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**TORONTO.**


## YORK COUNCIL.

**The Bridge Across the Humber, North of Bloor-street—Lawlessness in Bracondale District—Opening Weston-road.**

A large amount of business greeted the township councillors at the meeting in the Eglinton Town Hall yesterday. Reeve Hill and his deputies are getting more familiar with the business, consequently they waded through the numerous petitions, communications and accounts with remarkable speed.

A communication from the Chester and Todmorden Ratepayers' Association called attention to the fact that a building is being erected in Doncaster, near the C.P.R. track, for the purpose of carrying on a fat-rendering establishment and asking the council not to allow the business being carried on. Referred to Board of Health.

The manager of the Imperial Bank wrote stating that owing to the money market having become a good deal easier, it had been decided to reduce the rate of interest from 6 per cent. to 5½.

The township's solicitors wrote that they had searched the title to part of lot 22, concession 3, required for the deviation of the south part of the Forest Hill-road, and certified that Margaret Baldwin has a good title and has executed a proper conveyance to the township.

The Reeve said that nothing now prevented the straightening of the Forest Hill-road and that the work could be gone on with at once.

**Who Pays Dr. Page?**

Dr. Page presented a bill for $105 for medicine and attendance on the late George Gibbon, covering a period of 18 weeks. As no member of the council had ordered the doctor to attend him, the account was laid over.

Messrs. Robinson, O'Brien & Gibson wrote on behalf of Mr. David Kennedy that a year or so ago the Township of York, without permission and contrary to the notification of Mr. Kennedy, built a bridge across the Humber, north of Bloor-street, and opposite an old road running east and west, upon which is Gamble's mill, and continued their road through Mr. Kennedy's property to Bloor-street, and besides taking the land seriously depreciated the adjoining property. Mr. Kennedy wants compensation or proceedings will be taken for trespass and damages, and the bridge removed if such compensation is not made.

**Unsatisfactory Bookkeeping.**

The auditors, Messrs. Burnside and Moore, presented their report, stating that they had considerable difficulty in balancing the books. They recommended that the assessment roll be arranged in such a way that it would balance with the amount received by the treasurer. As it is now allowances are sometimes made where taxes have been paid on lots returned by the County Treasurer as being unpaid, and taxes are collected on lots omitted from assessment roll. It is, therefore, impossible for auditors to state whether the amount collected is correct according to the assessment roll. They also suggested that the books of the township be kept by double entry, and that one bank account be kept, and that the auditors be appointed at the beginning of the year in order that a regular monthly audit be made. In case this were done the new council would be in the possession of the auditors, report at its second meeting in each year.

The report was adopted.

On motion of Messrs. Lucas and Goulding the treasurer was instructed to forward a cheque to J. R. Chisholm for the amount due from York Township to the schools under the jurisdiction of Toronto Junction Public School Board.

**No Constable for Bracondale District.**

A petition was presented signed by a large number of ratepayers asking for a constable to be appointed in the west side of Yonge-street in the Bracondale district.

Messrs. Huntley and Schuter opposed the petition, saying it is unnecessary and objected to the cost. The matter was finally settled by the clerk being instructed to ask Mr. Jones, high constable, to notify his special constables that complaints had been made of disorderly characters in the district, and that extra vigilance be used.

The assessors were each granted an extension of time until May 20 in which to return their rolls.

On motion of Messrs. Sylvester and Lucas a grant of $75 was made for the purpose of graveling the sideline between lots 10 and 11 in the 3rd concession, east of Yonge-street, to be expended under the supervision of David Duncan.

The sum of $50 was granted for the purpose of graveling on concession 4, East York, the same to be expended by John Henry and the pathmaster, Mr. Nichol.

Commissioner Mills reported that a barbed-wire fence has been built along Woodbine-avenue, which is not more than 14 inches from the sidewalk, making it dangerous and destructive to ladies' dresses. The clerk was instructed to notify the parties and send a copy of the law governing same.

**Opening Weston-road South.**

A deputation composed of Messrs. Dinnick and Boyle addressed the council in reference to the opening of the Weston-road south, thus reducing the distance from Weston to the Junction by about three-quarters of a mile. Mr. Dinnick proposes to dedicate sufficient land—about 2½ acres—to make the road 60 feet wide, and at the Black Creek bridge it would be about 100 feet wide. The cost would be for the land $1000.

