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WHERE ARE THOSE BONDS?

Searches in the Office of Treasurer Vanluven of Kingston are Fruitless.

Kingston, July 29.—Judge Price, County Attorney Whiting, County Clerk Walker and County Commissioner Dawson have again looked through the office of missing County Treasurer Vanluven, and failed to find the street railway bonds, amounting to about $9,000, given by Folger Bros., bankers, as security for deposits made by the county. The bonds were in the office during the last meeting of the council, and the treasurer presented them to members of the Finance Committee, to be examined as to whether they afforded sufficient protection for the county. Some of the members of the council were not satisfied with the protection afforded, and it was hinted that other security would be asked for. During the June session of the council the bonds were seen, loosely rolled up. Their absence was not noticed on the first examination of the office. A diligent search is being made.

A New Departure by the Wabash.

The Wabash Railroad now runs its own solid trains from Buffalo to Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City, passing through Niagara Falls, St. Catharines, Hamilton, Woodstock, London and Chatham. These trains are the finest ever seen in Canada, being vestibuled from end to end. Wabash trains reach more large cities than any other railroad in the world. Time tables and detailed information of this most wonderful railway from any R.R. agent, or J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, northeast corner King and Yonge-streets, Toronto.

John Rogers' Barn Fired.

Welland, July 29.—At 5.30 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the barn of John Rogers, but the excellent fire appliances saved one-half of it. Insured in the Mercantile for $150. Nearly all of the contents were removed. Supposed to have been set on fire by tramps.

A Debauch. Then Paris Green.

Peterboro, July 29.—This morning Michael O'Donell of Patterson-street committed suicide after a prolonged drinking bout by taking paris green. He was about 60 years of age, and had been in the employ of the Street Department of the town for 40 years.

Won't Have to Pay for Meals Now.

A bad character named George Stedman went into a King-street restaurant with a friend and the two were served with meals, in payment of which Stedman produced a worthless meal ticket and assaulted the proprietor of the place. Stedman and a young man named Michael Hough were arrested and in the Police Court Stedman was sent to the Central for three months. Hough will spend the next 60 days over the Don. Stedman was also convicted of stealing a pair of shoes from William Mitchell, 441 Bathurst-street.

Mrs. Nack and Thorn Plead Not Guilty.

New York, July 29.—Mrs. Augusta Nack and Martin Thorn were arraigned in the Court of General Sessions to-day to plead to the indictment charging them with the murder of William Guldensupe. They pleaded not guilty and were remanded to the Tombs. The two prisoners looked worried.

Death of "Black Archie," the Hermit.

Dalmeny, July 29.—Archibald McDiarmid, better known as "Black Archie," an old and eccentric man, who has for years lived a sort of hermit's life in the woods, was found dead on Saturday afternoon by George Whitelock and John Bow. He, with his father's family, settled in this place in the thirties, and amassed considerable wealth. With his death the family becomes extinct. Deceased leaves considerable money, the sum of $520 being found in the house, while preparing the body for burial. It is said he left a will, which is in the possession of D. B. MacTavish, city solicitor, of Ottawa.

Henderson Will Go Back.

Fyfe Henderson, the fugitive embezzler from Vincennes, Ind., who was arrested here on Wednesday night, was in court yesterday and remanded to await the arrival of an officer from Indiana. Henderson will go back without extradition proceedings. He is a young man who embezzled from James Stewart & Co., engineers and contractors, who have branches in several parts of the States. The prisoner is a fine-looking fellow, 28 years of age.

A Troublesome Convict.

Thomas Craig, a convict at the Central Prison, is a most troublesome and violent prisoner. He hails from Goderich and has a penitentiary record. He is now in solitary confinement for repeated breaches of prison discipline and assaulting Guard Charles Edward, who fired a shot at him, but caused no injury. Craig's sentence will not expire for 15 months, and on his release he will possibly have to face a bigamy charge.

Buried by the Newsboys.

At St. James' Cemetery yesterday the newsboys of the city buried an unfortunate member of their fraternity, Charlie Pink, who was drowned at the eastern sandbar on Tuesday. A large number of the boys followed the remains from the lad's late home, 448 Queen-street east, to the cemetery.

