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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Latest Market Reports by Mail and Telegraph.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—1 p.m.—Stock market active; American Express, —; Atchison, 21⅞; C., B. and Q., 85¾; Canadian Pacific, —; Canada Southern, 52; Delaware and Hudson, 130½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 169; L. S., 51½; Lake Shore, 128; Michigan Central, —; Northern Pacific, 7½; Northern Pacific, preferred, 24; Northwestern, 106⅞; New York Central, 103½; Rhode Island, 71¼; St. Paul, 67½; St. Paul, preferred, 119½; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, —; Union Pacific, 19½; Western Union, 92¾.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Oct. 30—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 97 15-16 for money, 97 15-16 for account; Mexican 15; Mexican Central, 6¾; St. Paul, 70; Erie, seconds, 75½; Erie, 16½; Pacific Central, 53½; Reading, 11⅝; Canadian Pacific, 76½; New York Central, 107½; Illinois Central, 98½; Bank of England rate, 3 per cent.; open market discount, 2¾.

Toronto Stock Market

TORONTO, Oct. 30.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	222	219
Ontario	115	110
Molsons	156	—
Toronto	215	238
Merchants	156	152½
Commerce	139	136
Imperial	180	179
Dominion	274	262½
Standard	163	162½
Hamilton	161	155
British America	120½	118
Western Assurance	149½	149
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life	—	—
Consumers' Gas	183½	181½
Dominion Telegraph	—	105
Northwest Land Company	78	—
Canada Pacific Railway Stock	74½	73
Commercial Cable Company	137½	136½
Bell Telephone Company	141	139
Dominion Savings and Loan	94	87½
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	127
Farmers L. and S., 20 per cent	—	—
Huron and Erie L. and S.	—	—
Huron and Erie, 20 per cent.	—	—
London and Canada, L. and A.	129	—
London Loan	169	—
London and Ontario	120	—
Ontario Loan and Debenture	133½	—

SALES—Imperial 82 at 179½; Western Assurance, 4 at 141; Dominion Telegraph, 5 at 106; Bell Telephone, 10 at 140; Farmers L. & S., 5 at 127.

Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Oct. 30.

	Ask.	Off.
C. P. R.	74¾	73½
Duluth Railway, common	8½	7
Duluth Railway, preferred	29	17½
Grand Trunk Ry., firsts	—	—
Grand Trunk Ry., seconds	—	—
Commercial Cable Company	137½	135
Wabash	—	—
Wabash, preferred	—	—
Montreal Telegraph Co.	141½	139
Rich. and Ont. Navigation Co.	64	61½
Montreal Street Railway, ex-div.	175	173
Montreal Gas Company	184	180
Bell Telephone Company	140	137½
Bank of Montreal	225	219
Ontario Bank	113	110
Banque du Peuple	117½	112
Molsons Bank	155	152
Bank of Toronto	—	235
Banque Cartier	125	119½
Merchants' Bank	155	153½
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	140	130
Union Bank	—	—
Bank of Commerce	139	136
N. W. Land Company	78	65
Montreal Cotton Company	135	129
Canada Colored Cotton Co.	90	75
Dominion Cotton Company	120	112

COMMERCIAL.

Local Market Quotations.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Monday, Oct. 30.