It was decided to communicate with the Junction council and to meet a committee from that body on Thursday on Mr. Dinnick's property at 2 o'clock.

A petition was presented signed by about 30 ratepayers of Fairbank asking for a sidewalk to be built from the corner of Vaughan-road and Lakeview-avenue to Wickson's Corners, a distance of about a quarter of a mile.

A motion by Messrs. Goulding and Hesop was passed to build a two-plank sidewalk, as requested above, one-half cost to be taken from the commuted statute labor fund and the other half from the general funds.

Mr. H. D. Sanders of Fairbank was given permission to remove earth from the side of the road in front of lot No. 5, concession 3, West York.

After the passing of a bylaw granting money for general purposes, the council adjourned.

### FINANCE AND TRADE.

Canadian stock markets were demoralized yesterday. A good deal of stock that had been held on small margins was sold, and a bull pool is credited with liquidating some of its holdings. Montreal Street Railway declined the most. Cable was also weak, and Telephone and Incandescent suffered to some extent.

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All the gossip concerning wheat was of a bearish character yesterday. There was a sagging market during the morning, and just before the close prices in Chicago broke sharply on the announcement that Senator Hatch had introduced his new anti-option bill into the House. July sold at 58⅛c, the lowest price on the crop.

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Mr. A. A. Allan has been elected a member of the Toronto Board of Trade Council in place of Mr. A. M. Smith, resigned.

**A Young Man's "Wild Oats."**

So far as a young man "sowing his wild oats" is concerned, writes Edward W. Bok in The Ladies' Home Journal, it has always seemed a pity to me that the man who framed that sentence didn't die before he constructed it. From the way some people talk one would imagine that every man had instilled into him at his birth a certain amount of deviltry which he must get rid of before he can become a man of honor. Now, what is called "sowing wild oats" is nothing more or less than self-degradation to any young man. It doesn't make a man one particle more of a man because he has passed through a siege of riotous living and indiscretion when he was nineteen or twenty; it makes him just as much less of a man. It dwarfs his views of life far more than it broadens them. And he realizes this afterward. And he doesn't know one iota more of "life," except a little certain phase of it, which, if it has glitter for him in youth, becomes a repellent remembrance to him when he is matured. There is no such thing as an investigating period in a man's life; at one period it is as important to him to be honorable and true to the teachings of his mother as at another.

No young man need seek the "darker side of life." The Lord knows that it forces itself upon our attention soon enough. It does not wait to be sought. A young man need not be afraid that he will fail to see it. He will see plenty of it, and without any seeking on his part either. And even if he does fall he is the gainer. There are a great many things which we can accept by inference as existing in this world. It is not a liberal education to see them. Too many young men have a burning itch to see wickedness—not to indulge in it, as they are quickly to explain, but simply to see it. But the thousands of men who have never seen it have never felt themselves the losers. If anything, they are glad of it. It does not raise a man's ideal to come into contact with certain types of manhood or womanhood which are only removed from the lowest types of the animal kingdom by virtue of the fact that the Creator chose to have them get through the world on two legs instead of four. The lofiest ideal of womanhood that a young man can form in his impressionable days will prove none too high for him in his years of maturity. To be true to the best that is within a man's means, above all, to be an earnest believer in the best qualities of womanhood.

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**Friday, the 1st day of June next.**

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th of May to the 31st of May, both days inclusive.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held at the Banking House, in Toronto, on

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The chair will be taken at 12 o'clock.

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Toronto, April 24, 1894. General Manager


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# DOINGS ON THE EXCHANGES

### ANOTHER DECLINE IN THE PRICES OF WHEAT.

**Canadian Miscellaneous Securities Are Lower—The Granger Roads Weak—Decrease in Wheat Less Than Expected—Provisions at Chicago Dull—Cotton Markets Heavy.**

MONDAY EVENING, May 7.

The bears were aggressive to-day. Miscellaneous shares are all lower, with Street Railway, Montreal Gas and Cable suffering the most.

Half a million in gold has been engaged for export at New York to-morrow.

Consols are higher, closing at 100 5-16 for money and at 100 7-16 for account.