Both Arms Broken.

Alex Salmon, a 12-year-old lad who was working for a farmer near Corbettown, Dufferin County, was admitted to the Sick Children's Hospital yesterday with both arms broken. The boy was tearing down sparrow nests from a barn roof, when he fell 16 feet.

TORONTO FRUIT MARKET.

On yesterday's fruit market there were about 4800 packages of fruit that came by the boats and cars, principally from the Niagara Peninsula, and nearly all the shipping points of that district were fully represented. Prices ranged much the same as on Wednesday's market.

Following are quotations: Red raspberries from 3c to 4½c; black raspberries 3½c, white 3½c, blueberries 40c per basket, gooseberries 25c to 40c per basket, red currants 30c to 40c, black currants 50c to 65c per basket, cherries (eating) 50c to 60c, cherries (cooking) 35c to 50c, apples 25c to 35c per basket, pears 25c to 50c per basket, peaches 25c to 40c, tomatoes 65c to 75c per basket, cucumbers 25c to 40c per basket, cabbage 40c per bbl., celery 25c to 35c per doz.

A PRETTY SLICK DODGE.

Man and Wife Worked the Street Railways But at Last Got Nabbed.

Memphis, Tenn., July 29.—Mr. and Mrs. William Webb have been indicted and jailed on a charge of conspiracy to rob and blackmail the Citizens' Railway Company.

Mrs. Webb boarded a car several days ago and fell in the aisle. She alleged the fall injured her spine and sued for $25,000 damages, after a fruitless attempt to compromise. The woman has a permanently diseased spine, and through it she has received money from the Lindell Street Railway Company in St. Louis, and another company in Atlanta, Ga. Officials of the company here heard of the pair and knew to the hour when they intended to fall victims to the alleged accident. The lawyer who filed suit for damages has withdrawn from the case.

AN APPEAL ENTERED.

The Creditors of Lang & Co. Want to Get Possession of the Stock.

J. W. Lang & Co. have entered an appeal against the speedy judgment granted on Wednesday by Judge MacMahon in the suit of the Canada Sugar Refining Company for $2378.78. Papers were served yesterday upon Messrs. Thomson, Henderson & Co., who are acting for the Sugar Company.

Writs had been placed in the hands of the sheriff, and an attempt was made to gain possession of the premises of Lang & Co., but so far the attempt has been unsuccessful. While the creditors express their determination to obtain possession of the stock, there is an interesting legal point involved, which will have to be fought out. Mr. Lang has sold his stock to Mr. Lumsden, who was formerly his bookkeeper, and, therefore, on the face of it, the stock does not belong to Mr. Lang and cannot be seized by the creditors.

BUSINESS EMBARRASSMENTS.

The Number of Failures the Same as Last Year—Bachrack & Co.'s Troubles.

The business failures in Canada for the week were 28, the same as for the corresponding week of last year.

Mrs. Margaret Rose, grocer, Petrolea, has assigned to Marshall Sanders.

The liabilities of Moore & Kerr, drygoods, Orillia, are $11,577 and assets $11,358.

Assignee J. P. Langley has declared a final dividend of 6½ per cent. in the estate of S. J. Leach of Coldwater. This makes a total of 31 cents on the dollar.

The liabilities of Bachrack & Co., this city, are about $65,000, while the head of the firm claims his stock is worth about $40,000. The chief creditors are: Thibaudeau Bros., Montreal, $7000; Cockburn & Drake, Toronto, $500; A. Bradshaw & Co., Toronto, $1800; Caldecott, Burton & Spence, Toronto, $2000; Alexander & Anderson, Toronto, $300; E. T. Corset Co., St. Hyacinthe, $11,000; Parisian Corset Co., Quebec, $850; Dominion Corset Co., Quebec, $275; J. E. Messe, Quebec, $200; Canadian Underwear Co., Montreal, $450; J. L. Cassidy, Montreal, $375; R. Linton & Co., Montreal, $1500; Maudleburg & Co., Montreal, $525; Perrin Freres & Co., Montreal, $775; R. Ross & Co., Montreal, $250; I. B. V. Smith & Co., Montreal, $275; M. L. Schloman, Montreal, $300; Skelton Bros., Montreal, $325; H. H. Wolf & Co., Montreal, $1000.

