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Dyspepsia—I was weak and had fainting spells. I had indigestion in severe form troubled me. Five bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla made me well and strong. Mrs. WILLIAM VAN ALKENBURG, Whitby, Ont.

A Good Medicine—We have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family as a spring medicine and used Hood's Pills for biliousness and found both medicines very effective. For impure blood we know Hood's Sarsaparilla is a good medicine. R. S. PETER, publisher Bee, Atwood, Ont.

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THE MARKETS

Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.
London, Monday, Oct. 15.
Wheat, white, per bu. 63c to 66c
Wheat, red, per bu. 63c to 66c
Oats, per bu. 25½c to 26c
Peas, per bu. 48c to 57½c
Barley, per bu. 35c to 41c
Rye, per bu. 47½c to 56c
Very little grain came in today and prices were the same as on Saturday. Hay was steady at \$7 to \$7.50 per ton.
About 300 live hogs came in; \$5 to \$6.10 was the price paid.

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to make your own bread again. Buy your FLOUR at...
HAMILTON'S, 373 Talbot Street.
Try our Emerald Green Lawn Grass.

St. Thomas Market.

St. Thomas, Oct. 15.—Wheat, old, per bu. 65c; wheat, new, 65c; oats, 23c to 25c; peas, 45c to 50c; barley, 35c; rye, 60c; feed corn, 50c to 60c; flaxseed, \$2.45 to \$2.50; timothy seed, \$3.50 to \$2.60.

The Oil Market.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 15.—Oil opened at \$1.10.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 13.—Oil closed at \$1.10.
OIL CITY, Oct. 13.—Oil—Credit balances, \$1.10; certificates, no bids.

English Markets

Ruling prices for the past four market days—The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given.

	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.	Oct. 12.	Oct. 13.
WHEAT—				
Red Winter...	6 3/4	6 3/4	6 3/4	6 3/4
No. 1 North...	6 5/8	6 5/8	6 5/8	6 5/8
Walla...	6 5/8	6 5/8	6 5/8	6 5/8
No. 1 Cal...	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8
July...	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8
Dec...	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8
Feb...	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8
CORN—				
Nov...	4 5/8	4 5/8	4 5/8	4 5/8
Old...	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Sept...	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Oct...	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
Nov...	4 3/4	4 3/4	4 3/4	4 3/4
Dec...	4 3/4	4 3/4	4 3/4	4 3/4
Jan...	4 3/4	4 3/4	4 3/4	4 3/4
Flour...	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
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Pork, prime mess...	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Lard...	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0
Tallow...	25 0	25 0	25 0	25 0
Bacon, light...	45 0	45 0	45 0	45 0
Cheese, white...	53 0	53 0	53 0	53 0
Cheese, colored...	53 0	53 0	53 0	53 0

American Markets.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Lacking outside support and influenced by disappointing Liverpool cables and the prediction of an increase in the visible and amount on passage, wheat was 1½c lower yesterday. December closing 75c to 1c under yesterday. December corn and December oats each closed ½c lower and provisions 7½c to 10c to 20c depressed. The seaboard reported 21 loads taken for export. Clearances in wheat and flour at the seaboard were equal to 430,000 bu. Primary receipts were 972,000 bu. compared with 1,073,000 bu. last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 43 cars, against 573 last week and 72 a year ago. Local receipts were 200 cars, 7 of contract grade. Estimated receipts on Monday: Wheat, 225 cars; corn, 605 cars; oats, 285 cars; hogs, 40,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat Oct., 74½c; Nov., 75c to 75½c; Dec., 75½c to 76c; Corn Oct., 21½c to 22c; Nov., 21½c; Dec., 21½c; Mess Pork Oct., 11½c; Nov., 11½c; Jan., 11½c; Lard Oct., 27½c; Nov., 27½c; Jan., 27½c; Short ribs Oct., 10½c; Nov., 10½c; Jan., 10½c; Cattle Oct., 10½c; Nov., 10½c; Jan., 10½c; Spring calves Oct., 10½c; Nov., 10½c; Jan., 10½c; Hogs Oct., 10½c; Nov., 10½c; Jan., 10½c; Eggs Oct., 10½c; Nov., 10½c; Jan., 10½c.

