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Press Agent:—Nope—she paid for ten.

Wedding Present Problem.
Cleveland Plain Dealer:—"Are you going to send the Sparkler girl a wedding present?"
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"That's too bad. What was the cause?"
"I can't afford his friendship. He has five marriageable daughters."

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, July 6.—The demand for potatoes is good and the market is very firm. Sales of green mountains in jobbing way were made at \$1.65 to \$1.75, and other grades at \$1.40 to \$1.50 per bag. New potatoes have sold at \$1.50 to \$1.75 per bag and American new potatoes at \$6 to \$6.50 per barrel.

OATS.—Canadian western No. 2, 41 1/2 to 41 3/4 cents, car lots ex store; extra No. 1 feed 40 1/2 to 41 cents; No. 2 local white, 39 1/2 to 40 cents; No. 3 local white, 38 1/2 to 39 1/2 cents.

FLOUR.—Manitoba spring wheat patents \$4.60 to \$4.75; strong bakers \$4.60; straight rollers, \$4.10 to \$4.25; in bags, \$1.85 to \$2.

MILLFEED.—Bran, Ontario \$20; Manitoba \$19; middlings Ontario \$22 to \$22.50; shorts Manitoba \$22; monillie, \$25 to \$30.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Range Of Prices.			
Wheat.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	89 1/2	88 3/4	88 3/4
Sept.	91 1/2	90 3/4	90 3/4
Dec.	94	92 3/4	92 3/4
Corn.			
July	63	62	62 1/4
Sept.	65	63 3/4	63 3/4
Dec.	68 1/2	66 3/4	66 3/4
Oats.			
July	45	44 1/4	44 1/4
Sept.	45 1/2	45	45
Dec.	47 1/2	47	47
Pork.			
July	15 7/8	15 5/8	15 5/8
Sept.	15 9/8	15 5/8	15 5/8
Cash—Corn—61 1/2.			

MONTREAL AND BOSTON CURB.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Montreal Unlisted Sales.—Morning.			
Nor. Ont. 500 at 67.			
Mex. Nor. Bonds 10,000 at 67.			
Lake Ont. 200 at 60.			
Paint 10 at 37.			
Wayagamac 15 at 83 1/2.			
Wayagamac 25 at 83 1/2; 100, 25 at 83 1/2.			
C. P. Bonds 2000 at 80 1/2.			
Afternoon.—Can. Power 50 at 50.			
Nor. Ont. 200 at 60.			
Wayag. 25 at 83 1/2.			
Mex. Nor. 10 at 24 1/2; 12 at 25.			
Paint 10 at 37.			

THE BOSTON CURB.

Bid.	Ask.
East Butte	13 1/2
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Lake Copper	25 1/2
Franklin	11 1/2
First Natl. Copper	18 1/2
Trinity	8
China	22 1/2
U. S. Mining	27 1/2
Isle Royale	17 1/2

ONTARIO TOWN RAVAGED BY FIRE

Loss Estimated at \$100,000. Insurance About Half—Wells Only Water Supply—Women as Firemen.

Ottawa, July 6.—The little town of Maxville, on the Grand Trunk Railway, in the Clegg county, was almost destroyed by fire last night, the loss being in the neighborhood of \$100,000, with less than half that amount of insurance. The village was next to absolutely barren of means of fighting the fire, only a small hand-pump being available. This, supplemented by a bucket brigade of about 70 men, fought the fire for five hours and with splendid work kept the flames from spreading to greater proportions. The only water available was at the wells in the village and over each well a woman stood guard pumping out the water and filling and refilling the buckets as they were passed and forwards. It was thought that the whole town was doomed. The G.T.R. operator wired Ottawa that the station was burning under his feet and that he had to cut off communication.

All night long and far into the morning the people of the village worked their hardest to keep the fire within bounds. Huge lumber piles and carloads of lumber were burned, blocking the tracks.

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FINANCIAL WORLD

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(Quotations Furnished by Private Wires of J. C. Mackintosh and Co. members of Montreal Stock Exchange, 111 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B., Chubb's Corner.)