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DIVIDENDS.

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Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 3 per cent. upon the capital stock of this institution has this day been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at the banking house in this city on and after Monday, the 2nd day of August next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to the 31st July next, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

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Toronto, 24th June, 1897.

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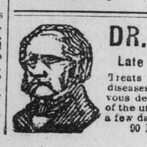

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BETTER DEMAND FOR WHEAT

Chicago Dealers Surprised at Strength Abroad.

LIVERPOOL CLOSED FIRMER

Canadian Stock Markets Fairly Active With Prices Irregular.

A Decline of One Per Cent. in Canadian Pacific, While Toronto Railway Shares Advanced—Cable Rules Firm—Wall Street Securities Active and Irregular—Low-Priced Issues Generally Higher—Wholesale Trade in Canada Less Active—Provisions are Somewhat Better at Chicago.

Thursday Evening, July 29.

In Liverpool September wheat closed ⅛d higher than yesterday.

Cash wheat in Chicago ½d higher at 76½c.

September wheat on curb 73⅛c.

Puts on September wheat 72⅞c, calls 75¼c.

Puts on September corn 27⅝c, calls 27⅝c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $4.22½ for October.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 172, corn 781, oats 333. Estimated for Friday: Wheat 256, corn 1178, oats 389.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 272 cars, as against 317 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 25,000, or 2000 less than expected. Official Wednesday 32,199; left over 2000.

Estimated for Friday 17,000. Market strong to shade higher. Heavy shippers $3.37 to $3.75.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 3500, market steady. Sheep 15,000. Market steady to weaker.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 35 barrels and 9699 sacks; wheat 47,955 bushels.

Dun & Co. report 28 business failures in Canada this week, the same as last week and the corresponding week of last year.

Ocean freights continue to stiffen and the advance checks business in grain. Rates from New York to Liverpool are 3½d bid and 4d asked for late August and all September loading.

Stocks of provisions at Chicago Aug. 1 are estimated at 100,000 barrels new pork, 288,000 tcs of lard, and 37,000,000 lbs. ribs, a decrease of 4000 barrels of pork, and an increase of 5000 tcs. of lard and 4,000,000 lbs. ribs.

A large operator cabled Liverpool asking for Beerbohm's estimate of the European wheat shortage. The reply came that it was 18,000,000 quarters. This is equal to 144,000,000 bushels, and is the same as his estimate given out last week. This makes the estimate of 224,000,000 bushels shortage circulated Monday appear as a fake. If some of the reports received about the damage to the wheat crop in Roumania and Hungary are true, it is in a bad way, and will have to be classed with Argentina and some other countries. The French reports are decidedly at variance with the official Government figures issued a few days ago. If all the foreign reports are true the situation is unprecedentedly bullish.

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TRADE IN CANADA.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Daily Bulletin says: General wholesale trade at Toronto has not been as active the past week. This is partly accounted for by the heavy rains and unsettled weather within the period named. The sorting-up trade has suffered in consequence, although it is stated that orders for autumn staple goods have been fairly satisfactory. The shipments of wool, hides and lumber to the United States have ceased since the Dingley tariff went into operation on Saturday last. Shipments for several weeks had been large in anticipation of increased duties. The stock of wool in Ontario has been reduced to a minimum. Wheat is firmer, but actual business is limited owing to the advanced prices asked. Shippers say that wheat from Toledo and Detroit can be laid down at Montreal cheaper than Ontario wheat, the former places having the advantages of cheaper freight rates to the seaboard. The wet weather has caused considerable damage to the crops in Ontario. There is a good deal of hay, fall wheat and barley lying out and suffering by the heavy rains. Trade conditions generally are satisfactory, and merchants anticipate increased activity to begin next month. Hardware and metals continue in fair demand, with ruling prices firm. Groceries are quiet. No changes are yet reported in prices of hides or wool, but weaker markets seem to be expected. Remittances are fair. Money continues to rule easy. Call loans 3½ to 4 per cent., and prime commercial paper is discounted at 6 per cent. Sterling exchange is firmer.

