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THE MARKETS

Local Market. A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.

London, Wednesday, Sept. 12. Wheat, white, per bu60c to 66c Wheat, red, per bu60c to 66c Oats, per bu23% c to 29c Peas, per bu,54c to 60c Barley, per bu36c to 41c

WEEKLY REVIEW.

Wheat-Receipts were fairly good, every day but Tuesday and today. The fair was likely the cause of quietness the last two days. The quantity of old wheat offered was smaller, and that of new larger. Sales of good new at \$105; old of the same grade, \$110; poor lots, damaged and thin, sold all the way from 90c to \$1.

Oats—Supply was only fairly good; price of new did not change, and 70c to 77c was the full range for the week, the bulk of sales being made between 72c and 75c. Very few old ones came in; they sold at 85c to 92c, and were in good demand.

Barley-Only three or four loads came in, 75c to 85c being the price paid; demand limited at anything over 75c. Peas-Little or nothing done in this line, owing to almost no deliveries; 80c was paid for a few buggy ones and 90c for some pretty fair quality. No business done in rye, beans or

buckwheat Hay-Deliveries were fairly good and demand steady; the ruling price was \$7 50 to \$8 per ton.

Straw was very quiet.
Dressed hogs—The only deliveries in this line were contracts; \$7 50 to \$7 60 was the price paid.

Live hogs-The shipping demand was steady; \$5 50 to \$5 60 was the price for real choice stuff, with the lower price withdrawing, but on the contrary is Young pigs-The trade in this Mr.

was light and slow; \$3 50 to \$5 50 per pair, according to the size. USE HAMILTON'S

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St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, Sept. 8.-Wheat, old, per bu, 65c; wheat, new, 65c; oats, 23c to 25c; peas, 60c to 65c; barley, 35c to 40c; 60c; feed corn, 50c to 53c; flaxseed per cwt, \$2 45 to \$2 50; timothy seed,

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 11.-Oil closed at \$125. PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 11.—Oil opened at

American Markets. CHICAGO, Sept. 11. - Heavy export sales were mainly instrumental in a bulge in wheat today. October closed peace commissioner. 11/3c to 11/4c over yesterday. Corn closed %c and oats 4c to %c higher. Provisions closed but slightly changed. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 310

cars; corn, 400; oats, 300; hogs, 25,000 The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat -Sept., 74%c to 74%c; Oct., 75%c to 75%c; Nov., The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat — Sept., 74% to 754% c; Oct., 75% to 75% c to 76. Corn.—No. 2 Sept., 40% c; Nov., 75% c to 76. Corn.—No. 2 Sept., 40% c; Oct., 33e to 39% c; Nov., 36% c to 36% c, Oath.—No. 2 Sept., 21% c; Oct., 22c; Nov., 22% c. Mess Pork — Sept., \$11 87%; Oct., \$11 47%; Jan., \$11 37%. Lard.—Sept., \$6 87%; Oct., \$6 87%; Jan., \$6 55. Short ribs.—Sept., \$7 60; Oct., \$7 40; Jan., \$6 62%. Cash quotations.—Flour, steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 72c to 74c; No. 2 red, 76c. No. 2 corn, 40% c to 41c; No. 2 yellow corn, 40% c to 41c. No. 2 oats, 22c to 22% c; No. 2 white, 24% cto 25c; No. 3 white, 23% c to 25% c. No. 2 rye, 51% c. Good feeding barley, 38c to 89% c; fair to choice malting, 46% c to 48c. No. 1 flaxsced, \$1 48; No. 1 Northwestern, \$1 49%. Prime timothy seed, \$4 20 to \$4 36. Mess pork, \$11 45 to \$11 50. Lard, \$6 85 to \$6 87%. Short rib sides, \$7 50 to \$7 80. Dry salted shoulders, 6% c to 6% c. Short clear sides, \$7 95 to \$8 05. Sugar, unchanged. Cloverseed, contract grade, \$9 50 to \$9 60. Eggs, strong, fresh, 15c to 15% c. RECEIPTS.—Flour, 23,000 barrels; wheat, 423,000 bushels; corn, 494,000 bushels; oats, 472, 501 bushels; rye, 8,000 bushels; barley, 80,000 bushels.

bushels.
SHIPMENTS-Flour, 13,000 barrels: wheat,
193,000 bushels; corn, 363,000 bushels; oats, 123,-600 bushels; barley, 4,000 bushels.

Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, Sept. 11.-Cattle-Receipts, 4,500; good to prime steers, \$5 60 to \$6; poor to medium, \$4 50 to \$5 50; selected feeders, \$4 to \$4 75; mixed stockers, \$3 to \$3 80; cows, \$2 75 to \$4 50; helfers, \$3 to \$5; canners, \$2 70 to \$2 75; bulls, \$2 75 to \$4 50; calves, \$5 to \$6 75. Hogs-Receipts today, 18,000; mixed and butchers, \$5 15 to \$5 60; good to choice, heavy, \$5 20 to \$5 521/2; rough, heavy, \$5 to \$5 15; light, \$5 25 to \$5 65; bulk of sales, \$5 25 to \$5 40. Sheep - Receipts. 14,000; fair to choice, \$3 35 to \$3 65; western sheep, \$3 65 to \$3 95; Texas sheep, \$2 50 to \$3 25; native lambs, \$4 25 to

EAST BUFFALO, Sept. 11.-Cattle-No quotable change. Sheep and lambs
-Choice lambs were in fair demand on about yesterday's basis; choice to extra ewes and wether lambs, \$5 85 to \$6; good to choice, \$5 65 to \$5 85; bucky lambs, \$5 60 to \$5 75; sheep, mixed, \$3 75 to \$4; Canada lambs, \$6 to \$6 10. Hogs-Active and 5c higher; heavy, \$5 75; mixed, \$5 75 to \$5 80; Yorkers, \$5 80 to \$5 85; pigs, \$5 75; grassers, \$5 55 to \$5 70; rough, \$4 75 to \$5 10; stags, \$3 75 to

TORONTO, Sept. 11 .- Forty-two loads in today, including 326 hogs, 257 sheep and lambs and 9 calves. Export cattle, choice, \$5 to \$5 15; do light, \$4 40 to \$4 75; export bulls, choice, \$4 25 to \$4 50; do light, \$3 50 to \$4; loads of and directing the earl to proceed im-

lots, \$4 25 to \$4 50; do medium mixed, \$3 50 to \$4; do common, \$2 50 to \$3. Feeders, heavy, \$3 25 to \$4; do light, \$3 to \$3 25; stockers, \$2 50 to \$3 25. Milch cows, choice, \$45 to \$50 each; do common, \$25 to \$35 each. Export ewes, \$3 50 to \$3 75; do bucks, \$2 75 to \$3; butchers' sheep, \$3 to \$4 each; lambs, \$4 to \$4 75; lambs, each, \$2.50 to \$3 75.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Beeves—Receipts, 558; steady feeling; cables firm; native steers at Liverpool and London, 12c to 131/2c; range cattle, 11c to 12c; refrigerator beef, 10c to 104c per lb; shipments, 1,052 cattle, 1,051 sheep and 4,340 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts 217; good demand and prices are steady; veals, \$5 to \$8 50; small calves, \$4 to \$4 50; no grassers on sale. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 2,000; sheep in fair demand and steadier; lambs slow; medium and common grades weak; sheep, \$3 75 to \$4 37½; lambs, \$4 62½ to \$6; no choice lambs on sale; culls, \$3 to | be on strike.

\$4. Hogs—Receipts, 990; 1 car on sale; steady at \$5 75 to \$6.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, Sept. 11 .- Here and at Liverpool prices are firm at 12½c to 13½c per lb; range cattle are quoted at 11c and 12c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is firmer, at 10c to 10%c per 1b.

Dairy Markets. NEW YORK, Sept. 11. - Butter steady; creamery, 17c to 21c; factory, 14c to 161/4c; June creamery, 18c to 21c; imitation creamery, 15c to 171/2c; state dairy, 161/2c to 20c. Cheese firm; large white, 10%c; small white, 10%c to 10%c; large colored, 10%c; small colored, 10%c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11. - Butter firm;

creameries, 18½c to 20½c; dairies, 14c to 18c. Cheese firm at 10¼c to 11½c. INGERSOLL, Ont., Sept. 11.-At the cheese market held here today, 800 boxes were offered, but no sales were made, and not even a bid was made on board. Several salesmen and buyers were present, but the buyers seemed to

Delayed by Bad Weather

Pao-Ting-Fu Expedition The Not Yet Started.

Is Russia Playing a Double Game in Regard to Pekin?-Boxess Massing Along the Grand Canal-More

Stories of Massacres.

m .- No news has been received that the Pao Ting Fuh expedition has actually started. An undated dispatch says that it was delayed by bad

Shanghai correspondents confirm the statements of Dr. Morrison, the Pekin correspondent of the Times, that the military parade through the imperial

A RUSSIAN TRIUMPH.

