FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

LIVE HOGS SOLD AT $5.75 A HUNDRED

Out-of-Town Buyers in Middlesex Are Only Paying $5.60 Per Cwt.

Live hogs were variously quoted this morning at from $5 60 to $5 75. Local buyers promised $5 75 per cwt. for today's shipments, but out-of-town buyers dropped the price to $5 60 and the local men had to follow suit.

Hay sold this morning at $16 and $16 50 per ton. Not a great deal was offered and prices were active.

Oats are strongly in demand at from $1 35 to $1 40 per cwt. Renewed activity in dressed and live poultry is a feature of the market at present. The nearness of Thanksgiving materially increases the demand for toothsome birds.

Eggs continue to soar at 30 and 32 cents per dozen.

First-class butter tops the market at 28 and 29 cents per pound.

On the whole market prices are satisfactory, dressed meats, which are quiet, and live hogs, which are very unreliable, being the only exceptions.

Live hogs sold at $5 75 per cwt on the local market today, despite the fact that out-of-town buyers in Middlesex are only paying $5 60 per cwt. Quite a number of hogs were shipped today. Farmers are not generally anticipating a return to better prices, and apparently are deciding to turn their attention to more profitable and more certain lines of farming than hog-raising.

Hay sold as high as $17 per ton, the prevailing prices being from $16 to $16 50

Grain, Per Cwt.			
New wheat, per cwt..	$1 27	to	$1 30
Barley, per cwt.....	1 10	to	1 11
New oats, per cwt....	1 30	to	1 40
Grain, Per Bushel.			
Old wheat, per bu...	85	to	86
New wheat, per bu...	85	to	85
Hungarian seed, per bu	80	to	80
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton.....	16 50	to	17 00
Straw, per ton.....	8 00	to	8 00
Dairy Produce.			
Butter, store lots, lb...	23	to	24
Butter, creamery, lb...	26	to	27
Butter, dairy, wholesale	24	to	26
Butter, fancy, retail, lb	28	to	28
Eggs, fresh-laid, doz..	30	to	30
Eggs, crate, wholesale.	25	to	26
Honey, section, doz...	2 00	to	2 00
Poultry, Dressed.			
Turkeys, lb, retail.....	19	to	19
Turkeys, lb, wholesale.	16	to	17
Turkeys, old toms, lb..	16	to	16
Chickens, per pair.....	1 00	to	1 50
Chickens, lb, wholesale	12	to	13
Old fowl, per lb.....	9	to	10
Spring chickens, lb...	12	to	13
Ducks, per pair, lb.....	1 75	to	1 75
Ducks, lb, wholesale..	12	to	13
Ducks, lb, retail.....	14	to	15
Geese, lb, wholesale...	12	to	12
Geese, lb, retail.....	13	to	14
Poultry, etc., Alive.			
Turkeys, per lb.....	11	to	12
Ducks, per lb.....	9	to	10
Spring chickens, lb....	10	to	11
Old fowl, per lb.....	8	to	10
Butchers' Meats.			
Lamb, per lb.....	10	to	10
Beef, young, cwt.....	8 00	to	9 00
Dressed hogs, choice..	8 00	to	8 50
Heavy hogs, cwt.....	8 00	to	8 00
Veal, per cwt.....	10 00	to	11 00
Beef cows, cwt.....	8 00	to	8 50
Mutton, per cwt.....	8 00	to	9 00
Live Stock.			
Select hogs, cwt.....	5 75		5 75
Fat sows, cwt.....	4 40	to	4 50
Stags, per cwt.....	2 00	to	2 00
Export cattle, cwt....	5 00	to	6 50
Milch cows, each.....	40 00	to	60 00
Small pigs, pair.....	4 00	to	7 00
Hides and Wool.			
Lambskins, each.....	20	to	25
Hides, No. 1, lb.....	9	to	9
Hides, No. 2, lb.....	8	to	8
Hides, No. 3, lb.....	7	to	7
Wool, unwashed, lb....	12	to	12
Wool, washed, lb.....	20	to	20
Calfskins, per lb.....	14	to	14
Tallow, rough, lb.....	4½		4¾
Tallow, rendered, lb...	5		5½
Sheepskins, each.....	1 00	to	1 25
Vegetables.			
Beets, per bunch.....	5	to	10
Cucumbers, per doz....	20	to	20
Squash, per doz.....	80	to	1 00
Green corn, per doz...	12	to	12
Tomatoes, basket.....	25	to	25
Green tomatoes.....	20	to	20
Preserving tomatoes...	35	to	35
Artichokes, per peck..	25	to	25
Parsnips, per bu.....	35	to	40
Potatoes, per bag.....	90	to	1 00
Turnips, per doz.....	20	to	25
Radishes doz bunches	20	to	30
Celery, doz bunches...	40	to	40
Cauliflower, per doz...	75	to	1 50
Carrots, per bu.....	35	to	35
Pickling cucumbers, 100	35	to	40
Flowers.			
Carnations, per doz....	25	to	40
Asters, per doz.doz....	10	to	15
Fruits.			
Apples, per bu.....	50	to	70
Apples, per basket....	25	to	30
Crab apples, basket...	35	to	35
Crab apples, per bu...	1 50	to	1 50
Peaches, per basket...	60	to	75
Quinces, per basket...	50	to	50
Grapes, per basket....	25	to	35
Pears, per bu.....	1 25	to	1 25