The money market at Montreal shows easiness, and the general asking rate for call money is now 3½ per cent., but the general discount rate has undergone no revision, being still 6 to 7 per cent. Country collections are not supposed to be very brisk during haying, but remittances may be called fair for the season; failures in the district for the week have been rather more frequent than for several weeks past, but are by no means numerous. In groceries there is a fair general distribution; wholesalers judge by their advices that retail stocks are low as a rule; and, while orders are not large, they are reported fairly numerous. Sugars, in particular, are moving out quite briskly. Samples of Dutch and German refined sugars are being shown freely, and quoted quite a shade below domestic goods, but they do not seem to take the general favor. Summer sorting business in dry goods is rather declining with the advancing season, but a very fair proportion of fall goods is now being delivered. Some of the larger shoe factories are fairly busy, but as a whole business in this line is hardly up to the average. Leather and hides continue dull, as also do heavy metals, oils, paints, etc. The somewhat improved demand for wool is fairly held, and holders are very firm in their ideas.

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LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

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

	July.	Sept.
Chicago	76½c	73⅝c
New York	85¾c	79¾c
Milwaukee, cash	79⅞c	..
St. Louis	77⅝c	77⅛c
Toledo	76½c	76⅝c
Detroit	76½c	76¾c
Duluth, No. 1 hard, cash	80¼c	..
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	79¼c	73⅞c
Toronto, No. 1 hard	87c	..
Toronto, white	75c	..

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LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—The flour market is a little better, with demand improving. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.40 to $3.45.

Bran—The market is quiet, with bran steady at $8 west and shorts $9. Bran $10 here.

Wheat—The market is quiet and generally firmer. New white wheat is quoted at 70c, and old at 72c to 73c west. Red winter, 71c west. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 79c Fort William, and it is held at 83c to 84c Goderich. No. 2 hard is held at 82c Goderich.

Buckwheat—The demand is limited, and prices nominal.

Barley—The market is quiet, with no business reported.

Oats—The market is dull and prices steady. A lot of 10,000 bushels of white sold west at 22½c, and mixed at 21½c west.

Peas—The market is quiet and prices unchanged; 15,000 bushels sold outside at 43c north and west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices higher at $3.10 to $3.20 for cars on track.

Corn—The demand is fair and prices steady, there being sales at 26c to 26½c west.

Rye—There is a moderate demand, and prices are firm. Sales outside at 35c.

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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of grain on the street to-day were light, and prices irregular. Wheat is firm, a load of white selling at 70½c, one of red at 74½c, and one of goose at 67½c. Oats easy, 300 bushels selling at 27½c to 28½c. One load of peas sold at 43c. Hay is firmer, 15 loads selling at $7 to $7.75. Old nominal at $11 to $12. One load of straw sold at $7 a ton. Dressed hogs unchanged. Eggs 10c per dozen in case lots for fresh.

Wheat, white, bushel	$0 75	to 0 75½
" goose, bush	0 63	0 64½
" red, bushel	0 74	0 74½
Barley, bushel	0 24	0 28
Peas, bushel	0 45	0 46
Oats, bushel	0 27½	0 28½
Potatoes, bag	0 35	0 40
" car lots	0 25	0 27
New potatoes, bushel	0 70	0 80
Turnips, bag	0 15	0 20
Beets, bag	0 30	0 35
Green peas, per bag	0 40	0 00
Red carrots, per bag	0 25	0 30
Cabbage, per dozen	0 20	0 30
Onions, bag	1 25	1 75
Hay, new, per ton	6 00	7 50
" baled, old, ton	7 50	9 00
Straw, loose, ton	4 00	5 00
" sheaf, ton	5 00	6 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	6 50	7 50
" forequarters, cwt	4 00	4 50
Veal, carcase, cwt	6 00	7 00
Mutton, carcase, cwt	5 00	6 00
Dressed hogs, light, cwt	6 50	7 00
" " heavy, cwt	6 00	6 25
Spring lambs, each	2 75	3 75
Spring lambs, dressed, lb.	0 08	0 09
Turkeys, lb	0 08	0 09
Spring ducks, pair	0 50	0 65
Chickens, pair	0 40	0 60
Spring chickens, pair	0 50	0 65
Butter, lb. rolls	0 15	0 17
" " case lots, doz	0 10	0 10½
Eggs, new laid	0 12	0 14