Dr. Morrison's account comes as a timely reinforcement of the opinions beginning to be expressed in London papers to the effect, that in spite of all her talk about the evacuation of continually shipping fresh troops from Odessa to China.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post says: "It is considered that Li Hung Chang has bribed Russia and Germany to evacuate Pekin. The former will get Manchuria. It is not known what terms have been offered Germany.'

A special dispatch from Shanghai gives the report that the French and Americans nearly came into a conflict in Pekin, as the former had insisted upon entering the palace before the formal entrance of the international

PRINCE CHING. A Pekin dispatch of the 4th says: Prince Ching has received Sir Robert Hart, director-general of Chinese mari-time customs. The results of the interview have been secret thus far, but developments are expected in the

course of a few days. It is asserted at Paris that should Prince Ching arrive in Pekin properly accredited France would readily accept him and begin peace negotiations. Ching is regarded as being a peaceable man, and well fitted to act as a

WILLING TO WITHDRAW. London, Sept. 12.-France has formally adhered to the Russian proposal to withdraw from Pekin to Tien Tsin. It is learned that telegraphic instructions were sent yesterday from Paris and St. Petersburg to M. Pichon and M. De Giers, respecting the ministers of France and Russia at Pekin, directing both ministers, in conjunction with Gens. Frey and Linowich, to take measures to withdraw the legations and military contingents of both countries to Tien Tsin immediately upon circumstances permitting. Diplomatic circles in London are inclined to believe that this step will lead to similar action on the part of the United States and Japan, and while Germany may hold out till Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee arrives in China she will ultimately acquiesce, leaving Great Britain but little choice but to follow

suit. The Tokio correspondent of the Times, wiring Sept. 8, says that Japan has replied that she will not object to the withdrawal of her forces from Pekin, and to the other measures recommended by the concert of powers, and, since her geographical position enables the prompt addition of necessary military measures, she is willing to withdraw superfluous troops.

CONTRADICTS MORRISON. The Chinese minister at London, Chih Chen Lo Feng Luh, during an interview today, repudiated the charges of Dr. Morrison, the Pekin correspondent of the London Times, who said the most profound indignation was felt at Pekin that "Sir Chih Chen Lo Feng Luh and Wu Ting Fang, whose shameless lies and transmission of bogus imperial edicts delayed the departure of the relief column until nearly too late, are still received with honor in London and Washington." The minister also said that he was in constant communication with the emperor and empress, who, he further asserted, were now at Tsi Nan Fu (Sian Fu, capital of the Province of Shen Si), whence messages, he continued, were sent by courier to Pao Ting Fu, and thence to Shanghai. The Chinese minister at Washington says Morrison's statement "is one of the most unjustifiable and uncalled-for libels ever published on public men'

TO OPEN NEGOTIATIONS. Washington, Sept. 11 .- Minister Wu has received a cable dispatch from Earl Li Hung Chang giving an imperial edict signed by the emperor

London, Wednesday, Sept. 12-4:30 a. \ negotiations and a settlement of all war difficulties. The edict is dated

The acting United States secretary of state has replied to the edict, giving Li Hung Chang extraordinary powers to negotiate for peace as follows: "The United States do not feel called upon to express any opinion at this time as to the efficiency of Li Hung Chang's authority, but hopes it will transpire that his credentials are full and authoritative not only for negotiation, but to enable him without delay to give assurances that the life and property of Americans will henceforth be respected throughout the Chinese Empire.

BOXERS MASSING.

Tien Tsin, Sept. 3-Via Nagasaki, Sept. 10.-The Americans and British are considering the feasibility of transferring their winter supply base from Tong Ku to a point near Shan Tai Pekin, Russia has made no sign of Kwan, on the Gulf of Liao Yung, which is free of ice and is also a railway terminus. Thirty-five villages in the cinity of Tien Tsin have petitioned the tery. provisional government for protection. Boxers are reported massing along the Grand Canal.

MISSIONARIES BEHEADED. A Christian refugee from Pao Ting Fu asserts that he saw a large force of Boxers between Pekin and Pao Ting

The same refugee brings authoritative news of the massacre (already re-ported by provincial soldiers) of the American missionaries at Fen Chow Fu on Aug. 15. Mr. Atwater and wife, with their children; Mr. Legren and his wife and Miss English were beheaded. He also confirms the report of the killing of 23 members of the English mission at Tai Wuan Fu. At Tai Ku, where Miss Coombs was thrown into the flames of the burning mission buildings and where ten French priests were killed, all the members of the American S. Lawrence; New Glasgow and Rodmission were exterminatd, the men making a gallant defense until their ammunition was exhausted. He says mond; English Settlement and Ilder-there is no doubt that Miss White- ton, W. J. Clark; Bethel and Bryanchurch and Miss E. E. Searell were murdered at Hsiao, and he confirms the field, J. H. Courtenay; North Delaware reported massacre of Miss French and Miss Palmer, as well as of hundreds of native Christians in the Chi Sien district of the Province of Shan Si.