PRODUCE

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 21—Close.—Wheat—December, $1 10¼ to $1 10⅜; May, $1 15¼; July, $1 15⅞. No. 1 hard, $1 12⅝; No. 1 northern, $1 12 to $1 12⅛; No. 2 northern, $1 09⅝ to $1 10⅜; No. 3 wheat, $1 05 to $1 06⅞. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 73c. Oats—No. 3 white, 46c to 46½c. Rye—No. 2, 93c to 93½c. Bran—$21 50 to $22. Flour First patents, $5 40 to $5 70; second patents, $5 to $5 30; first clears, $3 90 to $4 25; second clears, $2 80 to $3 30.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 21.—Wheat—Receipts were heavy and offerings very liberal, especially the lower grades: Nos. 1 and 2 are going on the option, but the demand for No. 3 was not quite so good as on Friday. Many export houses were buyers, and much "tough" changed hands. The close showed a sag of ¼c in October, November unchanged, and other months ⅛c to ¼c higher. During the morning October sold at $1 02⅜ to $1 02½, a new high record. Only 15,000 bushels of oats were delivered through the clearing house, and October oats were up ⅜c at the close, but during the morning they sold at ⅝c over Friday. Weather in the Canadian West generally dull and cold. Cash grain: Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 02; No. 2 northern, 99c; No. 3 northern, 95¾c; No. 4, 90¾c; No. 5, 85c. No. 6, 77¾c; feed, 70¾c. No. 1 rejected seeds, 96½c; No. 2, do, 94½c. No. 1 tough, 94½c; No. 2, do, 94c. Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 44c; No. 3 Canadian western, 42c; extra No. 1 feed, 42c. No. 1 feed, 41c; No. 2 feed, 39c. Barley—No. 3, 71½c; No. 4, 61c; rejected, 55c; feed, 50c. Flax—No. 1 northwestern, $2 30.

LIVERPOOL, Oct 21.—Close—Wheat—Spot nominal; futures steady; October not quoted; December, 7s 7d; March, 7s 6¼d. Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, 6s 6d; futures strong; January, 5s 10⅝d; February, 5s 10½d. Flour—Winter patents, 28s 3d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, £10 4s to £10 15s. Beef—Extra India mess, 90s. Pork—Prime mess western, 100s. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 56s 6d. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 56s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, 60s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 56s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, 60s; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 59s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 50s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, 46s 6d. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 46s; United States refined, in pails, 46s 9d. Butter—Good United States, 112s. Cheese—Canadian finest white, 68s 6d; do, colored, 69s. Tallow—Prime city, 35s 6d; Australian, in London, 35s. Turpentine spirits—36s 3d. Rosin—Common, 15s 3d. Petroleum—Refined, 6½d. Linseed oil—42s. Cottonseed oil (Hull refined)—Spot, 27s 7½d.

Toronto, Oct. 21.—Although the market is rather active, it is practically unchanged. A strong undertone is quite apparent.

Oats—Canadian western oats, No. 2, 48½c; No. 3, 47½c; lake imports; Ontario No. 2, 42c to 43c; No. 3, 41c to 42c, track, Toronto.