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TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

There was a light run on the live stock market yesterday, only 14 cars, composed of 310 cattle, 220 sheep and lambs, 25 calves and 250 hogs. We cannot quote any change in prices. The bulk of exporters go at $4 to $4.40 per cwt.

Mr. Dunn bought of R. McLaughlin of Glencoe one load of extra choice exporters at $4.50 per cwt., but this was the only lot that we heard of bringing that price.

H. & E. Maybee were shipping 163 export steers, heifers and cows of good class, bought on Friday and Tuesday last, averaging 1200 lbs., which cost them $3.80 per cwt.

H. Maybee bought of Robert Alexander of Simcoe County 10 butchers' cattle, 8 heifers and 2 cows, weighing 800 each, at $2.80 per cwt., and $2 over.

Good butchers' cattle are wanted and are worth from $3.25 to $3.75 per cwt.

Common butchers were worth from $2.50 to $3 per cwt.

William Levack bought one load of good cattle, weighing 1040 lbs. each, for $3.62½ per cwt., and one load of mixed butchers, weighing 1050 each, at $3.50 per cwt.

Mr. Crealock was buying stockers, or light feeders: he paid for M. averaging 708 lbs. $2.95 per cwt. and for 2, weighing 920 lbs. each, $3.25 per cwt.

Very few milk cows on the market, and no change in prices. For calves and sheep there was no change in quotations.

The market for hogs remains firm at $6 per cwt. for the best.

Shipping cattle, choice	$4 00	to $4 40
Shipping cattle, ordinary	3 65	4 00
Bulls, light export, good quality	3 00	3 00
Bulls, heavy export, good quality	3 00	3 50
Stockers and medium to good	2 60	2 90
Light feeders	3 00	3 25
Butchers' cattle, choice steers and heifers	3 50	3 75
Butchers' cattle, medium to good steers and heifers	2 75	3 50
Butchers' cattle, light-weight cows, etc.	2 50	2 75
Springers, each	20 00	35 00
Milk cows, each	20 00	35 00
Calves, each	3 00	6 00
Sheep, per lb	0 03	0 00
Bucks, per lb.	0 03	0 03
Spring lambs, each	2 75	3 50
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	5 75	6 00
" light	5 00	5 25
" heavy	4 50	4 75
" light fats	4 75	5 25
" sows	3 50	3 75
" stags	2 00	2 25

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—July	76⅝	76⅝	75¼	76½
" —Sept	73¼	73⅝	72⅝	73⅝
" —Dec	74½	75	74	75
Corn—July	27½	27½	27	27½
" —Sept	27⅛	27⅝	27¼	27⅝
" —Dec	28½	28¾	28⅜	28¾
Oats—July	17	17⅛	17	17
" —Sept	17⅝	17⅝	17⅜	17⅜
" —Dec	18¼	18⅜	18⅛	18⅜
Pork—July	....	....	....	7 17
" —Sept	7 72	7 82	7 72	7 82
Lard—July	4 17	4 20	4 17	4 20
" —Sept	4 20	4 25	4 20	4 25
" —Dec	4 30	4 35	4 30	4 35
Ribs—July	4 62	4 67	4 62	4 67

WYATT & CO.
(Members Toronto Stock Exchange.)
Shares on New York, Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges, and grain and provisions on Chicago Board of Trade dealt in for cash or on margin.—46 King St. W., Canada Life Bldg. Mining stocks bought and sold.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, July 28.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 6s 10d to 6s 11d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 0d to 7s 0½d; peas, 4s 4d; corn, new, 2s 10d; pork, 45s for fine western; lard, 21s 3d; bacon, heavy, 1c. 27s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., short cut, 26s 0d; tallow, 17s 3d; cheese, 39s 6d.

