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AT OSGOODE HALL TO-DAY. Single Judge, at 11 a.m.: Ball v. Bearss; Higginson v. Kerr; Lister v. Seath (two motions); re A. D. Q. Gold Mining Co.; re Amaranth School.

Bradstreet's Makes Large Increase in World's Supply.

Markets Firm-Local Grain, Produce and Live Stock Quotations -Notes and Gossip.

Chicago futures declined a net half cent per bushel for the day all round. Liverpool maize to-day advanced %d to kd per cental. Chicago corn futures held

Peas advanced 61/2d per cental at Liver-Lard declined 3d at Liverpool.

The Liverpool grain and provision exchange will be closed from 3.30 p.m. Friday. Dec. 23, until Tuesday, Dec. 27.

May wheat puts at Chicago 66%c; calls 67%c. May corn puts 35%c; calls 35%c. Total clearances to-day: Wheat and flour, 747,000 bushels; corn, 596,000 bushels. Fifty-one loads of wheat reported for export to-day.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour, 6909 barrels and 29,253 sacks; wheat, 387,691 Liverpool wheat receipts the past three days 282,000 centals, of which 277,000 centals were American. Corn. same time, 133,000 centals.

Wheat receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 785 cars, against 200 the same day a year ago.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 205, corn 726, oats 381. Estimated for Wednesday: Wheat 200, corn 575, oats

apital was largely invested in United

Bradstreet's World's Available. Bradstreet's makes last week's increase in the world's visible wheat supply 5.000.00 bushels, against an increase of 1,050,000 bushels the corresponding week of 1897. The increase "in Europe and afloat" was 00,000 bushels; and the increase "east of he Rockles" was 4,500,000 bushels. The visible corn supply increased 436,000 unshels and the oats supply 1,207,000 bushels.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to day at important centres:

Cash. Dec. May. July.

Chicago . \$. \$0 65% \$0 67% \$0 65%

New York . 0 73½ 0 71½ ...

Milwaukee . 0 67 ...

St. Louis . 0 68½ 0 68½ 0 70½ 0 64%

Toledo . 0 69½ 0 60½ 0 70½ ...

Detroit . 0 68% 0 68% 0 70% ...

Duluth. No. 1

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour-Winter patents in bags, \$3.70 to \$3.90; straight rollers, \$3.35 to \$3.40; Hungarian patents, \$4.10 to \$4.15; Manitoba bakers', \$3.80 to \$3.85.

Wheat—Ontarlo, red and white, 6614c, north and west; goose, 6414c to 6514c; No. 1 Manitoba hard, 79c at Toronto, and No. 1 Northern, at 74c. Oats-White oats quoted at 271/2c to 28c

Rye-Quoted at 50c west and 51c east. Barley-Quoted at 46c to 47c west.

Buckwheat-Firm at 44c to 45c north and

Bran-City mills sell bran at \$13 and shorts at \$15 in ear lots, f.o.b., Toronto. Corn—Canadian, 33c west and American old at 43%c: new American, 40%c to 41c on track here.

Peas-Sold at 63c north and west in car

Oatmeal—Car lots of rolled oats, in bags, on track in Toronto, \$3.50: in barrels, \$3.60.

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 Buck wheat, bush
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 Peas, bush
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 Peas, bush
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Hay, timothy, per ton...\$9 00 to 10 00
Hay, clover, per ton...\$0 00 7 00
Straw, sheaf, per ton... 7 00
Straw, loose, per ton... 4 00 5 00

Dairy Products

Button the solls Butter, lb. rolls ... \$0 17 to \$0 20
Butter, large rolls ... 0 13 0 14
Eggs, new laid ... 0 30 0 40
Fresh Meats—

Beef, hindquarters, cwt. \$6 00 to Beef, forequarters, cwt. \$4 00 Lamb, spring, per 1b... 0 06½ Mutton, carcase, cwt. 5 00 Weal, carcase, cwt. 6 50 Hogs, dressed, light 5 00 Hogs, dressed, heavy 5 00 Chickens, per pair ... \$0 40
Turkeys, per lb. ... 0.08
Spring ducks, per pair ... 0 60
Geese, per lb. ... 0 05
Fruit and Vegetables— | Apples | per bbl. | \$1 50 to \$2 50 |
Potatoes	per bug	0 55	0 65
Cabbage	per doz	0 20	0 40
Onions	Spanish	per lb	0 0314
Beets	per doz	0 121/2	0 15
Caulliflower	per doz	0 40	0 65
Turnips	per bag	0 30	0 35
Parsnips	per bag	0 50	0 60

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Yesterday-Realizing Sales actions-Canadian Stocks Steady to Higher-C. P. R. Slow-A Tip Out on Toronto Railway-

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Tuesday Evening, Dec. 20.

The stock markets continue to fail to show any holiday weakness. Trading was fairly duil on the Canadian exchanges today, but prices were maintained. C.P.R. was easy in the morning, but strengthened up on the afternson board. Electrics were firm and Cariboo and War Eagle steady to strong. Toronto Railway took a little spurt upwards on the demand from Montreal. At the advance there was little stock offering, and there is a tip abbond that this issue will be advanced. The earnings continue to show large increases every week. The annual meeting will be held in January.

Wall-street stocks were irregular, but the annual meeting will be features of the milways, the former list moving upwards on talk of a 3 per cent. dividend, and the latter on the talk of reorganization. Nr.Y. Gas., Steel and B.O. manifested strength.

American rails in London to-day closed to the country markets steady.

In Paris 3 p.c. rentes were at 10ft 87½c. French exchange on London 25f 27½c.

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Loudon cables received by Messrs. A. E. Ames & Co., quote Grand Trunks at 77; Grand Trunk 1st preferred at 64%, and Grand Trunk 2nd preferred at 43, closing at 42%.

Toronto Railway earnings for the week ending on Sunday, increased \$1903.50 over the same week in 1807.

Montreal Railway earnings increased \$2365.72 for the same week. At New York bonds closed: U.S. 3's, coupon, 106%; U.S. 4's, reg., 128%; do., coup., 128%; U.S. 4's, 111%; do., coup., 113: do., seconds, 99½; U.S. 5's, 112%; do., coup., 112%;

On the local market call loans are at 4½ to 5 per cent. In New York call loans to-day were 2½ to 4 p. c., closing loan being 2½ per cent. The Bank of Eugland discount rate is 4 per cent, and the open market rate is 3 7-16 to 3½ per cent.

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

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