
Real Estate	101	..
Great West Permanent	126	..
Toronto General Trusts	..	170
Toronto Mortgage	..	131
Black Lake, bonds	..	84
Commercial Cable, bonds	85	..
Mexican Electric, bonds	..	83¼
Porio Rico, bonds	..	84
Quebec L., H. & P., bonds	..	81
Sao Paulo, bonds	..	99

Morning Sales: Black Lake, 10 at 26¼, 25 at 26¼; do, bonds, 500 at 85, 1000 at 85, 1000 at 85, 1000 at 85, 1000 at 85; Maple Leaf, 7 at 50, 3 at 50, 1 at 50; do, preferred, 1 at 95¼, 10 at 96¼, 15 at 96¼; City Dairy, preferred, 10 at 98½; Mackay, 10 at 88, 50 at 88, 20 at 87½, 10 at 87¾, 5 at 87½; do, preferred, 10 at 73¼; Soa Paulo, 15 at 141, 25 at 141, 10 at 140⅞, 10 at 140½; Twin City, 50 at 109, 25 at 109¼, 25 at 109¼; Mexican L. & P., 50 at 75⅞, 50 at 75¾; Dominion Bank, 1 at 236, 2 at 236, 1 at 236, 1 at 226; Porto Rico, 15 at 49½, 5 at 50, 25 at 50½; Rogers, preferred, 5 at 106; Duluth-Superior, 25 at 68⅜, 25 at 68⅜, 50 at 68⅜.

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CLOSING PRICES AT WINNIPEG

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

WINNIPEG, Aug. 19.—Wheat—Closing prices were as follows:

October	$1 03⅝
December	1 01¼
May	1 06

EAST LONDON

CYCLISTS COLLIDED ON ADELIADE STREET

Wm. Love Met With Serious Accident on Way to Work.

Mr. Wm. Love, employed at Leonard's foundry, met with a serious accident on his way to work this morning. While riding his bicycle across the railway tracks, near Adelaide street he was run into by another cyclist and thrown from his wheel. He was very badly cut and bruised about the face and knee and was taken to Dr. Jarvis for treatment. His injuries will require careful attention for some time.

GROCERS' PICNIC.

The east end grocers will picnic at Springbank the last Wednesday in August.

NEW MACHINERY.

The McClary Manufacturing Company are installing some new machinery in their Chelsea Green foundry.

CONFINED TO HOUSE.

Mr. William Fox, of Nelson and Rectory streets, who had his leg broken and foot crushed at the Niagara camp, ten weeks ago, is still confined to his home, although very much improved. Mr Fox was in Grace Hospital, Toronto, for six weeks, and was removed home about a month ago.

BROOKS HAWKIN.

On Thursday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, 18 Redan street, Miss Edith D. Hawkin was married to Dean Louis Brooks, of Erbena, Illinois. The marriage was performed by the Rev. J. W. Baird, of Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks left on a honeymoon trip to Buffalo and the east. Afterwards they will live in Erbena, Illinois.

A FAST GAME.

A fast game of ball was played last night on the Queen's Park diamond between McLeod's Specials and an independent team of East End hustlers. The score was 4 to 1 in favor of the Specials. Tonight Dundas Centre plays the First Methodist Sunday school team.

EAST END NOTES.

Mr. Charles Ferguson, of No. 5 fire hall, is spending his holidays in Pontiac, Mich.

Mrs. William Wanless, of 877 Dundas street, returned from Port Stanley this afternoon.

Miss Louie Mullet, of Dundas street east, is visiting in Elora.

Mrs. William Yates, of Toronto, is visiting at 870 Dundas street.

SEVERAL POSSIBLES IN THE TAIT-BRASSEY

Good Shooting Marks Last Day of the Long Branch Meett

Long Branch Rifle Ranges, Ont., Aug. 19.—Superb weather conditions were the feature for the last day of the Ontario Rifle Association meet. The day was rather warm, but a light south wind made it an ideal one for shooting. Several possibles were made in the second stage of the Tait-Brassey at 500 yards this morning. S. M. Dymond, R. C. R., got one to his credit, and Lieut. Forster, who is tie with Sergt. Russell in the "all-comers," duplicated this score. Sergt. Martin, of Calgary, who yesterday got possibles at 200, 600 and 800 yards, again got a possible in the Tait-Brassey match this morning at 500 yards, 33's and 34's were very common in this match. In the extra series at 500 yards, Corporal Whitehorn got a possible. In the third stage at 600 yards in Tait-Brassey this morning, Pte. Andrews, 90th Regiment, got a possible; likewise did Col.-Sergt. Stoddard, 91st, Hamilton. Both of these men, however, did not do so well in the previous matches in the Tait-Brassey.

The meet will wind up this afternoon with the Osler and Gzowski matches.