Am. Copper	67 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2	68 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	50 1/2	51 1/2	50 1/2	51 1/2
Am. Car and Ferry	55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Am. Sm. and Ref.	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Am. Tele. and Tel.	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2
Am. Steel Fdy.	40 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
Am. Copper	39	40	39	40
Atchafalpa	107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2	108 1/2
B. & O.	107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2	108 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	236 1/2	237 1/2	236 1/2	237 1/2
Chic. and St. Paul	124 1/2	125 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2
Con. Gas	144 1/2	145 1/2	144 1/2	145 1/2
Gen. Elec.	36 1/2	37 1/2	36 1/2	37 1/2
Gr. Nor. Pfd.	134 1/2	135 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2
Gr. Nor. Ore.	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Illinois Central	141 1/2	142 1/2	141 1/2	142 1/2
Louis. and Nash.	173 1/2	174 1/2	173 1/2	174 1/2
Lehigh Valley	193 1/2	194 1/2	193 1/2	194 1/2
Nevada Con. St.	35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
N. Y. Ont. and West.	48 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2
Nor. Pac.	108 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/2	109 1/2
Nor. and West.	123 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
Penn.	123 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
Ry. Steel Sp.	123 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
Reading	30 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2	31 1/2
Rep. Ir. and Steel	30 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2	31 1/2
Sass. Sheffield	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2	32 1/2
So. Pac.	49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
South. Railway	140 1/2	141 1/2	140 1/2	141 1/2
Union Pacific	185 1/2	186 1/2	185 1/2	186 1/2
United States Steel	118 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2
United States Steel Pfd.	66 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2
Virginia Chem.	56 1/2	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2

MONTREAL

Morning Sales.

Black Lake Bonds, 2,000 @ 67.	
Bell Telephone Bonds, 2,000 @ 67.	
Can. Pacific Bonds, 25 @ 237 1/2, 10 @ 238 1/2, 20 @ 237 3/4, 100 @ 238, 100 @ 238 1/4, 100 @ 238 3/8, 100 @ 238 1/2.	
Cement Bonds, 1,000 @ 100.	
Col. Cotton Bonds, 5,000 @ 100.	
Detroit United, 25 @ 72 3/4, 75 @ 72 1/2, 100 @ 72 1/4.	
Dominion Steel, 25 @ 57 5/8, 10 @ 57 1/2.	
Dominion Iron Pfd., 10 @ 102 1/2, 5 @ 103.	
Dominion Iron Bonds, 1,000 @ 94 3/4, 3,000 @ 95.	
Dominion Textile, 15 @ 69 3/4, 55 @ 70 1/2, 25 @ 69 3/4, 25 @ 69 5/8, 25 @ 70.	
Dominion Coal, 1,000 @ 101 1/4.	
Dominion Cannery Bonds, 2,000 @ 103.	
Dominion Power, 50 @ 169, 100 @ 168 1/2.	
Montreal Street, 5 @ 224.	
Montreal Cotton, 50 @ 157, 75 @ 158 1/2, 100 @ 159.	
Ogilvie, 10 @ 20.	
Pennan, 2 @ 63.	
Quebec Bonds, 6,000 @ 82 3/4.	
Rich. and Ontario, 25 @ 119, 25 @ 118 1/2, 17 @ 117 1/2.	
Rio de Janeiro, 80 @ 111, 100 @ 111 1/2, 25 @ 111 5/8.	
Shawinigan, 10 @ 117 1/2, 25 @ 117 1/2, 10 @ 117 1/4, 25 @ 117 1/2.	
Soo Railway, 50 @ 142.	
Toronto Railway, 25 @ 143, 150 @ 143 1/4, 25 @ 143 1/8, 225 @ 143 1/2, 100 @ 143 1/8.	
Twin City, 25 @ 107 7/8.	
Winnipeg Electric, 25 @ 238, 25 @ 237 7/8.	
Winnipeg Electric Bonds, 1,000 @ 105 1/2.	
Bank of Montreal, 9 @ 262.	

Afternoon Stocks.

Bell Telephone, 10 @ 147 1/2.	
Cement Pfd., 3 @ 83 1/2, 25 @ 84.	
Col. Cotton Bond, 75 @ 72 1/4, 5 @ 72 1/8, 15 @ 72 1/4.	
Dominion Steel, 1 @ 57 1/4, 50 @ 57 1/8, 10 @ 57 1/4.	
Dominion Iron Pfd., 20 @ 102 1/2, 10 @ 103.	
Dominion Cannery Bonds, 1,000 @ 103.	
Montreal Power, 35 @ 168 1/2, 100 @ 169.	
Montreal Street, 5 @ 224.	
Montreal Cotton, 10 @ 158 1/2, 5 @ 159, 12 @ 158 1/2, 25 @ 159, 15 @ 158 1/2.	
Quebec Bonds, 3,000 @ 82 3/4.	
Rich. and Ontario, 25 @ 119 7/8, 10 @ 119 1/2, 10 @ 111 5/8, 5 @ 111 7/8.	
Shawinigan, 10 @ 117 1/4, 5 @ 117 1/2, 10 @ 117 1/4, 25 @ 117 1/2.	
Steel Co. of Canada, 25 @ 28.	
Toronto Railway, 100 @ 143 3/8, 50 @ 143 1/2.	
Bank of Commerce, 8 @ 205 3/4.	

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co.

Black Lake Pfd.	104 1/2	10
Bell Telephone	148	146
Can. Pac. Rail.	238 1/2	238
Can. Convent.	40	37
Cement Pfd.	224	22
Cement Pfd.	84 1/2	84
Can. Car Pfd.	103 1/2	103 1/2
Can. Pulp.	55	49
Can. Ry. Com.	99	91 1/2
Crown Reserve	335	329
Detroit United	72 1/2	72 1/2
Dom. Tex. Com.	69 1/2	69 1/2
Dom. Cans.	66 1/2	63 1/2
Dom. Steel	57	50 1/2
Dom. I. & S. Pfd.	102	102
Duluth Superior	80	80
Havana Com.	96	96
Hal. Elec. Tram.	145	145
Laurentide Com.	232	226
Lake Woods Com.	142	140
St. Paul 88 Mar.	142	141 1/2
Mexican	81	80
Mont. Telegraph	150	145
Rio de Janeiro	111 1/2	111 1/2
Mont. St. Rail.	111 1/2	111 1/2
Mont. H. & P.	169	168 1/2
Mont. Steel Works	164	164
Mont. Con.	159	158 1/2
Mackay Com.	99	98 1/2
N. S. & C. Com.	99	98 1/2
New Que. Com.	63	60
Rio de Janeiro	148	146
Ogilvie Com.	159	158 1/2
Pennan.	59	57 1/2
Rich. and Ont. Nav.	119	118 1/2
Shawinigan	179	177 1/2
Steel Co. of Can.	28	27 1/2
Tor. St. Rail.	143 1/2	143 1/2

CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, July 6.—Today's stock market rebounded quickly from yesterday's depression on reports of general rains through the sections of the corn belt from which have recently emanated the most alarming reports of damage from drought. Both public and private advices state that the hot dry weather had been dispelled over a wide territory and that the rains had repaired much of the damage that had been done. The general crop outlook today is better than it has been for a fortnight past inasmuch as rains have also been reported in southern and west Texas where the corn and cotton crops were suffering for lack of moisture. The foreign markets still reflected some uneasiness over political complications, but in this respect also the situation appears to have been vastly improved.

Withal, the current market is typical of the month of July, proving sensitive to the varying tone of crop reports. The business outlook is better and should seasonable weather prevail during the remainder of the month a total agricultural yield above the average should be gathered in, and the gradual revival of business now in progress should become more pronounced. The logical sequence of such developments is higher prices for securities.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, July 6.—Early reports of liberal showers over a wide section of the south-east and further reports during the morning of good rains in the same sections caused heavy selling in the cotton market today and a consequent decline ranging from 8 points in July to 36 points in the December position. The recent aggressiveness on the part of the bull clique was predicted upon the prospect of deterioration rather than any authentic reports of serious injury. The relief of the drought has taken some of the underpinnings of the bull structure, but two critical months yet remain, with precipitation over the belt as a whole to date far below normal. It is a market of pure and simple and the development of a rainy spell at this stage would deprive the market of much support and doubtless cause a resumption of bearish operations on a more aggressive scale. On the other hand, the price of cotton has shown great strength at a level lower than the present level without particular support, and should the present rainy spell be cut short a quick recovery would likely ensue.

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HEAVY GAINS IN THE STOCK MARKET

New York, N. Y., July 6.—Stock exchange traders took their cue again from the grain markets and prices of securities rose as rapidly as they fell yesterday. Cooler weather in the sections where crops had been imperilled by continued high temperature and rains fell weather centers put an end for the time at least, to bearish activities based upon the crop scare. The volume of trading was not large and there was no sign of an organized effort to force stocks to a higher level. After a brisk rise at the opening, the market became dull, holding firmly at the advanced figures. The movement was broader than any advance of the recent past, including a long list of industrials which of late have played little part in the trading.

Gains of 2 or more points were frequent among the prominent issues. Such an advance under these circumstances demonstrated how thoroughly speculation in stocks is governed at present by the condition of crops.

Relief felt in the European markets from the Moroccan situation was reflected here in the absence of selling pressure from abroad. For the first time this week London was a buyer here, although purchases were not large as foreign bidders were unwilling to take back at the higher prices the full amount of stock which they released earlier in the week. The continental bourses were all stronger although Berlin reported further selling of Canadian Pacific. In Paris Rentes made another marked advance the third since Monday's abrupt decline. The weekly statement of the bank of England was hardly noteworthy, the enormous clearings for the past week representing disbursements incidental to the mid-year. The bank's proportion of reserves to liabilities was 111 per cent, the highest since the previous week, but remains considerably higher than at this period last year. Domestic monetary conditions remain featureless, the only event of the day being the transfer of \$700,000 currency through the treasury to San Francisco. The movement was not in the regular course of business, it was declared, and was made possible chiefly because exchange rates favor the Pacific coast. Operations of the local banks with the clearing house recently have been of a record character. The losses of cash for the part of the week which have been reported, so far as is revealed by the movements of currency, are nearly \$25,000,000.

Railroad reports published today include those of the St. Paul with a decrease in gross earnings for the last month and the various lines of the St. Louis and San Francisco system which made fairly good returns for May. The aggregate net earnings exceeding \$200,000. The thorough rapid transit company for the eleven months of this fiscal year ended May 31 reported a falling off in net earnings of \$200,000. The Virginia Iron Coal and Coke rose 10 points on the strength of reports that the company was to come under the control of the U. S. Steel Corporation.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$2,735,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

POOR WIDOW'S SON SHOT AT HIS PLAY BY STRANGE BOY

After the Shooting the Victim Struggled to His Home and Fell Dead at His Mother's Feet.

New York, N. Y., July 6.—While playing in a vacant lot near his home No. 573 Robbins avenue, the Bronx, Joseph Keating, 11 years old, the only child of a widow whose husband died three weeks ago, was shot and killed by a boy about 17 years old, whose identity is not known to the police and who escaped after the shooting. Shot through the left lung as he was begging the older boy to put his revolver in his pocket and leave the lot, Keating staggered to the door of his home, where he fell dead at his mother's feet.

A dozen boys who had been playing with Keating told the police the shooting was unprovoked and intentional. They said they were playing with Keating near some rocks in the lot when two older boys appeared. One of these boys, they said, shot Keating a few minutes later. The other seemed to be his chum. Keating's companions said none of them had ever seen either of the strangers before and that they are sure Keating knew neither of them.

As soon as the two boys entered the lot the older drew the revolver and shot in the direction of the rocks near which Keating and the others were playing. Keating shouted to him to stop, telling him he was afraid some of the boys would be hit. At this time Keating and the boy with the revolver were only a few feet from each other.

The other boys said that as soon as Keating asked the older boy to stop shooting the boy with the revolver pulled the trigger. The bullet entered Keating's left lung.

When the older boys saw Keating was shot they turned and ran