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; good to prime steers, \$5.40 to \$5.55; poor to medium, \$4.40 to \$5.20; selected feeders, \$3.75 to \$4.40; mixed stockers, \$2.75 to \$3.65; cows, \$2.65 to \$4.25; heifers, \$2.75 to \$4.75; calves, \$2.40 to \$3.60; bulls, \$2.75 to \$4.50; calves, \$2.40 to \$3.60; Texas fed steers, \$4 to \$4.50; do grass steers, \$3.25 to \$4.10; do bulls, \$2.75 to \$3.25. Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; mixed and butchers, \$4.90 to \$5.25; good to choice heavy, \$4.90 to \$5.25; rough heavy, \$4.75 to \$4.85; light, \$4.85 to \$5.25; bulk of sales, \$5 to \$5.15. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; good to choice wethers, \$3.85 to \$4.10; fair to choice mixed, \$2.45 to \$3.85; western sheep, \$3.85 to \$4.10; Texas sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.60; native lambs, \$4.25 to \$4.60; western lambs, \$4.75 to \$5.25.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Cattle—No demand, unchanged. Calves were in moderate supply, fair demand and steady; choice to extra, \$7.50 to \$8; good to choice, \$7 to \$7.50. Sheep and lambs—Demand was active, and the basis on choice stock was higher: lambs, choice to extra, \$5.25 to \$5.75; good to choice, \$5.50 to \$5.65; common to fair, \$4.50 to \$5; sheep, choice to ex-

tra, \$4.25 to \$4.50; good to choice, \$4 to \$4.25. The general trade in hogs was about steady; heavy sold \$5.30; mixed, \$5.25 to \$5.30; Yorkers, \$5.10 to \$5.25; pigs, \$5.10 to \$5.15; roughs, \$4.50 to \$4.75. Close slow.

Dairy Markets

LONDON DAIRYMEN'S EXCHANGE
London, Saturday, Oct. 13.—At the London Dairymen's Exchange today, 20 factories boarded 4,236 boxes of cheese, all of which was September make. The market was very dull, and only one lot—Wallacetown, 145 boxes—was sold. The price paid was 11½c. The offerings were:

	Boxes.
Wallacetown	145
Ridgeview	134
West Williams	134
Uttuxeter, G. and A.	320
Thompson's	250
Lakeview	100
Westminster	120
Belmont	130
Kerwood	162
Koyser	120
North Street	170
Blanshard	125
West Nissouri	430
Northwood	400
Sifton's	200
Napier	115
Blanshard and Nissouri	460
Clanworth	225
Elgin	170
Gladstone	330

Total 4,236
CANTON, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Large cheese and twins, 10½c; butter ruling at 21½c.

COWANSVILLE, Que., Oct. 13.—At the weekly meeting of the Eastern Townships dairymen's board of trade here today, 39 factories offered 2,322 boxes of cheese, and one creamery offered 39 boxes of butter. The butter was sold to P. F. Ferguson for 20c. Mr. Ferguson also secured 1,195 boxes of cheese for 11c, and 235 boxes for 11½c. J. Burnett, jun., secured 426

boxes of cheese for 11c; H. H. Hibbard secured 244 boxes for 11c; W. P. Hibbard secured 146 boxes for 11c, and 40 boxes for 11½c. Total boxes sold, 2,871, and unsold, 10,000. Meeting adjourned to Saturday, Oct. 20.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Seven lots—335 boxes of cheese offered; 10½c bid; no sales. Sales made on street at 10½c.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Oct. 13.—At cheese market today 24 factories boarded 2,730 white and 100 colored cheese; 11c bid; no sales.

SOUTH FINCH, Ont., Oct. 13.—Regular meeting of South Finch cheese board. Number of cheese boarded, 1,144—324 white, balance colored; price offered on board, 11c; none sold; board will meet again next week as usual.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Sales of cheese on board of trade today, 2,000 at 10½c to 10¾c; about 600 at 10¾c for Montreal.

CORNWALL, Ont., Oct. 13.—At the Cornwall cheese board today 922 white, 638 colored and 205 United States colored cheese were boarded; all sold but one lot; prices were 11-10½ for white and United States, and 11½c for colored. The sales were: Lovell and Christmas, 515; J. Alexander, 250; Jackson and Hallett, 115; A. Ayer & Co., 483; Hodgson Bros., 290.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Butter firm; creamery, 15c to 22c; factory, 13c to 16c; June creamery, 18c to 21c; imitation creamery, 15c to 17½c; state dairy, 15c to 20c. Cheese firm; large white, 10c to 10½c; small white, 11c; large colored, 10½c; small colored, 11c.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Butter firm; creamery, 16c to 20½c; dairy, 13c to 18c. Cheese firm, 10½c to 11½c.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The receipts of butter for the week aggregated 53,662 packages, and shipments nil. The receipts of cheese for the week amounted to 32,647 boxes, and shipments 6,483 boxes.

New Kid Gloves

A complete department is our Kid Glove Section. No lady need go wanting the chic styles, for they are always well assorted here. New and delightful styles of fine Grenoble and London Kid Gloves, and at come-at-able prices.

AT \$1.00—Choice French Kid (real kid), in beautiful soft shades of browns, castors, moles, reids, etc. This glove usually retails at \$1.25, our price now \$1.00.