The same refugee, giving further details as to the condition of the party, of foreigners already reported as under siege, Aug. 2, by Chinese regulars in the Province of Shan Si, says that the party consisted of four priests, five nuns, five European engineers and several missionaries, and that they were surrounded by troops who had retreated from Pekin. On the date in question the foreigners were entrenched in the French cathedral.

BITS OF CHINA.

A Shanghai dispatch says: The 600 Japanese marines who landed here have formally placed themselves under the orders of the British general. Speaking with reference to the statements that attribute to Germany ambitious schemes on the Yang Tse Kiang, a Berlin foreign office official said: Such statements are absurd, as Germany has landed only 500 men, whereas Great Britain and France have each landed thousands. Germany's action there is wholly precautionary for the protection of the lives and property of Germans."

TWENTY YEARS STANDING

Trouble of a Norwich Farmer Who Was Relieved by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Norwich, Sept. 10 .- For twenty years Mr. Wilbert Woodward, of Willow Dell, has suffered with backache. He grew so bad that he was confined to his bed two days out of a week. His farm suffered for the lack of the eye of its master, and Mr. Woodward made every effort to find a cure for his trouble. He says: "I tried everything I ever heard of, but no cure. Last fall I heard about Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I bought three boxes of them from Mr. Bannon, of Norwich, and I am happy to say they have done me more good than all the other medicines put together that I got from the doctor. My wife takes Dodd's Kidney Pills also, for lame back and rheumatism, and finds them grand. I hope any persons suffering as we did will try these remedies. I would willingly pay two dollars a box rather than be without Dodd's Kidney Pills in the house."

The steamer Danube has reached Vancouver, B. C., with over half a million dollars in Klondike gold. Of this good butchers' and exporters' mixed, mediately to Pekin, and there co-oper-H. Berry, of the Berry Bros., held a \$4 25 to \$4 50; butchers' cattle, picked ate with Prince Ching toward peace quarter of a million.

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BLACKS-Special sale of Black Dress Goods, 10 pieces fancies, were 75c, grand line, selling at 50c. Ladies' Hats.

Swell Hats, latest New York Hats. Our leader for the week is a handsome pearl gray fedora, handsomely trimmed, with large gull wing, regular \$2 25; try it; now selling at \$1 50.

Ladies' Umbrellas.

A bargain in sun or rain-proof Umbrellas, handsome handles and very fine top; regular \$1 25 and \$1 50, now

Silks.

Another lot of those lovely Jap Silks; regular 35c quality, selling at 25c.

We quote a few of the bargains we're selling. See our Linens and Hosiery; great values in those sections.



The Century Fund-Report of the Committee on Standing Committees-Will Meet Again in November.

At the afternoon session of the Presbytery on Tuesday, London Mr. Stuart reported the installation of Mr. Alex. Henderson at North Ekfrid. The report was received and emin the minutes of the Presby-

Mr. Clark presented the century fund. It was decided to cordially commend the century fund, and especially the common fund, to the congregations within the bounds, and to urge the completion of the canvass in the succeeding two months.

The congregations were then taken up in detail and appointments made of men to co-operate with the ministers of the various charges, with the ministers to be held responsible for the results of the canvass. Argyle and West Lorne, J. H. Bar-

nett; Cowal and Lyn, H. W. Reide; Tait's Corners and Duff's, D. R. Drummond; North and South Westminster, John Currie; St. James', London, J. G. Stuart; King Street, London, W. J. Clark; Chalmers Church, London, A. J. McGillivray; Ailsa Craig and Carlisle, S. Lawrence; Lobo and North Caradoc. ney, Dr. Sutherland; Kintore, Alex. Wilson; Port Stanley, D. R. Drumston, Dr. Johnson; Aylmer and Springand Caradoc, W. A. Wyllie; Thamesford, Dr. Johnson: South Delaware and Tempo, John Currie; North Ekfrid, Jas.

