FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

MARKET A SMALL ONE WITH BUYING VERY BRISK

Few Farmers Ventured to Come to London Today—The Quotations.

There was another small market this morning, all the farmers reporting that the roads are in a very bad condition for driving, pitch-holes being everywhere, and are now very deep. Those who did brave the dangers of the road, however, were repaid by a very brisk market, almost everything offered going off well.

Hay was probably the feature, as, despite the condition of the roads, there was a very good supply offered. There was quite a decided advance in price, too, a goodly number of loads selling for $15 50, while some of the farmers were holding out for even higher prices. This price was, however, about the maximum.

A few loads of straw that were offered also sold readily, mostly at $8, with poorer quality at $7 50.

Oats also showed a tendency to advance, $1 21 being paid for one load, while $1 30 was the prevailing price for good quality. A small supply of wheat was marketed also at $1 08.

Dressed Hogs.

Dressed hogs were also very plentiful and sold well, the majority bringing $11 50, though some sold at $11 25 for the poorer stuff.

In other commodities the market this morning was very light. Vegetables, with the exception of potatoes and cabbages, being practically nil, while poultry and dairy produce were also very little in evidence.

In the meat stalls there was a very good supply offered, but the sale was slow. There were no noticeable changes in the prices of the meat offered.

Other quotations remain as follows:

Grain.

Wheat, per bu	$1 08	to	$1 08
Oats, per cwt	1 25	to	1 31
Corn, per cwt	1 22	to	1 40
Buckwheat, per cwt	1 25	to	1 30
Barley, per cwt	1 10	to	1 13
Peas, per cwt	1 15	to	1 15
Beans, per bu	1 65	to	2 00
Rye, per cwt	1 00	to	1 10

Hay and Straw.

Hay, per ton	14 00	to	15 50
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	8 00

Dairy Produce.

Butter, creamery, lb	26	to	28
Butter, rolls, per lb	25	to	26
Butter, crocks, lb	24	to	24
Eggs, crate, dozen	30	to	32
Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen	32	to	35
Honey, strained, lb	10	to	12
Honey, in comb	12	to	15

Poultry, Dressed.

Turkeys, per lb	18	to	20
Ducks, spring, per lb	14	to	15
Old ducks, per lb	10	to	11
Old fowl, per lb	12	to	12
Chickens, per lb	14	to	16
Geese, per lb	12	to	14

Poultry, Alive.

Old fowl, per lb	8	to	9
Turkeys, per lb	15	to	15
Ducks, per lb	10	to	12
Young fowl, per lb	10	to	11

Butchers' Meats.

Beef, by the carcase	6 00	to	9 00
Mutton, per cwt	7 00	to	10 00
Veal, per cwt	10 00	to	11 00
Spring lamb, per lb	13	to	14
Dressed hogs, per cwt	11 25	to	11 50

Live Stock.

Small pigs, per pair	6 50	to	10 00
Select hogs, per cwt	8 15	to	8 15
Fat sows, per cwt	5 00	to	6 00
Stags, per cwt	2 00	to	2 00
Export cattle, cwt	5 00	to	5 50
Milch cows, each	30 00	to	40 00

Hides and Wool.

Lambskins, each	75	to	1 10
Wool, washed, per lb	20	to	22
Wool, unwashed, per lb	10	to	10
Hides, No. 1, lb	9	to	9
Hides, No. 2, lb	8	to	8
Hides, No. 3, lb	7	to	7

Vegetables.

Potatoes, per bag	50	to	65
Turnips, per bu	25	to	35
Celery, per dozen	30	to	40
Lettuce, per dozen	40	to	40
Sage, per dozen	20	to	20
Savory, per dozen	20	to	20
Cabbage, dozen (to size)	30	to	40
Red cabbage, dozen	40	to	40
Onions, per bu	1 10	to	1 25
Beets, per bu	40	to	45
Parsnips, per bu	50	to	50
Beans, per bu	1 20	to	1 50
Mangels, bu. by the load	20	to	20
Carrots, bu. by the load	20	to	40

Fruits.

