# POOR DOCUMENT

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MARKET REPORTS.

### AROUND THE TOWN.

minutes to leave his containing his watch, which he desired to place in safe keeping. Fifteen minutes the Englishman's collar. The Englishman seturned in another quarter of an hour to learn if the bey had deposited the collar with the rest of his apparel. By this time the office manager, had begun to wonder what his next exquse would be for putting in time and avoiding work. A half hour had passed, and the manager felt the crisis had passed, when lo, the Briton again appeared. This time he had come to get his pocket handkerchief from his coat pocket. The manager had to small at his ingenuity. A half hour later the Briton appeared to report the work too hard for him. To give him another chance, as help was scarce he was put on the team. At the starting of the weagon, he fell over the front end and, elimbing again on the high seat and swoomed as a woomed when the learn and and went of the weagon he fell over the front end and, elimbing again on the high seat and woomed as and woomed as and well in message. She screamed, drown a sum of the weagon he fell over the front end and, elimbing again on the high seat and woomed as and woomed as and woomed as and well in the weagon he fell over the front end and, elimbing again on the high seat and woomed as a woomed as and woomed as and woomed as another the part of the print and the part of the the print and the picked himself up from between the wheels of the cart. By this time he had put in of the cart. By this time he had put in the afternoon and departed for town to get his kit, as he said he intended living near his work. That's the last the firm saw of Mr. Englishman, and one concern in St. John looks with suspicion on any applicants from "ome," who are looking for work, for their experience is that some at least keep looking for it and never find it.

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of commercial travellers were spinning yarns. The talk drifted to horseflesh, as it is apt to do with men, and each fellow told of some wonderful pieces of roading that he had figured in. Each one had

A certain North End firm has a poor opinion of imported English labor on account of the experience they had this week with one of the class. A young the class are determined to say three days," and without a smile determined to say three days," and without a smile determined to say three days," and without a smile determined to say three days, and the party felt.

men) to come over to her house, as the men had shot two caribou. The youthful messenger had viewed the caribou and was quite excited over the importance of the event, so he hurried to the house with the message, rang the door bell, and the door was answered by the lady of the house with a baby in her arms. She expected to find her husband at the door, Shad hf. for the men have shot—" The lady never gave the urchin a chance to finish his chance, as help was scarce he was put on the team. At the starting of the wagon he fell over the front end and, climbing again on the high seat, at the next jolt fell ignominiously between the wheels. He was evidently no jehu and the firm saw that at a glance, as he picked himself up from between the wheels hunting trips and in the second place that if he does go shooting he won't send

told of some wonderful pieces of roading that he had figured in. Each one had made a quicker wagon trip than his neighbor and finally one of the party told how he had driven a horse from Moncton to Shediac, 17 miles, in 45 minutes. The party was about to subside, with the silence of admiration, when a well-known Toronto lawyer who had been sitting a few seats ahead, rose and came back to where the commercial men were seated.

This is the tale of a "gingerbread horse," not a horse on the same model as the gingerbread man of the nursery days, who, if he fell short of his duties, could be used as a toothsome dessert to a meal or a light lunch. No, this horse was not of that variety. He was, on the contrary, an animal which had done duty in a livery stable for many moons, and which was passed off on a party of fishermen a few days ago as possessing speed where the commercial men were seated. few seats ahead, rose and came back to where the commercial men were seated. "I have been listening to your truthful tales of fast horses, trotting and roading," said the man of the courts, "and it reminded me of a trip some legal friends of mine made many years ago. It was before the railroad was constructed and they had to drive from Moncton to Dorchester on urgent business. There were four in the party and they could only get a single horse. They left Moncton at 2 p. m. on a Monday afternoon, and three hours later were at the court house in Dorchester." Everybody gasped and the lawyer went quietly back to his seat. One of the commercial travellers absentmindedly looked at the railway time table and noticed the distance from Moncton to Dorchester by rail was 70 miles. He pointed this out to his comrades and they smiled in chorus. Just as the train was pulling into Moncton, the lawyer came back to

## BRITISH LOSSES HEAVY BOER ATTACK ON KEKEWICH'S CAMP.

Four Officers and 51 Men Killed--Wounded Number Far Over Hundred--Said to Have Been Thousand Boers Attacking.