Bar silver in London is ⅛ better at 29½d per ounce. At New York the price is 68¾.

The bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day was £380,000.

The net exports of gold at New York since Jan. 1 were $17,694,582, as against $46,495,669 the corresponding period of last year.

The amount of gold in the United States treasury is $99,120,992, as against $97,500,375 a year ago.

The deposits of New York banks aggregate $576,694,400, as compared with $433,971,000 a year ago. Loans and discounts are $465,162,000, as against $425,728,000 a year ago.


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| | Counter. Buyers. | Sellers. |
|---|---|---|
| New York Funds ¼ to ¼ | 1-32 to 3-64 pm. | |
| Sterling, 60 days ⅞ to ⅞ | ⅞ to 9⅛ | |
| do. demand 10¼ to 10⅜ | ⅞ to 10 | |

RATES IN NEW YORK.

| | Posted. | Actual. |
|---|---|---|
| Sterling, 60 days | 4.88½ | 4.87¼ to 4.87½ |
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**Toronto Stock Market.**

This market was fairly active and lower to day, in sympathy with the decline in Montreal.

Morning transactions: Dominion, 10 at 277; Western Assurance, 50 at 151; Gas, 20 at 192; Incandescent, 10 at 113; Cable, 25, 25 at 140¼, 25, 75, 5 at 140⅛, 25 at 140⅜, 25 at 140, 25 at 140¼; Telephone, 25 at 149; Canada Landed, 10 at 125; Freehold Loan, 20 p.c., 50 at 128¾.

Afternoon transactions: Gas, 20 at 192; Incandescent, 10 at 113¾; Cable, 25 at 139¾.

There was a very dull market to-day, with the feeling somewhat irregular.

Transactions: Consumers' Gas, 3, 38 at 193.

| STOCKS. | 1 P.M. Asked | 1 P.M. Bid | 4 P.M. Asked | 4 P.M. Bid |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montreal | 227 | 224½ | 226 | 223 |
| Ontario | 115 | 113¾ | 115 | 113 |
| Molsons | 170 | .... | 172 | .... |
| Toronto | 255 | 249½ | 254 | 249 |
| Merchants' | 167 | 162 | 165½ | 162½ |
| Commerce | 142⅛ | 141½ | 142 | 141 |
| Imperial | 187 | 186½ | 188½ | 186 |
| Dominion | 280 | 277 | 280 | 270 |
| Standard | 171 | 170 | 172 | 169¾ |
| Hamilton | 170 | 167½ | 170 | 167 |
| British America | 115 | 112 | 115 | 112 |
| Western Assurance | 151 | 150 | 151½ | 150½ |
| Consumers' Gas | 192¾ | 191½ | 192¾ | 191½ |
| Dominion Telegraph | .... | 109 | .... | 109 |
| Northwest Land Co. | 70 | .... | 70 | .... |
| " " common | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| Can Pacific Ry. Stock | 67 | 66 | 67 | 65¾ |
| Toronto Electric Light | 180 | .... | 180 | .... |
| Incand. Light | 116 | 113 | 113 | 112 |
| General Electric | 95 | .... | 95 | .... |
| Commercial Cable | 140½ | 140 | 140 | 139½ |
| Bell Tel. Co. | 150¾ | 148¾ | 149½ | 148 |
| Richelieu & Ont. Nav. | 78 | .... | 76½ | .... |
| Montreal Street Ry. | 141½ | 137 | 140 | 136 |
| Duluth Common | .... | .... | 8 | 4 |
| " pref. | .... | .... | 16 | 13 |
| B. & Loan Ass. | .... | 100½ | .... | .... |
| Can. L. & N. In. | 126½ | 127½ | .... | .... |
| Canada Per., 20 p.c. | 172 | .... | .... | .... |
| Can. S. & Loan | .... | 132 | .... | .... |
| Central Canada Loan | 128 | 125 | .... | .... |
| Dom. Loan & Invest. | 84 | 82 | .... | .... |
| Farmers' L. & S. 20 p.c. | 118½ | .... | .... | .... |
| " " 20 p.c. | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| Freehold L. & S. | .... | 140 | .... | .... |
| " " 20 p.c. | 130 | .... | .... | .... |
| Huron & Erie L. & S. | .... | 161 | .... | .... |
| " " 20 p.c. | .... | 150 | .... | .... |
| Imperial L. & Invest. | .... | 118½ | .... | .... |
| Land Security Co. | 165 | .... | .... | .... |
| Lon. & Can. L. & A. | 126 | 125 | .... | .... |
| London Loan | 107 | .... | .... | .... |
| Manitoba Loan | 105 | .... | .... | .... |
| Ontario Indus. Loan | 100 | .... | .... | .... |
| Ontario Loan & Deb. | .... | 130 | .... | .... |
| People's Loan | 80 | .... | .... | .... |
| Real Estate, L. & D. | .... | 65 | .... | .... |
| Toronto S. & L. | 124 | 121 | .... | .... |
| Union Loan & Savings | .... | 129½ | .... | .... |
| W. Can. L. & S. 25 pc. | 155 | .... | .... | .... |