London—Wheat on passage nominally unchanged. English country markets firm. Maize on passage dull.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures quiet at 6s 10d for July, 6s 1⅜d for Sept. and 6s 0⅛d for Dec. Maize quiet at 2s 10d for Aug., 2s 11⅜d for Sept. and 3s 0¼d for Oct. Flour 21s 6d.

Paris—Wheat 24f 95c for Aug.; flour, 51f 60c for Aug.

London—Close—Wheat on passage, demand better. Maize off coast quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 24f 90c for Aug.; flour, 51f 40c for Aug. Weather in France cloudy.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 6s 2⅛d for Sept. and 6s 1d for Dec. Maize dull at 2s 9¾d for July, 2s 9⅞d for Aug., 2s 11⅛d for Sept. and 3s 0¼d for Oct. Flour, 21s 6d.

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FINANCIAL.

The feature of the local stock market this afternoon was the decline in Canadian Pacific to 77½.

Toronto Railway is very strong, with sales at 80. On the other hand, Montreal Railway is weak, with sales to-day at 216¾.

Consols steady, closing to-day at 112 15-16 for money, and at 113 for account.

La Paris 3 per cent rentes are steady at 104f 80c.

Canadian Pacific closed ⅝ lower in London to-day at 78⅝.

American securities in London fairly active and stronger. St. Paul closed at 90⅝, Erie at 16, Reading at 12¾, N.Y.C. at 104¼ and Ill. Central at 103.

The directors of the Bank of England, at their weekly meeting to-day made no change in the discount rate, which is 2 per cent. The bullion in the bank decreased £224,857 for the week, and the proportion of cash reserve to liability is 50.90 per cent., as against 50.59 per cent. a week ago.

The clearings of the Winnipeg banks for the week are $1,291,626.

BANK CLEARINGS AT TORONTO.

The clearings this week are smaller. Following are the figures with comparisons:

	Clearings.	Balances.
July 23	$1,327,568	$ 110,601
July 24	996,333	134,090
July 26	943,412	248,018
July 27	1,321,170	254,633
July 28	1,105,899	110,359
July 29	992,570	95,549
Totals	$6,686,952	$ 951,270
Last week	$7,462,613	$1,132,521
Cor. week, 1896	5,604,143	887,673
" " 1895	5,596,331	1,158,186

MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is easy at 3½ to 4 per cent. "Prime commercial paper is discounted at 6 per cent. At New York the rate for call loans is 1 per cent., and at London ⅛ to ⅛ per cent. No change was made in the Bank of England discount rate, which is 2 per cent. Open market discount rates ⅝ to ⅞ per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-street west, stocks and exchange brokers, Toronto, report local rates to-day as follows:

	—Counter.— Buy.	Sell.	—Bet. Banks.— Buy.	Sell.
N. Y. Funds	⅛ to ...		1-10 to 1-16 dis.	
Stg. 60 days	9½ to	9⅝	9 3-16 to 9 5-16	
do. demand	9¾ to	9⅞	9 7-16 to 9 9-16	

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.87	4.86¼ to 4.86½
" demand	4.88	4.87¼ to 4.87⅜

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET.

	1 p.m. Ask.	Bid.	3.30 p.m. Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	235	231	235	231
Ontario	84	83	81	74
Toronto	230	227½	230	227½
Merchants'	177	173	177	173
Commerce	129	128⅛	129	128⅛
Imperial	187	186	187	185⅝
Dominion	236	235	236	235¼
Standard	171	169¾	171	169¾
Hamilton	...	166	...	166
British America	126	123¼	124½	125⅛
Western Assurance	165	164½	165⅛	164½
Imperial Loan	...	126	...	125
Consumers' Gas	...	207	...	207½
Montreal Gas	191	190¼	191	190½
Dom Telegraph	...	128	...	128
C N W L & C. pref.	45	38	43	38½
C P R Stock	72⅝	72¼	71⅝	71⅜
Tor Elec Light Co.	136	135¾	136	135¾
General Electric	86	82	86	81
Com Cable Co.	177⅝	177½	178	177½
do. Comp Bonds	107½	106⅞	107¼	106⅞
do. Reg Bonds	107¼	107	107¼	106¾
Bell Tele Co	170	165	168	165¾
Mont St Ry Co.	217	216	217½	216
Toronto Ry Co.	79⅞	79¾	79⅞	79⅝
Fraser River Min.	140	...	140	...
Empress	5	4	4½	4
Brit Can L & I	95	...	...	...
B & L Association	65	...	...	...
C L & N I Co.	103	101¾	...	...
Canada Perm	110	108	...	...
do. 20 p.c.	97	...	...	...
Can S & Loan	...	108	...	...
Can Can Loan	124¾	124	...	...
Dom S & I Soc.	78	75	...	...
Farmers' L & S.	85	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	65	...	...	...
Freehold L & S.	100	90	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	75	...	...	...
Hamilton Prov	110	...	...	...
H & E L & Sav.	...	155	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	145	...	...
Imp L & I	100	...	...	...
Lon. & Can. L.&A.	75	65	...	...
London Loan	101	...	...	...
Manitoba Loan	90	...	...	...
Ont Loan & Deb.	...	117½	...	...
People's Loan	...	26	...	...
R E L & Deb Co.	65	...	...	...
Tor Sav & Loan	113½	111	...	...
Union Loan & Sav.	80	...	...	...
West Can L & S.	...	110	...	...
do. do. 25 p.c.	100	96	...	...

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Bank of Commerce, 240 at 128¾; C. P. R., 25, 50, 25 at 72⅝; Gas, reg. bonds, $1000, $1000 at 106⅝; Toronto Railway, 75 at 79½, 25 at 79⅞, 100 at 80.

Sales at 1 p.m.: Bank of Commerce, 31, 50, 20 at 128¾; Imperial Bank, 46, 5 at 186; Western Assurance, 100 at 164½; British America, 20 at 123½; C. P. R., 50 at 72⅝, 50, 50 at 72¾; Cable, 25 at 177¼, 25, 25 at 177½; Reg. bonds, $5000 at 107; Toronto Railway, 200 at 80, 50 at 79¾; Canada Landed Loan, 3 at 101¾.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Western Assurance, 3 at 164¼; Gas, 1 at 207; C. P. R., 25 at 72, 25 at 71⅞, 25, 100 at 71½; Cable, 25 at 177½; Toronto Railway, 25, 25 at 79¾.

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MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, July 29.—C.P.R., 72⅝ and 72½; Duluth, 4 and 2¾; do., pref., 7 and 6; Cable, 177⅛ and 177; Cable, coup. bonds, 107½ and 106¾; Telegraph, 180 and 172½; Richelieu, 95 and 88½; Street Railway, 216¾ and 216¼; do., new, 210 and 209; Gas, 190 and 189½; Telephone, 170 and 166; Toronto Railway, 79½ and 79¼; Halifax Railway, 107½ and 107; Cornwall Railway, 60 and 45; St. John Railway, 112½ and 111; Royal Electric, 145 and 143; Halifax Heat and Light, 41 and 40; Montreal Bank, 237½ and 230; Merchants', 174 bid; Commerce, 132 and 128¾; Molsons, 200 and 190; Toronto, 229 and 227; Ontario, 83 and 82.

Afternoon's sales: C. P. R., 175 at 72⅝, 50 at 72¾, 300 at 72⅝, 50 at 72¾, 175 at 72⅝, 175 at 72½; Cable, 75 at 177; Montreal Railway, 325, 300 at 216¾; Toronto Railway, 5 at 79½, 100 at 79⅝, 500 at 79½, 25 at 79⅝, 100 at 79½; Halifax Railway, 25 at 107⅝, 100 at 107½, 25 at 107¼; Halifax Heat and Light, 50 at 42, 70 at 41¾, 50 at 41; Gas, 15, 100, 10, 25 at 190; Royal Electric, 2 at 144, 2 at 145; Bank of Montreal, 25, 12 at 223, 10 at 232¼.

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