Wheat—No. 2, red, white or mixed, 86c to 87c outside.

Rye—No. 2, 80c to 82c outside; nominal.

Buckwheat—55c to 57c outside; nominal.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 northern, new, $1.08; No. 2 northern, $1.06; No. 3, northern, $1.03¾; track, lake ports.

Manitoba Flour—Quotations at Toronto: First patents, $5.40; second patents, $4.90; strong bakers, $4.70.

Barley—For malting, 88c to 90c; for feed, 75c to 78c.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 78½c, f.f., bay ports.

Peas—No. 2, 90c to 95c outside; nominal.

Ontario Flour—Winter wheat flour, $3.55, seaboard.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 21.—Wheat closed—October, $1 02⅜; December, 97⅞c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 21—Wheat closed—December, $1 10⅜.

STRATFORD, Oct. 21.—Live hogs continue to fall in price, today's quotations being $5 60 to $5 75 per cwt. Hay is stationary at $15 to $16 per ton. Grain prices are firm, as follows: Wheat, 85c; oats, 42c; barley, 70c to 75c; bran, $22 per ton; shorts, $24 per ton. Butter showed an upward tendency today, selling at 26c to 28c. Eggs, 26c to 27c. Other prices: Potatoes, $1 25 per bag; apples, $1 to $1 25 per bag; chickens, 80c to $1 per pair.

Chatham, Oct. 22.—Fruit was scarcer on Saturday and market prices were higher, peaches commanding $2 50 per bu. Potatoes were lower, at $1 30 per bag. Chickens, 40c to 75c. Ducks, 65c to 75c. Butter, 27c to 28c per lb. Eggs, 25c per dozen. No change in grain, except corn, shelled, up to 65c. Cattle—Common, $2 50 to $4 per cwt; best grades, export, $5 50 to $6. Live hogs steady, at $5 75; increase anticipated. Other live stock prices are steady.

St. Catharines, Oct. 21.—For the first time in several weeks the price of live hogs did not drop on the local market today, last week's figures, $5.75, being again quoted for Monday's delivery. Quotations today were: Potatoes, 80c to 90c. Tomatoes, 35c to 40c. Chickens, 50c to $1.20. Butter, 27c to 29c. Eggs, 29c to 32c. Honey, 12½c to 15c. Dressed pork, $10.50. Wheat, 85c. Loose hay, $14 to $15; baled hay, $18. Hides, 76c to 94½c.

TORONTO, Oct. 23.—There is a steady feeling throughout the market this morning with hardly any changes in prices. Latest quotations: Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, red and mixed, 86c to 87c, in car lots outside. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, new, $1 08½; No. 2 northern, $1 06½; No. 3 northern, $1 03¾, on track at lake ports. Canadian western oats—No. 2, 49c; No. 3, 48c, on track at lake ports. Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 43c to 44c, on cars, and 45c to 46c, on track at Toronto. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 80c, c. i. f., Midland. Peas—No. 2, 90c to 95c for car lots outside. Rye—No. 2, 80c to 82c. Barley—Malting, 90c to 95c outside; feed, 78c to 80c. Buckwheat—New, 54c outside. Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $24 in bags, Toronto delivery; shorts, $25. Ontario bran nominal, at $24 in bags, shorts nominal at $26. Manitoba flour—First patents, $5.30, second patents, $4.80, strong bakers, $4.60. Ontario flour—Winter flour, 90 per cent patents, $3 55 to $3 57, Montreal freight.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

WINNIPEG, Oct. 23.—Wheat closed: October, $1 02; December, 97½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 23.—Wheat closed. December, $1 10⅝.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	$1 02⅝	$1 02⅝	$1 01⅛	$1 01⅝
May	1 06¾	1 07⅛	1 06⅝	1 06½
Corn—				
Dec.	65¾	65¾	65	65⅛
May	66⅝	66⅝	66⅛	66¼
Oats—				
Dec.	48⅛	48⅛	47¾	47¾
May	50⅝	50⅝	50¼	50¼
Pork—				
Jan.	15 80	15 95	15 72	15 72
Lard—				
Jan.	9 05	9 07	9 00	9 05
Short Ribs—				
Jan.	8 20	8 22	8 12	8 15

SEEDS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—No. 2 rye, 97½c. Timothyseed, $13 to $15 25. Clover, $14