London, Oct. 5-The casualty list shows admit having 300 wounded. Apparently that the total British losses in the attack they lost more men than in any previous

that the total British losses in the attack on Col. Kekewich's camp at Moedwill, were four officers killed and 23 wounded, action of the year.

Six hundred men, under Emmet and Grobelaar, attacked Fort Prospect. They also suffered heavily. Sixty of their dead were found where they had been mowed down by a Maxim gun. At Fort Itala the British guns were put out of action. The Boers, under Delarey and Kemp, had 14 officers and 114 men wounded, after two hours' night fighting, when they were driven off.

The Boers are reported to have been back. Major Chapman, commanding the

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Western	B
Lamb	1
Mutton.,	1
Veal 0.05 " 0.07	1
Pork, by the carcase, per 1b.0.07 " 0.08	1
Pork, by the cut, per 4b 0.12 " 0.00	10
Hams and bacon, per 1b 0.14 " 0.18	1
Poultry:	1
Turkeys, per lb	1
Chickens, per pair	13
Fowls	
Ducks 0.50 " 0.75	12
Wild ducks	
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Snipe (English)	B
Venison:	1
Moose, per No 0.16 " 0.20	E
Vegetables:	
Turnips, per bbl 0.70 " 0.90	13
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Beets, per bbl1.00 " 0.00	13
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Squash, per 100 lbs2.25 " 2.50	B
Cabbage, per doz0.45 " 0.60	B
Cauliflower, per doz 1.00 " 2.00	
Celery, per doz0.35 " 0,80	10
Butter:	B
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Tubs, per lb	1

WALL STREET CONDITIONS.

Henry Clews Reviews the Recent Tendencies Henry Clews Reviews the Recent lendercies of the Market and Estimates the Prospects.

New York, Oct 5—Values on the stock exchange continue to exhibit a declining tendency. Sentiment has gradually lost its character and the extravagant expectations of three months ago are giving way to more rational opinions and actions. The present course of the market is no doubt very distasteful to those whose oversanguine dispositions have led them to unwise commitments on the long side. A good many reasons can be presented for this prolonged reaction, such as the condition of the money market, the injury to

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dustrials. In August and September we witnessed a series of annual reports, all surely making the burden of over-capitalization felt. The developments in Amalgamated Copper acted decisively against
the entire market. Fortunately, the
United States Steel Corporation took the
public into its confidence and made an excellent showing as to earnings, which removed an important element of doubt.
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connected with corporations that were pessimistically reorganized. Then the railroads and industrials will be a common

The monetary outlook is somewhat clearer, as proved by Secretary Gage's discontinuing the purchase of bonds. Very soon the outward drain for crop purposes will cease and the influx of currency will begin. Gold imports are being delaped, pantly owing to Europe's necessity for retaining the precious metal but at the moment the money market is free of anxieties.

DEATH IN BANGOR.

ITS MOTHER'S ARMS.

Voung Boy Handled Loaded Gun with Fatal Results.

Bangor, Me., Oct. 4—Miss Carrie Booth

Toronto, Oct. 4—(Special)—A ninetics.

ket is indefinite. No bull movement is yet in sight, and bearish sentiment seems to predominate in spite of the fact that the big interests seem opposed to all pro-nounced declines. The situation, there-fore, offers excellent trading opportunities;

HENRY CLEWS. BRADSTREETS' TRADE REVIEW.

New York, Oct. 4.-Bradstreets tomorr

New York, Oct. 4.—Bradstreets tomorrow will say:

While speculative markets, except for cotton, show reactionary tendencies, general distributive trade and industry are active and a heavy volume of business is going forward. Bank clearings are heavily in excess of previous years, railway earnings continue very favorable.

The cereals are very generally weak and lower in all markets. Large receipts and unsatisfactory cable advices have weakened wheat slightly. Export trade, however, fails to be greatly stimulated. Corn has weakened slightly on improved outside buying, failing to keep prices up in the face of professional liquidation and poor export inquiry.

The feature of the week in cotton was the publication on Thursday of the government report, showing the lowest condition, with one exception in 18 years. The market quickly responded in a ¼ advance in futures and ¼ in spots.

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Print production are professional liquidation are report a good business in prints, which are rather scarce, and leading manufacturers of ginghams are heavily sold ahead. New business in woiter goods is quiet, but the mills are busy on winter wear orders and a large volume of their spring output has been booked. Wool is steady, former prices are insisted upon and consumption is heavy. Demand for boots and shoes is active. Eastern shipments are 9 p. c. in advance of last year.