Apples, per bbl	1 50	to	2 00
Apples, per bu	20	to	50
Apples, per bag	50	to	1 00

LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—Cattle—Trade was brisk and prices steady and firm at the same levels as the week-end markets of last week. There was a good run of cattle offering, comprising, all told, about 90 cars, with 1795 head of cattle, 16 calves, 15 hogs, 42 sheep and 91 horses. The demand today was chiefly for the local butcher trade, and as more than half the total receipts were held over for the export market tomorrow, the number of cattle available for butcher purposes was not large, and prices were easily maintained. One load of extra choice butchers, about 1000 lbs, sold at $5 65. Among the export cattle are some middling good loads, but nothing extra choice, but anything good enough for shipping is held firm at $6 to $6 25. Cows and bulls are in good demand either butchers or export. Sheep and lambs are steady; very few offering; lambs quoted at $7 to $7 25, sheep, $4 50 to $5. Hogs—The market is again firmer, with light offerings; sales quoted firm at $8 15, f. o. b. and $8 40 fed and watered.

GLASGOW, Feb. 14.—Edward Watson & Ritchie report 87 cattle on offer; trade fair for steers, but slow for bulls. Prices as follows: Top steers, 13c; secondary, 12c to 12½c; bulls, top, 10½c; secondary, 9½c to 10c per lb.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 14.—John Rogers & Co. quote today: States steers, 13c to 13½c; Canadians, 12¾c to 13¼c; heifers, 12¾c to 13¼c; cows, 11¾c to 12½c; bulls, 10¾c to 11¼c; trade very slow.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; fairly active and steady; prime steers, $6 60 to $7. Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and 50c to $1 higher, $6 to $10 50, a few at $11. Hogs—Receipts, 3,200 head; active and strong; heavy and mixed, $9 30; Yorkers, $9 35 to $9 50; stags, $7 50 to $7 55; dairies, $9 30 to $9 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,000 head; sheep active and steady, lambs slow and 15c lower; lambs, $6 25 to $8 85.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Trade active and prices steady; 68 loads in today, including 1275 cattle, 749 sheep and lambs, 400 hogs and 102 calves. Quotations: Export cattle, choice, cwt, $5 25 to $6 25; do, medium, $5 25 to $5 60; do, bulls, $4 75 to $5; do, bulls, light, $4 25 to $4 50; do, cows, $4 75 to $5; butchers' cattle, choice, $5 50 to $5 75; do, medium, $5 to $5 25; do, common, $4 25 to $4 60; do, cows, $4 to $4 75; do, bulls, $4 25 to $4 50; stockers, medium, $3 75 to $4; do, common, $3 50 to $3 75; do, bulls, $3 to $3 25; feeders, heavy, $4 75 to $5; do, short-keep, 5 to $5 25; milch cows, choice, each, $40 to $60; do, common, each, $25 to $40; springers, each, $35 to $50; sheep, ewes, $4 50 to $5 25, steady; do, bucks, $3 50 to $4, steady; lambs, grain-fed, $7 25 to $7 75, steady; do, common, $5 to $6 50, steady; calves, $3 to $7 50, steady; hogs, selects, $8 40; fats and underweights, $8 15, off cars.

BEANS.

DETROIT, Feb. 14.—Beans—Spot, $2 15; March, $2 20 per bu.

PRODUCE.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 14.—Wheat closed: May, $1 12⅞; July, $1 12⅝; cash, No. 1 hard, $1 14⅛ to $1 15⅛; No. 1 northern, $1 14⅛; No. 2 northern, $1 11⅝ to $1 12⅝; No. 3 northern, $1 06⅝ to $1 11⅝. Bran, in 100-lb sacks, $22 50 to $23. Flour—First patents, $5 50 to $5 70; second patents, $5 30 to $5 50; first clears, $4 45 to $4 55; second clears, $3 20 to $3 30.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 14.—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures steady; March, 8s 1½d; May, 7s 11¾d; July, 7s 10⅞. Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, 5s 6½d; do, old, 5s 8½d; futures dull; March, 5s 6⅜d. Hams—Short cut quiet, 64s 6d. Bacon—Steady; Cumberland cut, 64s 6d; short ribs, 66s; short clear backs, 64s 6d; clear bellies, 65s 6d; shoulders, square, steady, 55s. Lard—Firm; prime western, 63s 9d; American refined, 64s 6d.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—The grain markets are a little off today, but not enough to affect prices greatly. There is a good demand for millstuffs. The maltsters apparently have all the barley they require for the time being, and little buying is being done. Quotations: Ontario wheat—No. 2 mixed winter, $1 06 to $1 07; No. 2 white, $1 07 to $1 08 outside. Manitoba wheat—Spot, No. 1 northern, $1 13; No. 2 northern, $1 11, on track at lake ports, for delivery in February; No. 1 northern, $1 18; No. 2 northern, $1 16, all-rail. Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 74c; new No. 3 yellow, 70½c to 71c; kiln-dried No. 2 yellow, 73c; Canadian corn, 66c to 67c, Toronto freights. Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 43c; No. 3, 42c, on track at lake ports; No. 2 western, 46c, February shipment, all-rail; No. 2 white, 39c outside; No. 3 white, 37c outside, 41c to 42c on track at Toronto. Barley—No. 2, 55c to 56c; No. 3 extra, 53c to 54c; No. 3, 48c to 49; feed barley, 47 outside. Manitoba, No. 3, 57c; No. 4, 45c, on track at lake ports. Manitoba flour—Quotations at Toronto: First patents, $5 70; second patents, $5 20; strong bakers, $5; 90 per cent patents, Glasgow freights, 2½c. Peas—New No. 2, 84c to 85c. Rye—No. 2, 67c to 68c outside. Buckwheat—No. 2, 52c to 53c outside. Ontario flour—Winter wheat patents, for export, $4 20 to $4 25, in buyers' sacks outside. Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $22 50 to $23 per ton; shorts, $23 50 to $24, on track at Toronto; Ontario bran, $22; shorts, $24, on track at Toronto.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE		Chicago, Feb. 15		
Wheat May	112¾	113½	111⅝	112½
July	103¼	103¾	103⅜	103⅝
Corn May	67	67½	67	67⅜
July	67¼	67⅝	67	67¼
Oats May	47¾	47¾	47¼	47⅜
July	44	44⅛	44	44⅛
Pork May	23 50	23 50	23 35	23 35
July	23 35	23 35	23 22	23 22
Lard, May	12 60	12 60	12 32	12 32
July	12 50	12 52	12 40	12 47
Ribs, May	12 25	12 25	12 17	12 17
July	12 22	12 22	12 17	12 17

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—Potatoes—Business is active, but heavy supplies still keep the market low. From 45c to 48c and 50c per bag is the range of quotations on track at Toronto, and out of store prices range from 55c to 60c per bag.

SUGAR.

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—Sugar—Montreal granulated, in barrels, cwt, $4 95; do, in bags, $4 90; yellow, in barrels, $4 55; do, in bags, $4 50; Acadia, in bags or barrels, $4 85; No. 2 granulated, in bags, $4 65.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 15.—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stocks; futures steady; March, 8s 2¾d; May, 8s ½d; Puly, 7s 11½d. Corn—Spot steady; New American mixed northern 5s 6¼d; old American mixed 5s 8¾d; futures quiet; March, 5s 6¼d. Beef—Extra India mess firm, 98s 9d. Hams, short cut, steady, 65s 6d. Bacon—Firm; Cumberland cut, 65s 6d; short rib, 66s 6d; long clear middles light, 66s; long clear middles heavy, 65s; short clear backs, 65s; clear bellies, 67s; shoulders square, firm, 56s. Lard—Strong; prime western, 65s; American refined, 65s 6d. Cheese—Firm; Canadian finest white, 61s 6d; do., colored, 60s.

CLOVERSEED.

DETROIT, Feb. 14.—Cloverseed—Spot, 100 bags at $8 30; March, 200 bags at $8 20; by sample, 24 bags at $8, 20 at $7 75 and 17 at $7 50 per bu. Prime alsike, $7 50; by sample, 10 bags at $7, and 5 at $6 25 per bu. Timothy seed—Spot, 60 bags at $1 85 per bu.

TOLEDO, Feb. 14.—Cloverseed—Cash, $8 30; March, $8 30; April, $7 50; October, $6 85; prime old, $8 30; No. 2, $8 1c; No. 3, $8; rejected, $7 80; neglected, $2 50 to $7 50. Timothy—Prime, $2; March, $2. Alsike—Prime, $7 70; March, $7 75.

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Feb. 15. Cattle—Receipts estimated at 11,000; market weak to a shade lower; beeves, $4.35 to $7.80; Texas steers, $4.00 to $5.10; western steers, $4.20 to $6.00; stockers and feeders, $3.15 to $5.50; cows and heifers, $2.25 to $5.80; calves, $7.00 to $9.20. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 33,000; market steady; light, $8.70 to $9.15; mixed, $8.75 to $9.25; heavy, $8.75 to $9.25; rough, $8.75 to $8.90; good to choice heavy, $8.90 to $9.25. Pigs, $7.80 to $8.90; bulk of sales, $9.00 to $9.15. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 18,000; market weak; native, $4.70 to $6.75; western, $4.50 to $6.85; yearlings, $7.25 to $8.50. Lambs, native, $6.75 to $9.00; western, $6.75 to $9.00.

STOCKS.

Special to The Advertiser from Edward Cronyn & Co., Toronto.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—Noon quotations on the Standard Mining Exchange: Beaver, 33½; Little Nipissing, 30; Chambers-Ferland, 36; Nipissing, 9.90; Crown Reserve, 3.90; Otisse, 10; Cobalt Lake, 20½; Rochester, 20; Coniagas, 5.60; Nova Scotia, 38; Foster, 25½; Silver Leaf, 10½; Green-Meehan, 9; Temiskaming, 60; Kerr Lake, 9.05; Trethewey, 1.40; La Rose, 4.32.

WALL STREET OPENING.

New York, Feb. 15—Wall street.—The stock market opened heavy, but loses in the important stocks were confined to moderate fractions. There were a few notable exceptions, Kansas and Texas going up 1¼ and Great Northern ore certificates a point. Canadian Pacific was down 2 points in sympathy with a corresponding loss in the London market.

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

NEW YORK, Feb. 15—Wall street, 10 a.m.—Americans in London are heavy, ¼ to ½ below parity. Annual meeting of MacKay in Boston today. Keene examination resumes today. Harriman merger suit resumes today. Chicago reports the highest price for hogs since 1882. Import of eggs from Hull, England, brings the price down. Forty thousand men in the building trades to strike in sympathy with striking steamfitters. British Parliament meets today. Regular dividend on C. P. R. Consols in London heavy, but the general market is quiet and fairly firm. Denver and Rio Grande showed only 1.87 for calendar year 1909. International Harvester earned $15,000,000 net in the year ended 1909, or 96 per cent more than in 1908. Illinois Coal labor situation strained. People's Gas earned in 1909 8.89 per cent on stock, as against 8.26 in the previous year.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15—Noon.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper	75¾	76⅜	75	75½
Anaconda Copper	49½	49¾	49½	49¾
American Sugar	125	125	124½	124½
Amer. Beet Sugar	39½	39½	38⅞	38⅞
Amer. Locomotive	49½	49½	48	48
American Foundry	61¼	..	..	..
American Refining	82½	83¼	82¼	82½
Amer. Cotton Oil	60¾	61	60¾	60¾
Atchison, com.	115¼	115¼	114¾	114¾
Baltimore & Ohio	110⅞	111¼	110⅞	110⅞
Brooklyn Transit	73¼	73⅜	72½	72¾
Canadian Pacific	181	181½	180¼	180¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	84¼	84⅞	83¾	84
Chicago & G. W.	30⅝	31	30¾	30¾
Consolidated Gas	144¾	145¼	144	144¼
Col. Fuel & Iron	37½	38	37½	38
Chicago & N. W.	158	158¼	157½	157½
Distillers	30¾	..	..	..
Erie, com.	28⅝	28¾	28½	28⅝
G. Northern, pfd.	136½	136¾	136⅛	136¼
Illinois Central	141⅞	..	..	..
Inter-Metropolitan	20½	20¾	20½	20⅝
Inter-Met., pfd.	52½	54¼	52½	53
Kansas & Texas	42⅝	42¾	42⅛	42⅜
Louisville & Nash	149¼	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	69⅞	70½	69½	70⅜
New York Central	119½	120¼	119	119⅞
Northern Pacific	137	136⅝	135⅝	135⅞
Norfolk & Western	102	101½	101⅜	101½
National Lead	80⅝	80¾	80¼	80¼
Ontario & Western	44⅞	45	44¾	44¾
Pacific Mail	30	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	132¾	133¾	132⅞	132⅞
People's Gas	110	110	109¼	109¼
Pressed Steel Car	40¾	41	40¾	40¾
Reading	165¼	166⅞	165	165¾
Republic Steel	28¾	28¾	28¼	28⅜
Rock Island	47⅞	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛
Southern Railway	28⅛	28¼	28⅛	28¼
Southern Ry., pfd	63½	64½	63½	64½
Southern Pacific	125	126	124½	124⅝
St. Paul	145	145	144⅛	144⅞
Texas Pacific	30	30	29¾	29¾
Union Pacific	183⅞	185	183⅜	183⅝
Central Leather	39¾	40	39¼	39¼
U. S. Rubber	42	42½	42	42⅛
U. S. Steel	79¾	80⅜	79	79⅜
U. S. Steel, pfd	119½	119⅝	119¼	119¼
Wabash, com.	21½	21¾	21½	21¾
Wabash, pfd.	46½	47¾	46½	47
Western Union Tel.	71¾	71⅞	71¾	71⅞