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 36,000; market 10c to 15c lower; beeves, $4 70 to $8 25; Texas steers, $4 to $6, western steers, $4 15 to $7 10; stockers and feeders, $3 25 to $5 70; cows and heifers, $2 to $6; calves, $5 to $9. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 35,000; market steady to a shade lower; light, $6 to $6 65; heavy, $6 05 to $6 67½; rough, $6 05 to $6 25; good to choice heavy, $6 25 to $6 60; pigs, $3 75 to $6; bulk of sales at $6 40 to $6 60; sheep, receipts estimated at 70,000; market steady to 10c lower; natives, $2 25 to $3 70; westerns, $2 40 to $3 80; yearlings, $3 60 to $4 40; lambs, natives, $4 to $6 10; westerns, $4 to $6 10.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady. Closing bids: October 9.28c, November 9.31c, December 9.47c, January 9.32c, February 9.33c, March 9.45c, April 9.48c, May 9.57c, June 9.65c, July 9.69c, August 9.64c, September 9.58c. Spot closed quiet, 30 points higher; middling uplands, 9.75c, do gulf 10c, sales none.

EAST BUFFALO, Oct. 21.—Cattle—Receipts 125 head; firm. Veals—Receipts, 100 head; market active and 25c lower at $5 50 to $9 25. Hogs—Receipts, 4,500 head; active and steady to 5c lower; heavy and mixed, $6 85 to $6 90, a few at $7; pigs, $6 10 to $6 25; roughs, $5 90 to $6; dairies, $6 50 to $6 85. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; sheep slow and steady; lambs active and 10c higher; lambs, $4 to $6 35.

DAIRY.

Following were the offerings on the London Dairymen's Exchange on Saturday: Pond Mills, 75, sold at 14⅝c; West Nissouri, 85, sold at 14¾c; Blanchard and Nissouri, 65; Gold Creek, 22, sold at 14¾c; North Branch, 25; 272 boxes offered; 182 sold as above; bidding from 13½c to 14¾c.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Oct 21.—Cheese—Sales, 5,000 boxes at 13¼c to 13⅜c.

CANTON, N. Y. Oct. 21.—Seventeen hundred tubs of butter sold at 29½c; 2,100 boxes of cheese at 13¾c; output less each week.

COWANSVILLE, Que., Oct. 21.—At the regular meeting of the Eastern Townships Dairymen's Association, held here this afternoon, 19 factories offered 701 packages of butter. No cheese boarded. Eight buyers present. Six hundred and seventy-six packages of butter sold at 27¼c; 25 packages of butter unsold.

ST. HYACINTHE, Que., Oct. 21.—At the butter and cheese board meeting today, butter sold at 26c and cheese at 13⅝c per lb.

BELLEVILLE, Oct. 21.—One thousand one hundred and forty boxes of cheese were offered for sale here today; sales were 425 at 13⅞c and 520 at 13 13-16c.

SUGAR.

TORONTO, Oct. 21.—Sugars are quoted in Toronto in bags as follows: Granulated, Redpath's, $5 90; do, St. Lawrence, $5 85; do, imperial, $5 80; do, Beaver, $5 80; No. 2 yellow, St. Lawrence, $5 60; No. 1 yellow, Acadia, $5 35; do, unbranded, $5 35.

BEANS

TORONTO, Oct. 21.—Beans—Trade was quiet, with prices steady; small lots of hand-picked are quoted at $2 25 to $2 30 per bu. Honey—Extracted, in tins, is quoted at 10c to 11c per lb; combs, $2 50 to $2 75. Baled hay—The market is firmer, with receipts limited; No. 1 is quoted at $15 to $16 on track, and inferior at $12 to $13. Baled straw—The market is quiet, with prices quoted at $6 50 to $7, or track at Toronto. Potatoes—Receipts are fair, with prices steady; car lots are quoted at 95c to $1.

LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO, Oct. 23.—Although the run is fairly heavy, choice cattle seem to be wanting on the market this morning. Nearly all the butcher cattle are of the common and medium class. Light butcher cattle are off about 20c, but heavy butchers do not show such a decrease. The receipts show 119 cars, comprising 2,211 cattle, 28 calves, 811 hogs, 1,079 sheep. Latest quotations: Export cattle, choice, cwt, $5 85 to $6 15; do, medium, $5 40 to $5 75; do, bulls, $4 50 to $5; butcher cattle, choice, $5 75 to $5 90; do, good, $5 50 to $5 70; do, medium, $5 to $5 20; do, common, $4 to $4 75; do, cows, good, $4 25 to $5; do, medium, $3 50 to $4; do, common, $2 75 to $3 50; do, bulls, $3 50 to $5; feeders, heavy, $4 50 to $5 20; feeding bulls, $3 25 to $4; stockers, light, $3 to $3 50; canners, $1 50 to $2; milkers, choice, each, $60 to $90; do, common and medium, each, $29 to $50; springers, $45 to $75; calves, each, $5 to $8 75; sheep, ewes, $3 50 to $4; do, bucks and culls, $3 to $3 50; lambs, $5 20 to $5 60; hogs, fed and watered, $5; do, f. o. b., $5 75.

FINANCIAL.

COBALT STOCKS.

TORONTO, Oct. 21.—Following were Cobalt closing prices to day:

	Sellers.	Buyers.
Beaver Con.	45	44
Buffalo Mines	1.75	1.25
Canadian Gold Fields..	2½	2
Chambers-Ferland	12½	11¾
City of Cobalt	11	9
Cobalt Lake	28½	28
Coniagas M. and S.	46.00	42.00
Foster Cobalt	..	2
Great Northern	14	13½
Green Meehan	1½	1⅛
Kerr Lake	3.00	2.00
Little Nipissing	2⅞	2
McKinley Darragh	1.85	1.80
Nova Scotia	11	10
Orphir Cobalt	11	10
Peterson Lake	7½	7
Right of Way	8	7
Rochester	2½	2
Silver Leaf	2	2
Temiskaming	28½	27½
Wettlaufer, xd.	80	75
Apex	17	16
Doble	1.40	1.25
Gifford Extension	75	74
Hollinger	11.40	11.25
Hudson	17	16
Peari Lake	66	65
Preston E. Dome	22½	22½
Swastika	36	35
Vipond	42½	42
West Dome	1.15	1.12

(From Charles Head & Co., by private wire to J. J. Tearney.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Now for a letter—In the last half of the first hour, a strong tone developed, prices moving up all a point in the leading issues, with most of business confined to the issues in which there is active public interest. Steel commenced in this uptrend, and was followed closely on both the early recession and later advance by Union Pacific and Reading. Trading even in these stocks was almost entirely professional, few outside orders being in evidence and the price movements simply reflected the changing of position by some of the more important room traders. Lorillard was a moderate seller of Union Pacific and Steel, common, the foreign selling amounting in all to about 5,000 shares. The Government action against Union Pacific has been set for a hearing by the supreme court on Jan. 8 next.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.

[From Charles Head & Co., by private wire to J. J. Tearney.]

	Open.	High.	Low.	2pm
Amal. Copper	53	53½	52⅝	53½
Anaconda Copper.....	34½	..	..	..
Amer. Beet Sugar.	58¾	59¼	58½	58¾
Amer. Smelters.....	65	65¾	65	65½
Atchison, com.....	106⅝	107	106⅝	107
Baltimore & Ohio.....	96⅝	97	96⅝	97
Brooklyn Transit	74⅝	..	..	..
Canadian Pacific.....	229¾	230¼	229¾	230
Central Leather.....	21¾	..	..	..
Chesapeake & Ohio	71½	72⅜	71⅛	72
Consolidated Gas	138½	..	..	..
Erie, com	30¾	30½	30¼	30½
Erie, 1st pfd.....	49½	50	49½	50
G. Northern, pfd.....	123½	123¾	123½	123¾
G. Northern Ore	42¾	42¾	41¾	41¾
Inter-Harvester.....	104	107½	104	107½
Inter-Metropolitan.	14¾	..	..	..
Inter-Met., pfd.....	44½	..	..	..
Kansas & Texas.....	34	..	..	..
Lehigh Valley	164¾	165¼	163⅞	165¼
Minn. & St. Paul.....	137¾	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific.....	39¾	39¾	39¼	39¾
New York Central.	105½	105⅞	105½	105¾
Northern Pacific.....	117¾	117¾	117¼	117¾
Norfolk & Western	105¾	105¾	105¼	105¾
Pennsylvania	122¾	..	..	..
Reading	139¾	140¾	139	140⅝
Rock Island	24¾	..	..	..
Southern Railway.....	29¼	..	..	..
Southern Pacific.....	108¾	109¼	108⅝	109¼
St. Paul	108	108¼	107¾	108¾
Texas Pacific	24¾	..	..	..
Union Pacific	162	163¼	161⅞	163¼
Utah Copper	44¼	44¾	44¼	44¾
U. S. Rubber.....	42¼	42¾	42½	42½
U. S. Steel.....	59¾	60⅜	59	60⅜
U. S. Steel, pfd.....	109½	109	109½	109¾
Virginia Chemical..	47½	..	..	..
Western Union	68½	..	..	..