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**Montreal Stock Market.**

MONTREAL, May 7, close.—Montreal, 227 and 220; Ontario, 113 bid; Toronto, 250 bid; Molsons, 170 asked; People's, 124 bid; Merchants', 170 and 165¾; Commerce, 143 and 141; Montreal Telegraph, 149 and 147½; Richelieu, 76 and 75; Street Railway, 137 and 136; Montreal Gas, 167¾ and 166; Cable, 140 and 139¾; Bell Telephone, 149 and 148; Duluth, 8 and 5; Duluth pref., 17 asked; C.P.R., 67⅛ and 66.

Morning sales: Cable, 89 at 141, 25 at 140, 25 at 139¾, 50 at 139⅞, 25 at 140, 25 at 140¼; Street Railway, 25 at 142¾, 42 at 141¾, 25 at 141, 25 at 139; do rights, 25 at 130, 25 at 129, 25 at 128; Gas, 225 at 169½, 100 at 168½; Telephone, 25 at 149; Royal Electric, 4 at 137; Commerce, 30 at 142.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 25 at 140, 150 at 139 1-2, 25 at 139 1-4, 25 at 139 1-2; Street Railway, 125 at 137, 150 at 135¾; Gas, 1 at 167, 25 at 167¾; Montreal, 6 at 225, 20 at 223; Dominion Cotton, 10 at 110.


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**Tips From Wall-Street.**

The Grangers were very weak at the close today.

Ryan & Co.'s gossip: Stocks are feverish, with good demand to cover shorts in Sugar. Cammack returned a large amount of Sugar previously borrowed. The short interest in the stock among traders is unwieldy. Baneful brokers, the chief buyers of Chicago Gas. Room traders sold St. Paul. Western Union strong, with indications that pool was laying plans to squeeze the short interest.

Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Hubbard, Price & Co., New York: It is almost impossible to take a position for the moment on either side of the market. Speculation is very narrow and the variations are painfully limited. London sold some St. Paul to-day and it likewise put out a few hundred shares of L. & N., but the bulk of the transactions took place at the parity established on the other side. In other words, about 800 shares of these stocks changed hands at the one quotation, or within ⅛ per cent. of the opening price. N.Y.C. was inclined to weakness and the old rumor was revived that the company will reduce the dividend to a 4 per cent. basis. G.E. was weak. There are a good many stories afloat concerning this property, and the fact that it yields readily is accepted as an evidence that the insiders have temporarily withdrawn their protection. C. Gas has always been a favorite and it gets a following whenever a bull movement is started. The promise that it will do better in the future influenced the purchases of some few thousand shares of stock to-day. The selling was not important. It looks as if safe purchases of the low-priced stocks may be made on any further recession, because it is certain that the directors will be limited for the time being and that each day that the market gets dull and depressed the short interest increases and puts itself in shape to be squeezed whenever the manipulators feel like marking up quotations.


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**New York Stocks.**

The fluctuations in the New York Stock Exchange to-day were as follows:

| STOCKS. | Open-ing. | High-est. | Low-est. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am. Sugar Ref. Co. | 107 | 107¾ | 105¾ | 106¾ |
| Am. Tobacco | 86¼ | 86½ | 86 | 86 |
| Cotton Oil | 29⅞ | 29⅞ | 29⅛ | 29⅛ |
| Atchison | 12⅞ | 12⅞ | 12⅛ | 12⅛ |
| Chi., Burlington & Q. | 78¾ | 79⅛ | 78¾ | 78¾ |
| Chicago Gas Trust | 64⅞ | 65¼ | 64⅛ | 64⅝ |
| Canada Southern | 50⅞ | 51 | 50⅝ | 51 |
| C.C.C. & I. | 38⅛ | 38⅛ | 38⅛ | 38⅛ |
| Del. & Hudson | 137½ | 137¾ | 137½ | 137¾ |
| Del., Lac. & W. | 160½ | 160½ | 159½ | 160½ |
| Erie | 15½ | 15½ | 15⅛ | 15⅛ |
| Lake Shore | 129⅞ | 130¼ | 129⅞ | 130 |
| Louisville & Nashville | 48¼ | 48¼ | 48 | 48¼ |
| Manhattan | 125⅛ | 125⅛ | 125 | 125 |
| Missouri Pacific | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | 30⅛ |
| Nat. Cordage Co. | 24¼ | 24½ | 24¼ | 24½ |
| N.Y. & New England | 16⅞ | .... | 16 | 16 |
| N.Y. Central & Hud. | 99⅞ | 99⅞ | 98⅞ | 99 |
| Northern Pacific Pref. | 17¾ | 17¾ | 17⅛ | 17⅛ |
| Northwestern | 108⅛ | 108⅛ | 108⅛ | 108⅛ |
| General Electric Co. | 38¼ | 38⅛ | 37¾ | 37¾ |
| Rock Island & Pac. | 69¼ | 69¼ | 69⅛ | 69⅛ |
| Omaha | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| Ontario & Western | 15⅛ | 15⅛ | 15⅛ | 15⅛ |
| Phila. & Reading | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ |
| St. Paul | 61⅞ | 61⅞ | 61 | 61 |
| Union Pacific | 18⅞ | 18⅞ | 18¼ | 18¼ |
| Western Union | 85 | 85⅛ | 85 | 85 |
| Distillers | 23¾ | 24⅝ | 23¾ | 24⅛ |
| Jersey Central | .... | .... | .... | b108¾ |
| National Lead | 40⅛ | 40⅝ | 39¾ | 39¾ |
| Pacific Mail | 15⅞ | 15⅞ | 15¾ | 15⅝ |
| Wabash Pref. | 16⅞ | 16⅞ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ |

Sales: W U 4200, P M 100, N W 100, R I 1100, St Paul 31,400, L S 300, Central 1400, U P 300, N Q 1600, Reading 5200, Mo P 1100, L & N 3100, B Q 3600, N E 3600, Atchison 4600, C Gas 5700, Sugar 5000, G E 10,300.


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**Commercial Miscellany.**

Oil 58⅛c bid.

Cash wheat at Chicago 57⅛c to 57¼c.

Puts on July wheat 58⅛c; calls 58⅞c.

Puts on July corn 38⅞c; calls 39c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.60 for cash and at $4.75 for Oct.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago Monday: Wheat 61, corn 191, oats 187.

Exports at New York Monday: Flour, 9298 barrels and 12,104 sacks; wheat, 34,000 bushels.

Cattle receipts at Chicago Monday 17,000.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago Monday 26,000, official Saturday 8286; left over 2000. Market declined 5c. Heavy shippers, $4.90 to $5.30. Estimated for Tuesday 18,000.


**RENTS, INTERESTS AND DIVIDENDS COLLECTED.**

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**Outside Wheat Markets.**

At New York July closed at 61⅛c.

At Milwaukee July closed at 57⅞c.

At St. Louis July closed at 54½c to 54⅝c.

At Duluth No. 1 hard closed at 61⅞c for July.

At Toledo July closed at 58⅛c.

At Detroit July closed at 58⅛c.


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**Grain Statistics.**

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

| | May 5, 1894. | May 6, 1893. | May 7, 1892. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat, bu. | 65,158,000 | 73,069,000 | 36,191,000 |
| Corn, bu. | 10,359,000 | 9,853,000 | 4,922,000 |
| Oats, bu. | 2,659,000 | 3,391,000 | 6,552,000 |
| Rye, bu. | 352,000 | 692,000 | 870,000 |
| Barley, bu. | 225,000 | 858,000 | 503,000 |

Wheat decreased 1,427,000 bushels the past week as against a decrease of 1,953,000 bushels the corresponding week of last year. Corn decreased 2,755,000 bushels last week, oats increased 162,000, rye decreased 32,000 and barley decreased 12,000 bushels.