AT \$1.00—Bayley's Wonderful Dollar Glove, every pair guaranteed. For ten years no Glove in Western Ontario has had so large a sale. Always the most perfect-fitting and best wearing Glove for the price. In all fashionable colors and black—\$1.00.

AT \$1.25—First choice, real kid, handsomely finished, in best shades and colors, also black, exceeding fine grain quality. Our price is \$1.25.

AT \$1.60—Real kid, heavier stock, pique sewn, very stylish on the hand. We fancy some may ask you \$2.00 for this Glove. Our price \$1.60. ODD LINES—Always bargains can be found in this department. We allow no old or mixed-up lot to accumulate, and remnants go at a price. Special lot just now, mostly all good sizes, selling at 50c.

Bayley's A Denial

By the Premier, Sir Wilfrid Laurier,

Of the Charge That Senatorships Were Trafficked In.

Montreal, Oct. 14.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has addressed the following letter to the editor of the Gazette:

"Sir, — In the Gazette of this morning there appears a telegraphic report of a meeting held at Owen Sound, Ontario, in which the following statement occurs:

"During Mr. Tucker's address reference was made to the manifesto of H. H. Cook, and in reply Mr. Horsey claimed that Mr. Cook had left his party because he had been refused a senatorship. Mr. Tucker afterwards telephoned Mr. Cook and learned from him that the reason he had left his party was that Sir Wilfrid and other members of the cabinet, through an agent who was sent specially to Toronto to interview Mr. Cook, offered Mr. Cook a senatorship, and stated that owing to his long and useful career in the Liberal party he would receive it upon payment of \$10,000."

"Commenting upon the above you say editorially:

"Mr. Cook was an old, prominent and hard-working Liberal, and was to get his seat at a bargain for \$10,000. What did the unknown pay? Who was to get Mr. Cook's \$10,000, and what was to be done with it? These are questions personally. He is the head of the government that named the senators. He personally advised the governor-general when senators were appointed. He brought to the country on polling day with this charge, and answered, and with the senatorial roll-taker unexposed and unpunished."

EMPHATIC DENIAL.

"I am not prepared to admit that a man in public life should be answerable for charges of this character, unless they are supported by some kind of evidence which would give them a color. At first sight, I, however, waive the right of ignoring such an accusation, and I here and now make the statement, for myself and my colleagues, that there is not a shadow of foundation in the charges of Mr. Cook; that I never, directly or indirectly, through an agent or otherwise, made any demand upon him for any sum of money, big or small, or for anything else. I give the material charge the most unqualified and emphatic denial, and challenge the proof of the same."

(Signed) WILFRID LAURIER.

"Montreal, Oct. 13."

A Medicine 300 Years Old.

Our readers will probably be surprised to learn that for nearly 300 years cod liver oil has been used as a medicine. During the past 25 years nearly all the cod liver oil brought to this country from Norway has been used in the form of Scott's Emulsion. It is by all means the most pleasant preparation of cod liver oil you can buy.

The Fall Fairs.

Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18.

Norfolk Union, Owen Sound, Oct. 14-18.

Moraviantown (Indian), Oct. 16-19.

Muncy (Indian) Fair, Oct. 23, 24, 25.

Chippewa Indian Agricultural Society, Muncy, Oct. 30-31.

An Ideal Ready-Made Food.

Prof. Naumann, a most eminent authority on chemical and medical questions, says that cod liver oil is almost an ideal ready-made food. He says it is easy to digest, easily makes fat, and is also a medicine. Scott's Emulsion contains this oil so prepared that it is not at all unpleasant.

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Ladies' Vests, long sleeves, high neck.....15c
Ladies' Heavy Vests, for fall wear.....20c
Ladies' Vests, fleece lined, in white, cream, ecru.....25c
Ladies' Merino and Arctic Vests.....50c
Ladies' Ribbed Wool Vests.....50c, 62½c, 75c, \$1.00
Ladies' Drawers, ankle length, to match these Vests, at.....25c, 35c, 50c, 60c and up
Ladies' Black Tights.....\$1.00

Ladies' Black Cashmere and Wool Hose.....25c
Boys' Heavy Black Wool Ribbed Hose, at.....20c, 25c
Ladies' Natural Wool Extra Heavy Ribbed Hose, at.....40c, 45c and 50c
Corset Covers.....\$1.00

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New Skirts & Blouses

Mercedized Sateen Blouses, black lined, nicely tucked and corded, with flaring cuffs, for, each.....\$2.57
Tucked and Lined Blouses, in black mercedized sateen, for.....\$2.50
Ladies' Black Sateen Blouses, corded, flare cuff, at.....\$1.87
Ladies' Figured Black Mercedized Sateen Blouses, for.....\$1.50

SKIRTS

Ladies' Black Figured Skirts, all sizes, extra good value, for.....\$2.75
Ladies' Black Serge Skirts, tailor made; snap.....\$3.87
Ladies' Black Skirts, stitched and pleated, 3 pleats in front.....\$4.15

GRAY & PARKER, 150 DUNDAS STREET.