Iron trade reports are the best of the year. Foundry and Bessemer pig iron are very active.

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## PEOPLE WE KNOW.

We have all laughed and cried over Charles Dickens' faithful portraiture of the joys and trials of the immortal Macawber. Every community holds a type or two of this particular species of humanity and St. John is no exception to the rule. In fact as an optimistic people we are apt to breed more than our fair share of Macawbers. I have one in mind who might have sat for Dickens in his portrayal of the original. A man of infinite resource as becomes one who is earning £1 a week and always spending sixpence more than as becomes one who is earning £1 a week and always spending sixpence more than he earns. All the world his friend, he appeals freely to the public for aid in time of trouble. Merry even when disaster seems most imminent, he is a child of fortune who deems this world to be but a vale of tears and a man's duty to extract from it what little surabline it holds. His

public into its confidence and made an excellent showing as to earnings, which removed an important element of doubt. The management deserve commendation for their courage as well as sagacity. A policy of secretiveness such as is followed by most of the industrials in except on the fail to give reliable information and that their course will be largely influenced by general business. The latter is still in good condition, and the outlook as for a good fall and winter trade; nevertheless, the industrials are especially exposed to trade fluctuations and that their course will be largely influenced by general business. The latter is still in good condition, and the outlook as for a good fall and winter trade; nevertheless, the industrials ear earlied that their course will be largely influenced by general business for the bare cupboard and the family dote on him until they are a definite that avoid publicity regarding their affairs will probably be sharply discriminated against.

At this time of unsettled values it is well to draw the line between railroad shares and those of the industrials in estimating intrinsic worth, as it must be remembered that the former are mostly

## RHEUMATIC

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If Neglected They Will Grow Worse and Serious Results Will Follow—Rheumatism Can Be Permanently Cured.

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From the Telegraph, Quebec.
Rheumatism is one-fold the most common and at the ame time one of the most painful affections from which humanity stiffer to affect the joints and man muscles, and is characterized, even in its simplest form, by a dull constant pain. While it sufficiently the joints and man many instances it has proved fatal. Distinct and clienters becomes a source of danger, and it many instances it has proved fatal. Distinct of the cure of this disease which are unequalled by any other medicine. Mr. Cytus Lamond, a well known resident of Stadedona, Que, bears testimony to the wonderful curative powers of these pills. To a reporter of the Telegraph he gave the following story:—'Until some three years ago of always enjoyed the best of health, but about that time I was attacked with what proved from the outset to be a severe case of rheumatism, from which I suffered symbolity and the provention of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed cures for this disease, but none of the supposed of the supp From the Telegraph, Quebec.

London, Oct. 4-"In spite of the pledges may be, to the old ruts of importance, may be, to the old rate of importance, pretense and collapse," writes Rudyard Kipling, in a striking letter to the Spectator, upon the appointment of Sir Redvers Buller and Sir Evelyn Wood to com-

claration that the appointments of Generals Buller and Wood are absurd, but also with a demand that Lord Kitchener be recalled. This demand is nicely but

Doctor of Sacred Theology. Zanesville, O., Oct. 6-The degree doctor of sacred theology was conferred on Very Rev. L. F. Kearney, provincial of the Dominican order, the third man in America to receive this degree. The oth-

ers were Dr. Higgins, of Connecticut, an Dr. Kennedy, of Somerset, Ohio. 100 New Brunswickers. Quebec, Oct. 4.—(Special)—About 100 young men from the county of Gloucester, N. B., passed through Levis today en route for the woods in the rear of Three Rivers to work for the winter cutting pulpwood.

# KILLED BABY IN

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# HALIFAX MORE STRICT.

Re-imposed in the Hospital ---Ophir's Sailing Deferred Several

nor has been corresponding with Ottawa for over two weeks, endeavoring to have the original hour of sailing, 5 a. m., altered

plication that regulations are now being

mand army corps.

The Spectator, although among the most cautious of the government's supporters, comes out boldly, not only with the deof Consumption. Don't wait until they get in, and you begin to cough. Close the door at once by healing the inflammation.

Scolls Emulsion makes the lungs germ-proof; it heals the inflammation and closes the doors. It builds up and strengthens the entire system with wonderful rapidity.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronte.