

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Friday, April 25. Oil in New York at 70; closed at 70 1/2. The highest was 70 and the lowest 70 1/2. Petroleum stood at 70 1/2 day.

The closing despatch from Chicago to C. & C. over the private wire was 4 1/2 p. m. After early trading wheat closed strong on good export demand at seaboard 90c June. A sense of war news and trade news until afternoon board when there was good buying. Corn and provisions dull, trade steady; closing barely steady; 47 1/2 June; \$11.80 pork. Melrose Indiana & Co.

New York stocks generally were dull. A further advance is to be noted in Oregon. N. which opened at 7 1/2, advanced and closed at 7 3/4 bid, 7 1/2 being asked. There are rumors that it will be leased to the Northern Pacific, whose group of stocks as a consequence a rally of 1/4 to 1/2.

The following failures are reported to-day: F. Mowat, real and auctioneer, Donahue assigned; A. A. Lane, fancy goods, Norwood, St. George.

Toronto Stock Exchange—April 25. Morning Board. 25 Montreal (old) 128 1/2. 20 Ontario 109 1/2. 10 Toronto (10, 13, 10, 10) 111 1/2. 5 Commercial 122 1/2. 2 Standard 122 1/2. 4 Consolidated (after lunch) 122 1/2. 20 Afternoon Board. 25 Montreal (old) 128 1/2. 20 Ontario 109 1/2. 10 Toronto (10, 13, 10, 10) 111 1/2. 5 Commercial 122 1/2. 2 Standard 122 1/2. 4 Consolidated (after lunch) 122 1/2.

Toronto Stocks at the Close. Montreal 200, 200; bid 197, 194. Ontario 110, 109, Toronto 113, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200.

Grain and Provision Markets—By Telegraph. Wheat—London, April 24. 2 1/2. Flour—London, April 24. 10 1/2. Corn—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Beans—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Peas—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Potatoes—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Sugar—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Coffee—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Tea—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Spices—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Oils—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Butter—London, April 24. 1 1/2. Eggs—London, April 24. 1 1/2.

"I do not like thee, Dr. Fell. The reason why, I cannot tell. It has often been wondered at, the bad odor this oft-quoted doctor of 'Twas probably because he, being one of the old school doctors, was full as large as bullets, which nothing but an arsenic could hold without nausea. Hence the dislike. Dr. K. Y. Parry's 'Fell's Purgative Pills' are sugar-coated and no larger than bird shot, and are quick to do their work. For derangements of the liver, bowels and stomach they are specific.

"Now, then, Patrick," said the merchant to his new office boy, "suppose you go for the mail." "Yes, sir," replied the kind of mail you'd be wanting, 'Indian kind or cat mail?"

Catarrh—A New Treatment. Perhaps the most extraordinary success that has been achieved in modern medicine has been that of Catarrh. The latest reports are that out of 200 patients treated during the past year, 195 have been cured. This is a success of 97.5 per cent. The patients presenting themselves to the practitioners are benefited, while the patient medicines and operations are simple and painless.

The Berlin papers generally express the opinion that Russia is humbugging Britain. A field of corn—Thomas Sablin of England, says: "I have used Halloway's Corn Cure with the best results, having removed ten corns from my feet. It is not a half way cure or reliever, but a complete extirpator, leaving the skin smooth and clear from the least appearance of the corns.

Twenty-four persons have been killed by an avalanche at Seydlitz, Ireland. Rheumatism and Catarrh, caused by poor or cholerated blood, are cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is stated cholera has reappeared at Cairo and that seven deaths have occurred there.

A Wide Spread Evil. The great source of consumption and of ugly sores is eczema in the blood. Burdock Blood Bitters purify the entire system and cure eczema, as well as the more common blood humors.

West Toronto Junction is within a few minutes walk from Union Station by the trains of the Ontario and Quebec and the Grand Trunk or the Northern. Real estate in the city has been held in high value and promises to advance still more rapidly. Some of the best lots in West Toronto are to be had from Geo. Clark, 220 Yonge street.

The man who amounts to nothing, is a mere cipher, as a rule is always found. Pale, woe-begone invalids suffering from poverty of the blood, bilious sufferers, and those whose circulation is depraved, should use without delay Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, the celebrated blood purifier, which stimulates digestion, increases the nutritive properties of the blood, and expels impurities from the system.

Goat's milk ought to make good butter. Mrs. H. Hall, Navarino, N. Y., writes: "For years I have been troubled with liver complaint. The doctors said my liver was hardened and enlarged. I was treated with all the medicines, but to no purpose. I was under the care of three physicians, but did not get any relief. A friend sent me a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and the benefit I have received from it is beyond my expectation. It has done more for me in a few days than all the other doctors' prescriptions for years.

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Fifteen days after date of closing will be allowed for letters to reach the Ladies' Journal Office from distant points. Letters must not be post-marked where mailed later than the 15th of July. If you live almost anywhere on the other side of the Atlantic, or in distant places in the States, you will stand a good chance for these consolation rewards. All persons competing must become subscribers for at least one year to the Ladies' Journal, for which they must enclose, with their answers, FIFTY CENTS, the regular yearly subscription price. Those who do not wish to subscribe, may remit one dollar for two years' subscription, and the JOURNAL will be sent them for that time; or for the extra money the JOURNAL will be mailed to any friend's address they may indicate.

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