Wilson; Fingal, W. J. Clark. Mr. Drummond reported the work of the commission in organizing the congregation of McBrides, which was formerly that part of Fingal charge known as Lyn. It was recommended that application be made to the augmentation committee for \$250 for Fin-

Mr. Currie reported for committee that the presbytery assume responsi-bility for supply of pulpit of North Ekfi a and Appin during Mr. Henderson's leave of absence, and that arrangement be left to the committee in assoclation with Mr. Henderson.

The report of the committee on

standing committees was received as follows: Church Life and Work-James Wil- Presbyterian Church, London, on the son, I. Macdonald, ministers; I. Rathburn, elder. Augmentation-J, Currie, W. J. Clark,

ministers; A. P. Campbell, elder. Salbbath Schools—J. H. Barnett, J. H. Courtenay; A. Thomson and Thos. Bland, elders,

Examination of Students-Dr. R. Johnston, examiner in Hebrew; D. R. Drummond, Greek; church history, A. J. MacGillivray; systematic theology, J. Currie; philosophy, J. G. Stuart; Eliot Grieve and J. D. Campbell, el-

Young People's Societies-W. M. Kay, J. Lindsay, J. H. Barnett; Thos. Bryan, elder. Statistics--J. H. Courtenay, Alex. Wilson, ministers; James Patterson, Schemes of the Church-W. J. Clark, J. Currie, A. Henderson; D. Fletcher,

Remits-J. G. Stuart, Thos. Wilson. Lawrence, D. Kelso; James Meek, Finance-J. Currie, D. R. Drummond;

J. Rathburn, elder.
Rev. W. A. Wylie was appointed commissioner for distribution of probationers and supply of vacancies, with a salary of \$30, Rev. George Gilmour and Mr. Dickie, elder, to be associated with him. Home Mission Committee-A. J. Mac-Gillivray, Mr. Geddes, Mr. Henderson,

and Mr. Laidlaw, elder. Mr. J. Nichol, student, having been examined, was licensed to preach the gospel, and sultably addressed by the Messrs. Martin and Tait, students,

were recommended to college. Mr. Currie reported a visit made to Delaware and Tempo, made to urge the congregations to meet the \$25 reduction from the augmentation fund. The presbytery adjourned. The next van. Messrs. Daly and Lewis will suest apple crops this s regular meeting to be held in the First pervise the decorations and will likewise tory of Nova Scotia.

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Tuesday, Sept. 18, Afternoon

and Evening. [From Catholic Record.] The date of holding "The Orphans'

Benefit" has been changed from Sept. 19, as previously announced, to Sept. 18. Final arrangements are perfected. and judging from the number of tickets sold, and the interest taken in the affair by all classes, the Princess rink will be taxed to its utmost capacity on that occasion.

Under the presidency of Mrs. Ellen O'Brien, a lady who for more than half a century has been foremost in all works of charity, and who even now is actively engaged therein, the different committees have, since the inception of the event, been indefatigably pursuing the various parts assigned them-and so great has been their success that there is every probability that the various tables will be literally

crowded with good things. The booths will be in charge of the following named ladies, in which task they will be assisted by a number of well known and willing workers, who are ever ready to devote their time and energy whenever there is question of good to be accomplished: Fancy table-Mesdames McNeil, Coffey and Regan. Refreshment tables (two)-Mesdames Durkin, Diknoether, O'Meara and Dignan. Supper table-Mrs. Martin O'Sulli-

have charge of the general management of the hall that evening. Choice refreshments will be dispensed refreshments will be dis throughout the afternoon evening, at a very moderate price. A substantial and appetizing supper will also be served, of which it is expected a large number of business men and others occupied during the day will partake. The Harpers' Orchestra will furnish music during the afternoon. By kind permission of Lieut. Col. Smith and officers, the band of the 7th Battalion will be in attendance throughout the evening. With Mr. Thos. J. Murphy in the chair, and Mr. H. G. Traher as accompanist, the following varied and attractive programme will be given in the evening:

Character Song-"The Postman" By the Orphans. Recitation-"The Judgment Day" -Miss Howard.

Song-"Spring's Awakening"....Hawley Miss Rumball. Intermission.

Duet-"Flow Gently, Diva" Mr. and Miss Reynolds. Violin Solo-"Le Carnival de Ven-

ice" Op. 22, Wieht Song-"There'll Never Be Another Like You" Fancher
Recitation—"Nobody's Child".... The Orphans.

Intermission. Song-"The Wolf" Wolf" Shield Mr. McDonald. Cornet Solo - "The Song of the

Rover" Rollinson Mr. Irwin. Chorus-"The Merry Brown Thrush" The Orphans.

Everything points to one of the largest apple crops this season in the his-