Receipts of all kinds of grain and provisions were light to-day and business for the most part was quiet and dull; grain sales were made at same values as Saturday. Hay quiet and unchanged. General quotations as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs	$1 00	to	1 02
Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs	95	to	1 00
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	90	to	92
Oats, per 100 lbs	90	to	94
Peas, per 100 lbs	1 00	to	1 00
Corn, per 100 lbs	80	to	85
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Rye, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs	1 10	to	1 25
Beans, per bu			
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs fresh, single doz	18	to	18
Eggs, fresh, basket, per doz	15	to	16
Eggs, fresh, store lots, per doz	14	to	15
Butter, single rolls, per lb	26	to	28
Butter, per lb, 1 lb rolls, baskets	24	to	26
Butter, per lb, large rolls or crocks	20	to	25
Butter, per lb, tub or firkins	15	to	20
Lard, per lb	13	to	15
Chickens, per pair	60	to	80
Ducks	75	to	1 50
Turkeys, 10c per lb, each			
VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.			
Apples, per bag	50	to	85
Cauliflowers, per dozen	1 00	to	1 50
Tomatoes, per bu	50	to	75
Potatoes, per bag	65	to	75
Grapes, per lb	3	to	5
Cabbages, per doz	25	to	45
Citrons, per doz	50	to	75
Celery, per doz	25	to	50
Squashes, per doz	35	to	1 00
Pumpkins, per doz	50	to	1 00
Onions, per bu	80	to	80
Carrots, per bu	25	to	50
Beets, per dozen bunches	25	to	25
Turnips, per bu	20	to	20
Parsnips, per bu	50	to	50
Radishes, per doz bunches	25	to	30
HAY AND SEEDS			
Hay, per ton	8 00	to	8 50
Straw, per load	2 50	to	3 50
Clover seed, red, per bu	0 0	to	0 00
Clover seed, Alsike, per bu	0 0	to	0 00
Timothy seed, per bu	1 50	to	1 55
Hungarian seed, per bu	0 00	to	00
Millet seed, per bu	00	to	00
MEAT, HIDES, ETC.			
Beef, carcass, per lb	4	to	6
Mutton, quarters, per lb	6	to	7
Veal, quarters, per lb	5	to	6
Lamb, quarters, per lb	7	to	8
Dressed hogs, 100 lb	7 00	to	7 75
Hides, No. 1, per lb	3	to	0
Hides, No. 2 per lb	2	to	0
Hides, No. 3, per lb	1	to	0
Calfskins, green, per lb	4	to	0
Calfskins, dry each	20	to	25
Sheepskins, each	40	to	65
Lambskins, each	00	to	00
Pelts, each	00	to	00
Wool, per lb	17	to	18
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5	to	5
Tallow, rough, per lb	2	to	3

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Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Oct. 30.

FLOUR—Straight roller, $2 90 to $2 90; extra $2 50 to $2 72.

WHEAT—White, 57c to 57½c; spring, No. 2, 56½c to 57c; red winter, 56½c to 56½c; goose, 56c to 56c; Manitoba hard, No. 1, 71½c to 71½c; Manitoba hard, No. 2, 70c to 70c; Manitoba hard No. 3, 66c to 66c.

PEAS—No. 2, 51½c to 52c.

FEED—No. 2, 34c to 35c.

OATS—No. 2, 28½c to 29½c.

Market quiet but steady. Sales firm—Wheat outside at 57c to 58c; oats to arrive at 33c, and outside at 28½c to 29c; peas outside at 51½c to 52½c.

Toronto Street Market.

TORONTO, Oct. 30.—The receipts of grain on the street market Saturday were larger. Peas were easier; other grains steady.

Wheat, white, per bush	$ 61	to	$ 61
Wheat, spring, per bush	60	to	60
Wheat, red winter, per bush	60	to	60
Wheat, goose, per bush	58	to	59
Barley, per bush	40	to	46
Oats, per bush	33½	to	34½
Peas	55½	to	57
Hay	7 50	to	8 00
Eggs, per dozen	18	to	20
Butter, per pound	21	to	23
Dressed hogs	7 50	to	7 75
Potatoes, per bag	50	to	60

Montreal Produce Market.

MONTREAL, Oct. 30.

FLOUR—Receipts, 3,500 bbls; market quiet and unchanged. Quotations: Patents winter, $3 70 to $3 90; do spring, $3 70 to $3 90; straight roller, $3 10 to $3 20; extra, $2 70 to $2 90; superfine, $2 50 to $2 70; strong bakers, $3 40 to $3 60; Ontario bags, $1 40 to $1 60.