TORONTO MARKET.

Morning Sales: Black Lake, 5 at 4; Pacific Burt, preferred, 1 at 89; Consumers' Gas, 50 at 192; Nipissing, 50 at 7½, 110 at 7¾; Mackay, 10 at 88, 15 at 88; do, preferred, 25 at 72⅞, 58 at 73; Sao Paulo, 100 at 178¾, 5 at 177½; Locomotive, preferred, 2 at 90¼; Sawyer-Massey, 10 at 30; Dominion Telegraph, 10 at 106; Cement, 175 at 28⅝, 25 at 28½, 100 at 28¾, 300 at 28⅝; do, preferred, 25 at 89½; Bell Telephone, 4 at 142; do, rights, 6 at 2¾, 15 at 2⅞; Maple Leaf, 25 at 62½, 10 at 62⅝; do, preferred, 30 at 98¼, 10 at 98½; Crown Reserve, 100 at 290; B. C. Packers, A, 50 at 90¼; Porto Rico, 5 at 50, 10 at 59; Dominion Bank, 17 at 225; Shredded Wheat, 10 at 72; General Electric, 10 at 105¾; Rio, 50 at 114, 35 at 114⅛, 4 at 114¼; Duluth-Superior, 3 at 81½, 50 at 82; R. and O., 25 at 123¾. Russell Motor, preferred, 11 at 103; Traders' Bank, 5 at 143; Bank of Commerce, 21 at 207¼; Electrical Development, bonds, $3,000 at 88¾.

Today's Sales—Montreal.

Street, 55 at 221¼, 5 at 221¾, 100 at 222, 125, 60 at 114, 225 at 114¼, 10 at 111½; Showinigan, 1 at 115, 25 at 116, 10 at 115¾, 200 at 116½, 30 at 116¾; Quebec Railway, 25 at 35½, 50 at 35, 10 at 36, 50 at 35¾; Detroit 200 at 75½, 150 at 75¾, 75 at 75⅝, 150 at 75¾, 225 at 75½, 50 at 75¾, 25 at 75¼, 20 at 75½, 225 at 74½, 300 at 75, 30 at 75¼; Twin City, 10 at 107; Illinois, preferred, 5 at 89½; Sao Paulo, 5 at 178; Rich Heu and Ontario, 150 at 123, 570 at 123¾, 100 at 123½, 275 at 124; Ottawa Light and Power, 50 at 144¾, 75 at 144½; Telephone, 31 at 142; Toronto Railway bonus stock, 25 at 136; Pacific, 175 at 29¾; Showinigan rights, 4393 at 72, 326 at 72¼; Telephone rights 232 at 7¼; Toronto Railway, 3 at 136; Power, 75 at 174¾, 1 at 175½, 50 at 174¾, 250 at 174¾; 75 at 175; Cement, 25 at 28½, 3 at 29, 1600 at 28¾, 550 at 28½, 30 at 28¾, 227 at 28¾, 200 at 28½, 30 at 28⅝, 5 at 28¾, 242 at 28¾, 5 at 28¾, 50 at 28⅝, 275 at 28¼; Cement, preferred, 10 at 89½, 1 at 89¾, 75 at 84¼, 20 0at 89¾; Crown Reserve, 10 at 292, 200 at 290, 1700 at 300; Ogilvie, 10 at 133; Woods common, 320 at 144; Steel Corporation, 225 at 58¼, 10 at 58¼, 4 at 59, 90 at 58½, 25 at 58¾, 50 at 58¼; Canada Car, 6 at 66¼, 50 at 68, 50 at 79; Packers A., 50 at 90; Iron bonds, 5000 at 94; Cement bonds, 500 at 100; Porto Rico bonds, 2000 at 90¼; Merchants' Bank, 74 at 197¾; Bank of Montreal, 3 at 210¼; Nova Scotia Bank, 6 at 278; Union Bank, 14 at 149.