SACRED HEART ALUMNAE HELD AN "AT HOME"

Delightful Event Last Night in St. Peter's Parish Hall.

The alumnae of the Sacred Heart Academy held an at home at the new St. Peter's parish hall on Richmond street last evening, His Lordship Bishop Fallon and a large number of the London clergy being present.

The bishop delivered a short address, in which he spoke of the importance of promoting the social side of the church work and congratulated the alumnae on its successful entertainment.

The proceeds will be used to furnish one of the rooms at the Sacred Heart convent.

ST. THOMAS FIREMEN HURT AT BLACK ROCK

Was Riding on Shunting Engine That Collided With an Express.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]

Bridgeburg, Aug. 19.—A serious accident occurred in the N. Y. C. yards at Black Rock last night. The M. C. R. transfer from Bridgeburg in charge of Conductor S. Putney and Engineer Foaks had delivered a train of cars to the N. Y. C., and Conductor Putney and Brakeman Barton had just stepped on the footboard of the engine to return here when train No. 52 on the N. Y. C. ran into them, making a scrap pile of the tender. Conductor Putney was seriously if not fatally injured, and Fireman Thomas of the M. C. R. engine, was badly hurt, and both were taken to the Emergency Hospital in Buffalo. Fireman Thomas' home is in St. Thomas, while Conductor Putney lives with his parents here. It has not been as yet learned why the engineer on the N. Y. C. did not stop his train in time to avoid the accident.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DEATHS.

WESTLAND—In this city, on Friday, Aug. 19, 1910, Mary Z., relict of the late James Westland, aged 82 years.

Funeral private, from her late residence, 36 Craig street.

NICHOLL—At the parents' residence, 169 Briscoe street, on Aug. 18, 1910, Aileen Mary, dearly-beloved daughter of John W. and Maude Emily Nicholl, aged 1 year and 1 day.

Funeral from the above address on Saturday, Aug. 20, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30 p.m.

NO HEAD ENGINEER FOR CITY THIS YEAR

Water Commissioners Got Tired Waiting for Council to Do Something.

It is now considered very unlikely that the council will name a head engineer this year.

This is partly due to the fact that the water commissioners, not enamored of the delay in the matter, have gone ahead, and so manned their department that they are independent of the city council, and can produce the most satisfactory results. They are also not so willing not to contribute $1,000 or more towards the support of a head engineer as they were when the matter was first broached.

In addition there are divisions in the council. Those who are advocating the selection of a head engineer are not very popular with their colleagues, and there will be no stampede to support their selection. Many of them are strong for economy, and cannot see the advantage of a high priced engineer now.

The matter was slated to be discussed last night at the meeting of the board of works, but in the afternoon it was decided to let the matter rest for a time at least.

MAGISTRATE LOVE IS WITH THE LAWYERS

Says Summons Should Not Be Issued by the Magistrate.

The move made by the lawyers of Hamilton to have summonses issued by others than magistrates, is of considerable interest to legal gentlemen in this city.

Magistrate Love, when asked regarding the matter today, stated that very few summonses are issued from his office.

"In some cases," he said, "it is, of course, necessary, but not very often. I do not think it desirable at all as a general rule, for the simple reason that a magistrate is liable to have a one-sided view by hearing only one side of a question. He should have his mind free from knowledge of the case, so that he may decide fairly for both parties."

Magistrate Jelfs, of Hamilton, argues that the magistrate should issue the summons, as in that way many unimportant cases are prevented from being dragged into court.

LOCAL ITEMS

When you leave for your vacation have The Advertiser follow you. Address changed as often as desired; write or 'phone 107.

—Mrs. Maria Quick, wife of Walter H. Quick, of Wonderland, died Thursday morning. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon to Woodland Cemetery.

A Chimney Fire.

The fire department had a run to a chimney fire at an old house in the rear of Ald. J. A. Tancock's blacksmith shop. There was no damage.

Major McCrimmon Did Well.

A special dispatch from Toronto to The Advertiser states that Major McCrimmon, of the Seventh Regiment, was second in the match for the Tait-Brassey trophy, which was won by Lieut. L. C. Forster, of the Third Canadian Engineers, with a score of 102. The London man was but one point behind.

Death of Infant.

Aileen Mary, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nicholl, of Detroit, died yesterday afternoon at the home of its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nicholl, 169 Briscoe street. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholl had just arrived on a visit when the baby took ill and died. It was a year old. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon to Woodland Cemetery.

Personal Mention

Miss Lyda Coombs, of 386 William street, is ill in Victoria Hospital with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wolf have left for a visit to Buffalo, New York and other eastern points.

Mr. William Jeffery, of the Government Printing Department, Alberta, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. F. W. Bell, of 105 Wharncliffe road, West London, has returned from Holdingsford, Minn., where she spent her vacation with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) A. E. Anderson.

Toronto Globe: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnston announce the engagement of their daughter