GRAIN—Wheat No. 2 Manitoba hard, 69c to 71c; corn, 55c to 57c; peas, 69c to 69c; oats, 35c to 37c; barley, 00c to 00c; rye, 50c to 53c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $0 00 to $0 00; cornmeal, $1 20 to $1 30.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, $24 00 to $25 00; lard, 10c to 12c; bacon, 11½c to 12½c; hams, 12c to 13½c; cheese, 10½c to 11½c; butter, townships, 19c to 21c; western, 17c to 19c; eggs, 14c to 16c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's report by cable.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

Floating cargoes — Wheat, steadily held; corn, none.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat, steady; corn, firm.

Mark Lane—Wheat, steady; corn, improving; flour, quiet; spot good Danube corn 21s 3d, was 21s; prompt, 19s 6d, was 19s 9d; do good mixed American corn 21s 3d, was 21s 6d; straight Minnesota flour 16s, was 17s.

French country markets dull.

Liverpool—Spot wheat and corn firmly held: No. 1 Cal., 5s 8d; Walla, 5s 4½d; red winter, 5s 4½d—all ½d dearer, Indian, 5s 4½d—unchanged; spring, 5s 6d—1d dearer; flour, 16s 6d—unchanged; corn, 4s—½d dearer; peas, 5s 3d—unchanged.

On passage to United Kingdom — Wheat 2,791,000 qrs, corn 394,000 qrs. To Continent—Wheat, 884,000 qrs; corn, 556,000 qrs.

Indian shipments of wheat for the past week to United Kingdom, 12,000 qrs, to continent, 5,000 qrs.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 30.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Oct. 27.				Oct. 28.				Oct. 30.			
	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.
Spring	5	5½	5	7½	5	5½	5	7½	5	5½	5	7½
Red Winter	5	4	5	5	5	4	5	5	5	4	5	5
No. 1 Cal.	5	8	5	9	5	8	5	9	5	8	5	9
Corn, new	3	11½	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0½	0	0
Peas per c.	5	5½	0	0	5	5	0	0	5	5	0	0
Pork	88	9	0	0	88	9	0	0	88	9	0	0
Lard	50	6	0	0	51	0	0	0	51	0	0	0
Bacon, h'vy.	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0
Bacon light.	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0	51	6	0	0
Tallow	27	3	0	0	27	3	0	0	27	3	0	0
Cheese, wh.	55	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	55	0	0	0
Cheese, col.	55	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	55	0	0	0

Wheat firm, demand moderate, holders offer sparingly; corn firm, demand fair.

British Grain Trade.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the British grain trade says: English wheats are steady except in some of the provincial markets, where prices are down 6d. Foreign wheats generally have lost 6d, but American red winter is held for 6d advance. California wheat is firm. Corn is dull; American is quoted at 19s 9d. Barley is quiet; the quantity of feeding barley on passage from the United States is the largest in the history of the trade. Oats are firm. To-day there was a weak demand for wheats. American alone was firmly held. Corn was scarcer, and there was a good quantity at 6d advance. Oats, under an increased continental demand, were up from 3d to 6d. Grinding barley was 3d higher. Flour was quiet.

American Markets.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 30.

No reports from Chicago to-day. Trade was limited.

WHEAT—Spring wheat—Sales were: 5 cars No. 1 hard, 71c; closed 71⅝c; 5,500 bu No. 1 northern, 70⅝c, closed 70⅝c; 1 car old, do, Chicago, 70½c. Winter wheat—Closed strong; No. 2 red sold at 67½c, and No. 1 white, 68½c.

CORN—Closed firm; No. 2 yellow, 43½c; No. 2 corn, 42½c, in store. Sales were: 9 cars No. 2 yellow, 43½c; 13 cars do, 43½c; 7 cars No. 2 corn, 42½c; 11 cars do, 42½c, in store; 3 cars, new, No. 3 corn, 41c, on track.