MONTREAL, Feb. 15	Asked	Bid
Bell Telephone	146	..
Canadian Converters	43¾	43
Canadian Pacific	180¼	180
New Pacific	176	174½
Detroit Electric	62½	62¼
Dominion Coal, com	85¼	85
Dominion Steel com	69½	69⅛
Dominion Steel, pfd	135¼	135
Duluth, com	16½	14½
Halifax Electric	..	124
Illinois Traction, pref	93	92
Lake of the Woods, com	144	143⅞
McKay Com	91	89
Mackay, pref	78	76
Mexican L. & P.	74	73
Minn. & St. Paul	139½	139¼
Mt. L., H. & Power	133	132⅞
Montreal Street Railway	222	221½
Montreal Steel Works	111	107
Montreal Telegraph	145	..
N. S. Steel & Coal	79	78
Ogilvie Milling	138½	..
Rio de Janeiro	95½	95¼
Sao Paulo Tramway	150	148
Toledo Electric	14	11
Toronto Railway	125	124⅞
Twin City	112¼	112¼
Winnipeg	..	178½
Windsor Hotel	..	117½
Bank British North America	..	1.0
Bank of Commerce	198¼	..
Eastern Township Bank	164	160
Molsons Bank	210	207
Bank Montreal	..	292½
Bank Nova Scotia	280	..
Royal Bank	232¼	230
Traders Bank	147	144
Canadian Colored Cotton	57	56
Dominion Textile, pref	104	102½
Montreal Cotton	135	132
Canada Colored Cotton bonds	100	..
Dominion Coal bonds	100	98
Dominion Cotton bonds	104	102
Kewatin Milling bonds	105	103
Lake of the Woods bonds	111½	110⅝
Laurentide Paper bonds	110¼	108
Mexican Electric bonds	83	80½
Ogilvie Milling bonds	..	112¼
Price Bros. bonds	..	105
Textile bonds A	94	..
Textile bonds B	..	98
Textile bonds C	..	93
Textile bonds D	97	..
Winnipeg Electric bonds	..	105
Penman, com	64½	64
Penman, pref	87½	86½
Quebec, pref	..	120
Rubber, com	98	95
Textile com	73	71¾
Asbestos, com	31⅛	31¼
Asbestos, pref	100	95
Black Lake com	..	21⅛
Black Lake pfd	65	63
Superior	69	68⅝
Shawinigan	104	103¾
Porto Rico bonds	35	..
Crown Reserve	395	390
Rubber bonds	100	99
Ogilvie bonds B	112¾	..
Porto Rico Railway	..	82¾