GIST OF THE NEWS

New York has given \$115,998 in aid of Galveston.

Lieutenant-Governor McMillan will be sworn in at Winnipeg today.

The Lorain, Ohio, plant of the Federal Steel Company has closed, throwing three thousand men out of employment.

Trolley cars carry passengers between New York and Boston for \$1.30 instead of the \$5 charged by the steam railroads.

The grand jury at Quebec were unable to agree upon a bill in the conspiracy charges against the Ville-Marie Bank directors, and the case is at a standstill.

The stage from Windermere brought to Golden, B. C., F. Collins, formerly of Ontario, charged with the murder of A. Dando, formerly of Edmonton, at Peterboro, B. C.

Encouraging threshing reports come from all parts of the Northwest, the weather being most favorable for threshing. The wheat yield in many instances are reaching 30 to 40 bushels per acre.

James K. McGuire, chairman of the Democratic state executive committee, New York, has taken up the offer of Frederick Gibbs, of the Republican national committee, to bet \$500 even that McKinley will come down to the Bronx with a majority of 100,000.

Prof. Friedrich Max-Muller, corporate professor of comparative philology at Oxford, England, who has been ill for some time, has suffered a serious relapse, and his condition is now critical.

According to a dispatch from Copenhagen relative to the sale of the Danish West Indies, Denmark demands \$7,000,000 and the United States offers only \$4,000,000.

Bradstreet's Review.

Wholesale trade at Montreal shows few changes from a week ago.

Business at Winnipeg has been quiet. This is the season when an increased demand usually takes place for heavy winter goods, but owing to the crop damage country traders are buying cautiously.

In London there has been a fair business done this week. Trade at the country centers is not especially active, owing to the fine weather that has prevailed for fall farm work.

Business at the large coast cities has been slow.

At Hamilton there is a good demand for general staple goods for the fall and winter from retailers.

At Toronto this week there has been a fair movement considering the mild weather.

Steamship Arrivals.

Oct. 12. At From

Lake Champlain.....Cape Magdalen. Liverpool

Lucania.....New York.....Liverpool

St. Paul.....New York.....Hamburg

Campania.....Quebec.....New York

JUST THE THING THAT'S WANTED.—A pill that acts upon the stomach and yet is so compounded that certain ingredients it preserve the power to act upon the intestinal canals, so as to clear them of excreta, the retention of which cannot but be harmful, was long looked for by the medical profession. It was found in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are the result of much expert study and are scientifically prepared as a laxative and alternative in one.

Chicago gas consumers have asked the courts to compel the gas companies to accept 40 cents a thousand for gas. The companies are fighting for \$1 a thousand.

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, discolored skin, moth patches and blotches on the skin—all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give Clear Skin, Rosy Cheeks, Rich Complexion. Only 25c at W. T. Strong & Co.'s drug store.

A Skin of Beauty Is a Joy Forever.

Dr. T. Felix Gouraud's Oriental Cream or Magical Beauty.

Removes tan, pimples, freckles, moths patches, rash and every blemish on beauty, and defies detection. It has been used for 62 years and is so harmless it is safe to use. It is properly made. Accept no counterfeit.

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For sale by all druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers throughout the United States, Canada and Europe.

\$25 DAMAGES

Constable Got Verdict Against Letter-Writer.

Guelph, Ont., Oct. 15.—At the assizes here the only case of any account was that of Royce vs. Webb. In June last a son of James Webb, of Guelph, formerly of Ospringe, was fined \$25 for cruelty to a dog, pulling coal oil on him and setting him on fire. As a consequence the convicting magistrate received a letter reflecting on the character of George S. Royce, the prosecuting constable, hence the case. The defendant denied writing the letter, and tried to shift the responsibility on his wife and daughter, but he admitted having learned about a week later that the letter had been written and his name used, and that he had taken no steps to repudiate or rectify it. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$25 and costs.

OLYMPIC GAMES TO BE REVIVED.

New York, Oct. 15.—The Herald says: America is to have the Olympic games in 1901. They will be under the jurisdiction of the Amateur Athletic Union, and will be held at Buffalo during the Pan-American Exposition.

THE STOMACH'S "WEAL OR WO?"—The stomach is the center from which, from the standpoint of health, flows "weal or woe." A healthy stomach means perfect digestion, perfect digestion means strong and steady nerve centers—strong nerve centers mean good circulation, rich blood and good health. South American Nerve makes and keeps the stomach right. For sale by C. McCallum & Co.—52.

According to the views of a British sea captain, who was in the Gulf of Mexico during the Galveston tempest, the disturbance was partly volcanic.

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