OATS—Fair demand and light offerings; closing ¼c lower for No. 2 white, 31½c asked. No. 2 mixed, 31½c. Sales: 2 cars No. 2 white; 31½c; 7 cars do, 31½c; 2 cars No. 2 mixed, 31½c on track.

BARLEY—Steady; fair demand; western, No. 1, 66c to 67c; No. 2, 61c; State, 63c to 70c.

RYE—No spot offered; No. 2 quoted at 52½c to 53c.

FLOUR—Firm; fair demand.

MILLFEED—Steady.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 30.

WHEAT—Closes quiet; 60½c Oct.; 62½c Dec.

DETROIT, Oct. 30.

WHEAT—Closes: No. 1 white, 63½c cash; No. 2 red, 64½c cash; 63c Dec.; 72½c bid May.

TOLEDO, Oct. 30.

WHEAT—64½c nom. cash and Oct; 66½c nom. Dec.; 73c asked May;

CORN—39½c nom. cash.

OATS—30c nom. cash.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.

FLOUR—Dull.

RYE—Dull.

BARLEY—Steady.

PEAS—Canada nominal, 70c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 402,000 bu; exports, 77,000 bu; sales, 1,405,000 bu futures, 16,000 bu spot; spot dull; No. 2 red, Jan, 72⅝c; May, 78c; Oct., 70c; Nov., 70c; Dec., 71⅝c.

CORN—Receipts, 120,000 bu; exports, 20,000 bu; sales, 230,000 bu futures, 130,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2, 47c, elevator; 47½c to 47½c afloat; options steady; Oct., 46⅞c; Nov. 46½c; Dec., 47⅝c; May, 49⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 129,000 bu; sales, 120,000 bu futures, 98,000 bu spot; spots firm; No. 2, 31½c to 35c; No. 2 white, 36½c; No. 2 Chicago, 35½c to 36c; No. 3, 34c; No. 3 white, 33½c; mixed western, 35c to 36c; white do 36½c to 41c; white State, 36½c to 41c; options dull; Oct. and Nov., 35c; Dec., 35⅝c; May, 37c; No. 2 white, Nov., 37c; Dec., 37½c.

EGGS—Firmer; State and Pennsylvania, 23c to 24c; western fresh, 22½c to 23½c.

COFFEE—Options steady; sales, 7,000 bags, including Oct., $17 60; Nov., $17 20; Dec., $16 80 to $16 85; spot firmer; 18½c to 18½c.

SUGAR—Lower; standard "A," 5c to 5 3-16c; confectioners' "A," 4⅞c to 5 1-16c; cut loaf and crushed, 5 7-16c to 5⅝c; powdered, 5⅛c to 5 7-16c; granulated, 5c to 5 1-16c.

Chicago Wheat Market.

(Per Monroe, Miller & Co.'s private wire)

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.

There was no session of the Chicago Board to-day (Monday).

Live Stock Markets.

EAST BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 30.—Cattle—Offerings 365 cars. Market steady for medium, strong and 10c to 15c higher for best; butchers' were also 10c to 20c higher for good stock. Exporters took the best offerings at $4 75 to $5 10, with lots down to $4 50 for coarse fat; medium to choice; butchers' and shippers', $4 25 to $4 75; light handy butchers', $3 85 to $4 25; light western steers, $3 25 to $3 50. Stockers and feeders—25 cars on sale; prices 10c to 15c better good to choice stockers, $2 85 to $3, and good feeders, $3 15 to $3 40; some $3 50.

Sheep and Lambs—The receipts were very light to-day for a Monday trade, only 50 cars, including seven cars of Canada lambs. There was a fair, active order trade demand, but while the markets east were a little more encouraging in tone, the prices at which stock was quoted as selling for these did not warrant speculative buying, and the best of stock on sale here—both sheep and lambs—went at strong values. Choice native lambs selling at $4 75 to $4 85, fully 15c to 25c stronger, while the medium kind and lighter weight lambs sold at steady to strong Saturday prices; the commoner butcher lambs and cull stock sold at only steady Saturday values. Good to choice sheep brought $3 to $3 25, and the best lots, mostly wethers, $3 25 to $3 50; a few small selected bunches sold at $3 75; common sheep and cull stock steady; Canada lambs also sold at better values, the best bringing $5 to $5 05.

Hogs—100 cars on sale; prices from 5c to 10c stronger than Saturday's close. Packers generally paid $6 60 for good lots of mixed packing grades, and $6 65 for the best and selected lots, $6 60 taking the best of the heavy weight hogs. There being nothing of the strictly fancy heavy on sale, York weight hogs sold all the way from $6 50 to $6 60 for good quality to best, the lighter weights of Yorkers selling the more freely, and pigs generally going in with the Yorkers; roughs sold at $5 25 to $6; stags, $3 75 to $4 75, green hogs and Michigans, $6 25 to $6 40.

British Cattle Trade.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The Scotch markets are overstocked with Hereford, Devon and Welsh cattle, partly owing to exclusion of Canada cattle. Scotch prices of cattle and sheep are, however, materially better than they were at this time last year.

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—The melancholy days have come,
The saddest of the year,
When cabbage-plants need anchors
And ash barrels disappear.

—Philip J. Rogers, city, is home on a visit from Chicago.

—Ald. Parnell and daughter, Tillie, have gone to the World's Fair.

—Mayor Essery and family left for Chicago yestrday afternoon by M. C. R.

—Miss Emma Barned, Horn street, is in Seaforth in attendance on her sister, who is seriously ill.

—Mrs. Wm. Gorman, Mrs. W. Parsons and Mrs. J. Luney have returned from visiting the World's Fair.

—The Canadian Ticket Agents' Association will hold their fifth annual dinner in this city on the evening of Nov. 9.

—Mrs. E. R. C. Struthers, of this city, has returned home after visiting her parental home in Larimore, North Dakota.

—A charge of being insane was proven against Mrs. Jane Gillis, of Lucan, before Judge William Elliot yesterday morning.

—Simeon Pedaevar, a man about 50 years of age, wearing a chin beard and dressed in a dark suit, has escaped from the asylum.

—Smouldering sawdust at the scene of the Hamlyn fire, at the corner of Colborne and Hill streets, gave the fire brigade another run yesterday morning.

—The Canadian poultry exhibit has returned to this city from the World's Fair. The birds will immediately be distributed to their owners throughout the country.

—Henry Oliver, G. T. R. brakeman, St. Thomas, had the second finger of one hand badly crushed and a third broken at Simcoe on Saturday evening while coupling his train to the engine. The second finger had to be amputated.

—Mr. H. Saunders has erected a fine residence, costing $2,200 on Wolfe street. Prof. Roselle Pocock has plans out for a handsome home, with music conservatory attached, on King street at a cost of $2,400. Mr. J. A. Gauld is the architect for both.

—The banquet to be given by the Alert Baseball Club to their friends at the City Hotel Thursday night promises to be a pleasant affair. The Alerts have won the good will of all by their gentlemanly conduct and their skill on the diamond this year.

—Charles Mackenzie was arrested here yesterday by Detective Rider on a telegram from Brantford accusing Mackenzie of having stolen a gun. The prisoner formerly lived in this city. The present is not the first time he has been before a magistrate on a similar charge.

—Many members of the W. C. T. U. arrived in the city yesterday from outside points. They continued their journey to Chatham in the afternoon in company with several W. C. T. U. ladies from this city. The Provincial convention started at Chatham last night and will continue for several days.

—Among the joint stock companies incorporated under the Ontario Joint Stock Companies' Letters Patent Act is the T. W. Birks Company of London (Limited), to purchase and sell all kinds of bankrupt stocks, scrap iron, metal, rags, bones, cotton waste, and other like materials, with a capital stock of $1,500.

—At Osgoode Hall—Labatt vs. Morkin. Judgment on appeal by the defendant from an order of the County Court of Middlesex, setting aside a verdict for the defendant and directing a new trial of an action upon an account for goods supplied. Appeal dismissed with costs. R. M. C. Toothe (London) and P. McPhillips (London) for the appellant. M. D. Fraser (London) for the plaintiff.

—Mr. Harry Lewis, of Queen's avenue east, has returned from the World's Fair. He was one of the passengers on the Pacific express that was wrecked at Battle Creek a week or so ago, and was traveling in a sleeper, four cars from the end of the train. The only inconvenience Mr. Lewis suffered was that of being awakened from a sound sleep and a delay until 9 o'clock in the morning before being sent on.

—The celebration of the third anniversary of the Y. P. S. C. E. of St. James' Presbyterian Church will be held to-morrow night. The society expects to have present Rev. Canon Richardson, Provincial president; N. I. McDermid, president, and A. J. Clark, ex-president of the London Local Union; Rev. Dr. Jackson, of Galt, who delivers an address on "How Christian Endeavorers Can Help the Church," in addition to local ministers. The church has been nicely decorated.

—The Baconian Club, of this city, held their first meeting of the season on Saturday night. A short address on "Certain Phases of the Present Condition of the Science of Political Economy," by Mr. J. M. McEvoy was well received, and resulted in a very interesting discussion of the subject. The election of office-bearers for the season was held and Rev. M. P. Talling was chosen president, Mr. T. N. Weekes, J. F. Atkinson and W. C. Ferguson will comprise the executive committee. The secretary will be chosen at the next meeting.

Rev. Dr. Jackson at St. James'.

Rev. Dr. Jackson, of Knox Church, Galt, preached in St. James' Presbyterian Church Sunday, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. The morning congregation was the usual one, but in the evening the church was filled. Dr. Jackson spoke in the evening on the text—"Pulling them out of the fire." He drew a parallel between sin and fire, showing that while sin is a mystery in the government of a good and almighty God, there is not more of a mystery about it than concerning fire. He closed by some practical appeals to Christians. Churches were spiritual fire brigades, organized to fight sin and save men. Churches have different names, but are united in aim and work. Wisdom is needed in fighting sin and saving men. Earnestness is not enough. God cursed Ham because he published his father's sin, and blessed Japheth because he covered it. Christians should seek to win sinners, but not publish more than can be helped. The preacher illustrated his discourse by incidents in Edinburgh, Glasgow, London and Chicago in connection with fires. He closed by picturing the magnificent pageant at the funeral of Capt. Braidwood, of the London fire brigade, who lost his life in trying to save lives in the great fire on the Thames, and then pictured the reception in the City of Gold by the Lord Jesus of some humble worker in church or Sabbath school. Dr. Jackson also addressed the Sabbath school in the church at 3 o'clock, and gave an interesting address to men at the Y. M. C. A rooms at 4:15 p. m. He is exceedingly able in the pulpit or on the platform and made a favorable impression for good.

His Mind Was a Blank.

There is such a thing as conveniently forgetting undesirable knowledge. Edward Fountain is a master of the art. He was in the Police Court yesterday charged with stealing four pairs of boots from Mr. J. S. Brown. When asked by Magistrate Parke whether "Guilty or not guilty," he said: "Well, your honor, the shoes were found with me. I must have got them somewhere. But I can't swear whether I picked them up in a store or on the sidewalk." After being told, amid an audible titter from bystanders, that such a long-winded plea would not be accepted the prisoner admitted his guilt in a single word. "I hope you will be as lenient as possible," continued Fountain, "I don't remember stealing the shoes. The first thing I recollect was when the constable arrested me." Fountain has been before the magistrate here almost twenty times, extending over a period of nine years, and, although he stated that he was the sole support of a widowed mother, it was stated by Chief Williams that the latter fact is exactly vice-versa. Fountain was given three months.

Charles Morrison has been married to Catharine Morrison for almost 30 years. Their matrimonial experience at first was happy, but latterly the husband has been indulging in intoxicants. Quarrels were a natural consequence. The latest instance of this kind occurred when Morrison pursued his wife with a knife in one hand and a broom-handle in the other. He handled her rather roughly and was arrested. Magistrate Parke gave him two months in the Central, and said that he would not tolerate a man beating a woman. In future the punishment for such a contemptible proceeding will be very severe.

Hector Greenway, a soldier at the Barracks, was accused of striking Sarah Galagher on the street. The prisoner said that he had never seen the complainant in his life before, while Mrs. Galagher said that her ear had stung for several minutes after the blow. The magistrate thought that this might be a case of mistaken identity, and Greenway was discharged.

DETECTIVE ALLAN'S DEATH.

The Body Brought to This City for Burial.

Rifle Ball in the Head—Undoubtedly Murder.

THE BODY ARRIVES HOME.

The body of the late Detective B. B. Allan arrived in the city yesterday on the 12:30 G. T. R. accommodation train from the east. The remains were unaccompanied, having been shipped from Simcoe at 8:30 in the morning. A large crowd had assembled at the station, among whom were Squire Edwards, of East London, father-in-law of the unfortunate man, Mr. Edwards' son, Harry Allan, the young son of Detective Allan, Mr. P. McPhillips, County Constable Schram and several members of the county constabulary. The casket was inclosed in a shell, which was removed at the station. The remains were then taken to Hinton's undertaking warerooms. On the cover of the casket was a small silver plate on which were the words, "At Rest." Here the lid was removed and friends permitted to look on the remains. The forehead was covered with a bandage. The lower and visible portion of the face was badly burned but not blackened, and was of a reddish hue. When the bandage was taken of the cause of death was very clearly shown. About an inch and a half above the right eye was a hole about the size of a Canadian cent, while the remainder of the forehead was blackened and burned—caused, no doubt, by the close range in which the fatal shot was fired. The eyelashes and eyebrows were burned completely off, and the lids were equally as black as the forehead.

Dr. Flock and a large number of others present expressed the opinion that the wound was caused by a rifle ball.

UNDOUBTEDLY MURDER.

A little more light has been gleaned in reference to the sad affair. When the detective left the city a week ago last Friday he carried among his supplies a double-barreled shotgun, in the use of which No. 9 shot is required. The detective's intentions were to do work among certain people on the 82 acres of the island, upon whom rested the suspicion of chasing deer from the reserves to outside property and destroying the game there. The theory of suicide is dispelled, as the fatal wound could not have been inflicted by the shotgun in Allan's possession, and murder seems now confirmed as the cause of death. Though under a disguise, it is believed that he was known, and that while performing the duties required of him he had come across a man or party of men poaching—perhaps killing the deer which was found near by. If such was the case a scuffle would naturally ensue.

THE FUNERAL.

The body has been embalmed and will be removed to the family residence, on the south side of Dundas street, east of Wellington. Should Mr. Allan's father arrive home in time, the funeral will be held this afternoon.

THE G. T. R. CAR SHOPS.

Stratford City Council Discusses Its Chances of Getting Them.

London's Offer Equal to $150,000—So Sir Henry Tyler Told Them—Stratford Has to Beat That.

A special meeting of the Stratford City Council was held Friday night for the purpose of discussing G. T. R. shop matters. The opinion seemed to be prevalent that the shops would be a very nice thing to have, but before committing themselves to any proposition the council wants to know for certain that the company mean business and is not using Stratford merely for the purpose of working Sarnia or London, so said one of the papers.

Mayor Monteith set the discussion going. He suggested that it would be wise to have another conference with the G. T. R. authorities before making an offer. There were some minor details that would require adjusting. He thought, too, that the establishing of the molding shops there should be made a subject for negotiation along with the car shops. He would also like it made clear in case an offer should be made, when the work of building the works would be commenced and when they would be finished. The location of the works at Stratford would undoubtedly be a desirable thing for the city.