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At Toronto:

| | May 7, 1894. | April 30, 1894. | May 8, 1893. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fall wheat, bu. | 88,354 | 90,635 | 142,273 |
| Spring wheat, bu. | 6,395 | 6,395 | 42,901 |
| Hard wheat, bu. | 7,185 | 10,685 | 49,242 |
| Goose wheat, bu. | 4,521 | 1,522 | 300 |
| Barley, bu. | 76,784 | 69,691 | 47,110 |
| Oats, bu. | 49,572 | 49,572 | 47,571 |
| Peas, bu. | 3,766 | 5,366 | 9,424 |
| Rye, bu. | 900 | 900 | ..... |

At Port Arthur and Fort William:

| | May 5, 1894. | April 28, 1894. | May 6, 1893. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Spring wheat, bu. | 2,284,728 | 2,372,873 | 3,126,107 |

The imports into the United States last week were: Wheat, 360,000 qrs.; maize, 235,000 qrs.; flour, 309,000 bbls.

India's exports of wheat last week were only 160,000 bushels.

The amount of wheat on passage to Europe is 44,952,000 bushels, an increase of 2,160,000 during the week. A year ago the amount afloat was 40,800,000 bushels.

Corn on passage is 7,704,000 bushels, a decrease of 1,192,000 for the week.

**Breadstuffs.**

Flour — There is little or no business and prices are nominally unchanged. Straight rollers quoted at $2.65 to $2.70, Toronto freights.

Bran — Trade quiet and prices steady. Sales of several cars of bran and shorts together at $16.50, Toronto freights.

Wheat — The feeling is unsettled owing to lower prices in leading markets. White sold outside at 59c on Northern, and offers at 58c west. Spring is quoted at 61c on Midland. Five thousand bushels of No. 1 Manitoba hard sold west at 72c, and No. 2 is quoted at 70½c.

Barley — The demand is moderate. No. 1 is quoted at 42c outside and feed is steady, with prices quoted at 33c to 35c.

Oats — The market is firm, with limited offerings. White sold outside at 33½c to 34c, and mixed quoted at 32c on track.

Peas — There is nothing doing, with sellers asking 57c west.

Rye — The market is quiet, with none offering and prices unchanged.

Buckwheat — Prices are nominal at 43c to 44c.


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## THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

The market was quiet to-day with little change in quotations.

**Grain and Seeds.**

The receipts of grain are almost nil and prices unchanged. Wheat is quoted at 62c for white, at 61c for red and at 58c for goose. Barley nominal at 42c, oats at 32c to 33c and peas at 62c to 64½c.

Seeds unchanged, selling out of store at $6 to $8.50 for Alsike, according to quality. Red clover firm at $6 to $6.50, the latter for choice. Timothy from $2.50 to $2.75.


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**Hay and Straw.**

Receipts of hay 15 loads. The market is steady, with sales of timothy at $10 to $11.50, and clover at $7.50 to $8.50. Baled hay $9 to $9.50. Straw sold at $8 for bundled. Baled straw $5.50 to $6 by car lot.

**Dairy Produce.**

Commission prices: Choice tub 17c to 18c, bakers 13c to 15c. Large rolls 16c to 17c, good 14c to 15c, inferior 13c to 20c and creamery 22c to 24c. Eggs, 10½c to 11c per doz. in lots. Cheese firm at 11c to 12c.


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Dressed hogs steady. Butchers' hogs $6 to $6.25. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 11c; rolls, long clear 7½c to 7¾c; breakfast bacon 11½c, rolls 8½c; Canadian mess pork $15 to $15.25 per bbl., short cut $16; to $16.25; lard, in pails 9½c, in tubs 9c, and tierces 8¾c.

Beef, forequarters, 4c to 5½c; hind, 6c to 8c; mutton, 6c to 6½c; veal, 6c to 8c; spring lamb, $4 to $7.