Morning Sales: C. P. R., 25 at 181, 120 at 180½, 50 at 180⅝; Power, 55 at 133, 5 at 132¾; Rio, 25 at 95¼; Twins, 25 at 112¾; Shawinigan, 50 at 104¼, 125 at 104, 225 at 103¾, 25 and 50 at 104½; Winnipeg, 25 at 178; Soo, common, 25 at 140⅛, 15 at 140⅛, 75 at 139½, 25 at 139¾, 25 at 140, 25 at 140¼; R. and O., 100 at 90, 100 at 90¼, 2 at 90½; Woods, common, 50 at 143, 50 at 144; Textile, preferred, 2 at 102; Asbestos, preferred, 5 at 94½, 25 at 95; do, common, 125 at 29½, 550 at 29¾, 250 at 30, 2 and 50 at 30¼, 100 at 30¼, 10 at 31, 25 at 31½, 25 at 31⅜, 50, 150 and 225 at 31, 10 at 31¼, 5 at 31¼; Penmans, common, 25 at 63¾, 325 and 30 at 64; Cement, 1 at 62; Scotia, 25 at 79, 50 at 79⅛, 25 at 79; Reserve, 600 at 3.80, 800 at 3.85, 500 at 3.90; Iron, preferred, 75 at 135½; Telegraph, 50 at 150; Bank of Toronto, 6 at 219, cash today; Bank of Montreal, 3 at 252½; Converters, 50 at 43¾; Iron, common, 50 at 32½, 200 at 32¼, 75 at 32½, 25 at 32⅝, 50 and 50 at 32¾; Detroit, 5 at 62½. Mackay, preferred, 2 at 77.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.	Ask.	Bid.
B. C. Packers A	77	75
B. C. Packers B	..	74
Bell Telephone	..	145¾
Can. Gen. Electric	..	116
Canadian Salt	..	112
C. P. R.	..	180¼
City Dairy com	..	30
City Dairy pfd	..	97
Consumers' Gas	..	206
Crow's Nest	..	76
Detroit United	66¼	..
Dom. Coal com	..	80½
Dom. Steel com	69⅝	69¼
Dom. Steel pfd	..	134½
Dominion Telegraph	..	108½
Electric Dev. pfd	..	50
Laurentide Paper com	..	130
Laurentide Paper pfd	..	130
Mackay com	80½	80¼
Mexican L. & P.	..	72
Mexico Tramway	128	126½
Niagara Nav.	135½	..
Northern Nav.	108	..
N. S. Steel com	79	78
Ogilvie com	139	137
Penman com	65	64¼
Penman pfd	..	86
Porto Rico Railway	..	34½
Rio Janiero Tram	96	95¾
R. & O. Nav.	91	..
Rogers com	179	176
Rogers pfd	110	..
Sao Paulo Tram	149⅞	149⅛
Shredded Wheat com	43½	..
Shredded Wheat pfd	100¾	..
St. L. & C. Nav.	119	..
Tor. Electric Light	..	117½
Toronto Railway	..	124½
Tri City pfd	93	91
Twin City	112½	..
La Rose	436	430
North Star	12	..
Trethewey	..	138
Bank Commerce	..	199
Dominion Bank	244	..
Bank Hamilton	207	..
Imperial Bank	..	221½
Merchants' Bank	..	175
Molsons Bank	..	207½
Bank Montreal	..	292½
Bank Nova Scotia	283¾	283¼
Royal Bank	242	..
Standard Bank	..	231
Traders' Bank	145½	..
Union Bank	..	138¼
Agricultural Loan	..	120
Canada Landed	..	160
Can. Permanent	..	165
Central Canada	180	..
Colonial Invest	68	..
Dom. Savings	..	71½
Hamilton Provident	130	128
Huron & Erie	200	194
Huron & Erie, 20 per cent	..	182
Landed Banking	..	130
National Trust	198	194
Ontario Loan	..	142
Ontario Loan, 20 per cent	..	127½
Real Estate	..	100
Toronto General Trusts	170	166
Toronto Mortgage	..	130
Electric Dev.	83⅛	82¾
Mexican L. & P.	87½	87
Rio Janiero bonds	95½	..
Sao Paulo bonds	101	..
Porto Rico bonds	..	82½

Morning Sales: Rio, 10, 25 and 15 at 95, 25, 25 and 50 at 95½; do, bonds, 500 at 95½; Woods, 2 at 142¾; do, pureferred, 3 at 128; Rogers, 24 at 179; do, preferred, 5 at 109¾; Mackay, 2 and 1 at 89; do, preferred, 8 at 76½, 5 at 76⅝; Consumers' Gas, 1 at 206; Sao Paulo, 25, 25 and 25 at 148½, 25 at 148⅞, 25, 5, 25 and 25 at 149; Penmans, 25 at 64, 50, 25, 25 and 10 at 64¼; F. N. Burt, 5, 2 and 25 at 72¼; do, preferred, 15 and 10 at 98½; Asbestos, 25, 50, 25, 25, 50, 25 and 25 at 30¾, 25, 25 and 25 at 30⅞; Canada Permanent, 10 at 165; N. S. Steel, 25 at 78⅞; Dominion Bank, 2 at 244½; Duluth-Superior, 25, 5, 25 and 25 at 68¾; Winnipeg, 30 at 178¼; Trethewey, 100 and 50 at 1.39, 200 at 1.40; Black Lake, preferred, 5 and 5 at 64; do, bonds, 100 0and 2000 at 83; Traders' Bank, 10 at 141¾, 5 at 144½; Imperial Bank, 10 at 222½, 10 and 30 at 232.

Ex-dividend: Bank of Toronto, 2½ per cent; Merchants' Bank, 2 per cent; Union Bank, 1¾ per cent.

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EAST LONDON

EAST END FAMILY SCOURGED BY FEVER

Four of the Members Ill and One Succumbs to the Disease.

James Henry Irving Ram, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Ram, 791 Queen's avenue, died in Victoria Hospital yesterday after a brief illness with scarlet fever. Only about a week ago four of Mr. Ram's children were removed to the contagious ward suffering from the fever. The funeral, which is of a private nature, was held this afternoon.

ALLEGED MAD DOG IN EAST LONDON

Bulldog Attacked a Pet Foxterrier With Dire Results for Latter.

Another alleged case of "mad dog" was reported in the East End yesterday afternoon, when a bulldog attacked a pet belonging to Mr. William Wakeling, of 24 Campbell street.

Mr. Wakeling's dog, which is a pet of the children, was muzzled at the time, and was unable to protect himself, a part of one ear being bitten off and his leg lacerated.

The bulldog was captured by Mr. Wakeling and turned over to the police.

Mr. Wakeling's dog is a very peaceable pet, and was with the little Wakeling girl on Dundas street, near Rectory street, when the trouble occurred. A veterinary will examine the dog this afternoon.

The authorities state that the bulldog was bitten by the canine killed on Talbot street yesterday afternoon, or, at least, he may have been. Now it is figured out that if the Talbot street dog was really mad, he may have bitten the East End bulldog, and if the bulldog is mad, there is a possibility that Mr. Wakeling's pet may develop rabies.

Such being the case, Mr. Wakeling's dog's life is in very grave danger, he having been bitten by a dog that may have been bitten by another dog that may have been suffering from rabies when killed by several policemen.

Mr. Wakeling is of the opinion that the law should be more strictly enforced in order that every canine be muzzled.

EAST END MAN KILLED IN BUFFALO

Mr. George Stinson, of 354 Rectory street, received word today of the death of Mr. J. Buxton, of Buffalo, in an elevator accident there yesterday afternoon. Mr. Buxton was well known in the East End. No particulars of the accident were given.

INFANT DAUGHTER DEAD.

Velma Irene Hough, infant daughter of Wellington and May Hough, died at the family residence, 660 Nelson street, yesterday after a brief illness. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon, and the services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. McRoberts, of the Hill Street Mission.