Ald. Dufton asked if anything had been said about the number of men who would be employed.

Ald. Goodwin replied that it was his impression that General Manager Seargeant refused on his recent visit here to commit himself on that point.

Ald. Ferguson thought a frank business-like discussion with the company was what was needed. He would like it to be clearly understood that Stratford is not to be made a mere cat's paw to urge on other places that are competing for the shops. He also favored the idea of the company submitting a proposition to the city instead of the city making a bid.

Ald. Goodwin thought they would get no satisfaction from the company in that way. Sir Henry Tyler gave the deputation that waited on him on his recent visit to understand that London had $50,000 in shape of works already and that the city would give another $100,000. If Stratford wanted the shops they would have to beat that.

Ald. Dufton thought the molding shops should be included in the deal, and if they were to be left out he was prepared to drop negotiations. He proposed that Mayor Monteith write Mr. Seargeant drawing his attention to the absence of molding shops from the plans.

Ald. Ferguson suggested that it might be well also, in writing the letter, to remark that it was currently reported that if such were the case it would be idle for Stratford to make an offer.

It was finally decided that Mayor Monteith write Mr. Seargeant that another conference would be desirable before making a proposition.

WORLD'S FAIR TRAFFIC.

Twenty-One Railways Carry 3,335,000 People—C. P. R. Notes.

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—So far as the figures on hand go, they show that the number of people brought into Chicago by the 21 passenger lines out of here during the World's Fair period was in round numbers 3,335,000. Allowing each of these passengers to have visited the fair five times, it would account for an attendance of 16,755,000, which would be a good proportion of outside visitors. It would leave but little over 5,000,000 visits from Chicagoans.

DUE TO DRINK.

Michael Sullivan's Frightful Fate—Dangling on a Line Forty Feet from the Ground.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 26.—Michael Sullivan, aged 35, met with a frightful death last week as the result of excessive drinking. He was suffering from delirium tremens, and in a crazy fit jumped through the sash of a window three stories from the ground. In falling he was caught by the throat on a pulley line 40 feet from the ground and dangled helplessly in the air until he was choked to death. He leaves a widow and five children.

AGAIN THE CRANK!

An Architect's Superintendent Shot by a Crazy Man.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—An excited workman rushed from the new building of the Postal Telegraph Company at Broadway and Murray street, at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and called out that a murderous crank was at large on the ground floor of the building, who had already shot the clerk of the works and threatened murder by the wholesale. Officers Michael Mulrooney and Patrick Giblin immediately rushed to the spot. Inside the building lay Superintendent Frederick L. Matthews, who had charge of the construction. The police succeeded in arresting Matthews' assailant after he had fired several shots at them. The fellow is evidently crazy. Matthews is in a critical condition.

After being arrested Bradley made an incoherent statement about people being after him. He said he was a grand army man, which cannot be true if the age he gave—31 years—be correct. He also said: "I had to shoot him; he was trying to shoot me. I lost my citizenship papers and was being hunted by a mob." None of the workmen about the building knew Bradley.

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The leaves have begun to turn, possibly in anticipation of the 1st of January.

Parkhurst Threatened.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst declares that he has been threatened, and although he has not accepted the advice of friends, who insist that he should have a bodyguard, he has taken measures to protect himself.

Serious Charges Against Actor Emmett.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—J. K. Emmett, the actor, better known as Fritz, was a prisoner yesterday at the Yorkville Court, being accused of abandonment by his wife who has a suit against him for divorce. The hearing was adjourned until Monday. Emmett denies his wife's charges.

A Tramp's Good Deed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 30.—An attempt was made last night to wreck train No. 6 on the Auburn, due here at 9:25 p.m. The train which is an express was going at a high rate of speed at the time. Charles Brazee, a tramp discovered a pile of railroad ties piled on the track 15 miles east of here. He started for help and aroused Postmaster Cutting, who took a lantern and ran down the track just in time to signal the train

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