ABANDONS FLIGHT.

Davenport, Iowa, Oct. 23.—Aviator Hugh Robinson, who was to have flown in his aeroplane from Minneapolis to New Orleans, ended his flight at Rock Island, Ill., and yesterday packed up his machine and left for Enid, Cal., to fill exhibition dates. Failure of cities to raise funds necessary to pay expenses was given as the cause.

LOCAL ITEMS

—Mrs. Hanson and family, of Chester street, South London, wish to thank their neighbors and friends for many kindnesses and sympathy accorded them through their recent bereavement in the death of a loved husband and father.

Welsh Singers.

The famous Royal Moelwyn Choir of Wales will pay a visit to London next week for three nights. They will hold forth in the Auditorium.

Bids Too Low.

Properties of the McLaren estate on Beaconsfield avenue and Victor street were offered for sale at auction by Mr. A. M. Hunt on Saturday afternoon, but as the bids did not reach the reserve all were withdrawn.

Niagara Power.

The financial statement of the city electrical department will be ready in about ten days. City Auditor Jewell and Secretary Ellwood are working on it, and within the time mentioned it will be ready for the city council.

To Inspect the Seventh.

General Otter will arrive in this city some time this evening to inspect the Seventh Regiment. The inspection will be called at 8:30 o'clock. Tomorrow evening General Otter will inspect the Twenty-first Regiment at Windsor.

Shannon—Plewes.

A quiet wedding was performed in Ottawa Saturday when Miss Leah Plewes, of Bathurst street, this city, was united in marriage to Mr. Audrey Shannon, a former resident of London. The couple will reside in Ottawa.

A Hockey League.

The Manufacturers' Athletic Association are making preparations to form a hockey league this winter, and to this end a meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening to make arrangements. Representatives from each firm wishing to enter teams are requested to be present.

An Alleged Vagrant.

William McLeod, an aged man, whose home is in Ilderton, was arrested Saturday by County Constable Paisley charged with vagrancy. He was brought to this city and sent down for a week remand by Squire Chittick. It is charged that McLeod was begging from the people of the neighborhood.

A Garbage System.

The board of health and the board of works will confer on Thursday evening next to discuss an inclinerator proposition for the destruction of city garbage. The necessary information is practically all in the hands of City Architect Nuttall, and it will be presented at the meeting. A bylaw will be submitted to the citizens in January.

Dundas Street Hill.

Although the weatherman today is giving a hint of what is to come, and colder weather may be expected shortly, Dundas street hill is being exavated for the new pavement. The old roadway is being plowed up with four-horse hitches, and it is intended to rush the job to omplletion as speedily as possible. The street railway company has finished and it is expected that the road will be in first-class shape within a couple of weeks.

Death of Edward P. Evans.

The death of Edward Price Evans took place late Saturday evening at his late residence, 216 Clarence street, after a brief illness. The late Mr. Evans was in his 86th year, and was born in Llandium, Wales. He is survived by his wife, one son, Fred, and two daughters, all of this city. The funeral will be held from his late residence on Tuesday, at 2:30 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Looking For Work.

John Nolan was charged in the police court this morning with trespassing on the C. P. R. Nolan stated that he was trying to make his way to Toronto, where he expected to find work. He had come from Fort Frances, mostly on the tenders of engines. He suddenly discovered that he was acquainted in this city, however, and thought if given a chance he could get work. He was allowed to go.

After Delinquents.

Major Hayes, city tax collector, has issued 132 warrants for delinquents who have not yet paid their taxes for 1910. The majority of them have been served, but many more will be issued in a few days. "We have to get the taxes," said Major Hayes. "The city must be paid. We very rarely have to make a seizure, the people paying their taxes very promptly. But we always have some delinquents, and this year we have no more than usual.

Brantford Woman Arrested.