LONDON GIRL IS HURRIED

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In a passion will bite anything thrown at it

It is thought that the dog bit about a dozen other dogs in the course of its wanderings, and all these as far as possible have been put under the most careful surveillance.

Another One Destroyed.

Mr. Thomas Rich, of Wellington street, the owner of one of the dogs bitten, asked to have it destroyed, and Detective Down dispatched the animal.

Later in the afternoon another suspected canine was brought to the police station, and immediately disposed of, and during the afternoon two others were put out of the way.

The sheep dog was seen as far north as St. James street, and from there along Richmond, Ridout and Talbot streets, and as far south on Talbot as Horton street, and he may have bitten dogs in any of these localities and not have been noticed.

A Muzzle Conference.

Doctor J. H. Tennant, V.S., inspector for the Dominion Government, met several of the manufacturers of dog muzzles yesterday afternoon in Chief Williams' office, and a conference was held to select a style of muzzle that will meet the requirements of the authorities.

It was decided that no leather muzzle will be accepted, as a dog may break it or chew it and destroy its usefulness.

Steel Wire Adopted.

Steel wire muzzles alone will be accepted, and one pattern in which there was not a wire nose-piece was rejected, as Dr. Tennant insists upon having a muzzle that will cover a dog's nose and jaws so completely that there is no chance of his biting anyone. The manufacturers agreed to make the styles suggested, and in the next few days many thousand muzzles will be turned out to meet the immense rush of orders that have been pouring in to local wholesales ever since the order was made to muzzle dogs.

Mr. Geo. T. Hiscox is out with his usual joke, and has muzzled the big iron dogs which decorate his lawn.

STEAMERS ARRIVED

New York, Feb. 14.—Arrived: Baltic, from Liverpool; Main, from Bremen; Caronia, from Alexandria; Calabria, from Leghorn.

Portland—Arrived: Arcadian, Glasgow.

Glasgow—Arrived: Columbia, New York.

Fishguard—Called: Mauretania, New York.

Plymouth—Called: Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, New York.

Christiansand—Arrived: C. F. Tietgen, New York.

Madeira—Called: Saxonia, New York.

Gibraltar—Pased: Italia, New York.

Genoa—Arrived: Cretic, Boston; Europa, New York.

Smyrna—Called: Arabic, New York.

Malaga—Called: Cincinnati, New York.

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BIG DELEGATION WILL SEE PREMIER

Hon. Mr. Whitney Will Be Asked Tomorrow to Aid the Western University.

NAMES OF DELEGATES

In All About Fifty People Will Go to Toronto from London and the District.

All preparations are completed for the visit of the deputation to Toronto to interview Sir James Whitney and the cabinet, to ask for a substantial grant to the Western University.

Capt. T. J. Murphy has prepared the list of delegates, and it contains the names of a large percentage of the professional and business men of the city, reinforced by a number of very prominent men from the western peninsula. He has written all the members for the thirteen counties in this district, and they will join the deputation in asking for a grant.

Petitions.

Petitions from the following municipalities will be presented: From the city council of London, from the county of Middlesex, from the city of Chatham, from the county of Kent, from the county of Lambton, from the town of Petrolea, from the county of Perth, from the city of St. Thomas, from the county of Elgin, from the Trades and Labor Council of London, from the board of trade, from the separate school board, from the board of education, and from the public library board.

All the places and bodies named will also send delegates, and they will reinforce their demands in person

From the Colleges.

A number of institutions seeking affiliation with the Western, particularly St. Jerome's College, Berlin, and L'Assomption College, Sandwich, will also send delegates.

"We expect to send a very fine deputation," said Capt. Murphy. "We have good men, and we have a good cause, and there is no reason whatever why we should not obtain our wishes."

The deputation will reach fifty all told, and will be joined by former Londoners in Toronto, and other places near by.

The Delegates.

The delegates are the following:

Bishop Williams, representing the Diocese of Huron.

Father Forster, representing Sandwich College.

Father Zinger, representing St. Jerome's College.

Rev. Richard Whiting, Rev. Thomas H. Mitchell