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**Chicago Markets.**

John J. Dixon & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

| | Open'g | High'st | L'w't | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat—May | 58⅛ | 58¼ | 57⅛ | 57¼ |
| " —July | 59⅜ | 59⅞ | 58½ | 58⅝ |
| " —Sept | 61 | 61 | 59⅞ | 59⅞ |
| Corn—May | 37⅜ | 37⅜ | 37⅛ | 37⅛ |
| " —July | 39¼ | 39⅜ | 38⅞ | 39 |
| Oats—May | .... | .... | .... | .... |
| " —July | 30¼ | 30¼ | 30 | 30 b |
| " —Sept | 25⅜ | 25⅜ | 25⅜ | 25⅜ |
| Pork—May | 12 35b | 12 35 | 12 35 | 12 35 |
| " —July | 12 40 | 12 47 | 12 40 | 12 45 |
| Lard—July | 7 12 | 7 15 | 7 12 | 7 15 |
| " —Sept | 7 12 | 7 15 | 7 12 | 7 12 |
| Short Ribs—July | 6 37 | 6 42 | 6 37 | 6 37 |
| " " —Sept | 6 37 | 6 40 | 6 35 | 6 35 |


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Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Logan & Co.:

CHICAGO, May 7.—The wheat market has been dull and weak. Estimates on the decrease in the visible were all the way from 3 to 4 millions. The official report makes it only 1,427,000 bushels. This is too light to admit of much, if any, advance. Conditions are unchanged. Crop reports are good. There is a fair demand for cash lots, but it is being stored and not shipped. Foreign advices are discouraging. The only recommendation to it, its low price and the many contingencies to the growing crop. The Government reports, due on the 10th, will give condition of winter crop of wheat and rye and the acreage plowed of the spring crop.


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**28 COLBORNE-ST**


R. Cochran received the following from Kennett, Hopkins & Co.:

CHICAGO, May 7.—The news to-day has contained a succession of surprises for the bulls. It began with a very bearish crop report from Kansas, followed by an increase of more than 2,000,000 bushels on ocean passage, weak opening and still weaker closing cables. Moderate exports, a decrease in the visible of about one-half what was expected and perfect weather for farmers. This started liquidation among longs and as prices receded stop orders were reached, giving the market a very razzed look. Covering by shorts prevented marked weakness, but the short interest has been so largely reduced that even moderate offerings to-morrow would be likely to weaken prices materially.

Corn and Oats—There has been a struggle today between speculative and crop conditions. The bull clique has sustained prices fairly well against the bearish tendency of scalpers, backed by favorable crop advices. Quite a contest is being waged, with a prospect that the bears will carry their point temporarily.

Provisions—The market has been so utterly lifeless that nothing can be said about it.


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Schwartz, Dupee & Co. wired Dixon: Wheat lost over a cent and closed at the bottom. There was nothing but bear news, beginning at the opening and lasting until the close. Cables were lower. There was a very large increase on passage. The visible supply decrease was about half as much as expected, 1,427,000 bushels. Hatch upset holders by introducing his new bill. There were rumors of grain failures abroad. The Kansas State Board issued a most bearish crop report for May. The whole trade was made timid by the near approach of May Government report. That will be out Thursday, and the crowd expect it to show an advance over April, which was 85.7 per cent. The May condition last year was only 75.3; the year before only 84. Elevator people to-day were selling May wheat, probably contemplating deliveries this afternoon. Weather conditions everywhere this morning were perfect. The strictly winter wheat markets were even weaker than this. Corn sympathized with the decline of wheat, although the announcements in this grain were rather favorable. There was a decrease in the visible supply of 2,775,000 bushels. The local stock decreased 1,357,000 bushels. The on-passage decreased 1,109,000 bushels. Receipts were moderate, 191 cars; the estimate for Tuesday light for two days, 570 cars. The trading was dull. Cables were lower. Samples market was unchanged. Seaboard clearances were 129,000 bushels. Oats declined fractionally, but were strong considering surroundings. There were large shipments, 411,000, supposedly made by the interest which is manipulating the May. Carlots were 187; the estimate for Tuesday 213. Samples were a shade higher; the pit was dull. The visible supply increased to 164,000. The increase in the local stock, 94,000, was very much less than exp