The local police received word this morning from Brantford that a Mrs. Mary Dent, of that city, was thought to be in London. She was wanted in Brantford on a charge of fraud and obtaining goods under false pretences, and the authorities in Brantford wanted her very badly. A couple of hours later she was taken into custody here, and will be taken back to Brantford this afternoon to stand trial.

Street Railway Meeting.

The shareholders and directors of the London Street Railway Company will meet here on Wednesday of this week to consider the proposal to increase the bond issue $750,000 and the stock a similar amount. President H. A. Everett and Mr. G. W. Moore, of Cleveland, one of the directors, will be present, as well as other large holders of stock. It is probable that a successor to the late secretary-treasurer, George T. Bentson, will be named at this meeting.

Sermon on the Mount.

"Today the Socialist and the Labor parties are demanding that the words of Christ as spoken in the Sermon on the Mount, shall be enacted into legislation. The life and teachings of Christ are becoming more and more recognized as the basis of the highest attainable code of human conduct," said Rev. C. H. Emmerson, of Brantford, who preached in Talbot Street Baptist Church last night. Rev. Mr. Emmerson selected as his text the words of Pilate, "Behold the Man" and his sermon dealt with the life of Christ as the guiding light of humanity. Rev. H. H. Bingham, the pastor of Talbot Street Church, is attending a conference of Baptist ministers in Montreal.

Sermon on Freedom.

"Freedom," was the subject of an intensely interesting sermon which Rev. W. L. Steeves, of Egerton Street Baptist Church, preached last evening to a large audience. His text was found in Romans vi., 22: "But now being made free from sin, and become servants to God, ye have your fruit unto holiness, and the end everlasting life." His sermon embraced three heads, freedom, the fruit of freedom, and the reward of freedom. A duet was rendered by Misses Maggie Pierce and Emma Graham. An after-service was held, to which a large number of those present remained. Special evangelistic services are being held every night this week, and will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Steeves, and others.

ABRAHAM RUSSELL DEAD.

Hamilton, Ont. 23.—Abraham Russell, father of Roselle Knott, the celebrated actress, died here on Saturday afternoon, aged 86 years. Miss Knott arrived here from New York just a few hours before the end.

TAXICAB DRIVER MADE A QUICK STOP

By Clever Work Saves Life of Boy On a Bicycle.

John Johnson, a driver of one of Mitchell's taxicabs, saved a young lad's life on Saturday night by swinging around the corner of King and Richmond streets at great risk to himself and the auto.

The lad was riding a bicycle, and turned directly in front of the machine. Although the pavements were greasy, Johnson jammed on the brakes and the motor swung completely around.

It looked for a momenta s if it would crash into the street corner, but Johnson by clever work succeeded in preventing an accident. The boy on the bicycle made off, whistling.

The taxi was not damaged.

DOMINION W. C. T. U. IN ANNUAL MEETING

The Seventeenth Convention Opened at Sherbrooke, Quebec.

[Canadian Press.]

Sherbrooke, Que., Oct. 23.—The seventeenth convention of the Dominion W. C. T. U. opened in Plymouth Hall this morning. About 80 delegates from all over Canada were present. Mrs. A. A. Gordon, superintendent of evangelistic department made the convention address in Plymouth Church. Mrs. Gordon, in a stirring address, dealt with the cigarette habit and what it was causing among boys. She prayed for co-operation of every man and woman in an effort to do away with this curse as well as with liquor and white slave traffic. Mrs. Gordon stated that in the Dominion of Canada last year 1,500 girls disappeared from sight, having fallen victims to the white slave traffic.

In the city of Chicago, the boast was openly made that the brightest and best victims secured were Canadian girls.

This morning at 9 o'clock the regular business meeting began and will be continued until Thursday afternoon. This evening's meeting will be held in the Art Hall, with the Dominion president in the chair. An address of welcome will be read by Mrs. S. A. Jones, president of the Sherbrooke W. C. T. U., and from the city, tendered by Mayor Cale.

In all churches yesterday prayers were offered up for the success of the work being carried on by the W. C. T. U. all over the world.

HALL NOT FIT FOR ROYAL HOME

Monk Orders Sweeping Changes For Residence at Ottawa.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—Hon. F. D. Monk has issued a sweeping order for changes on the residence of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, Rideau Hall, as a result of a request by the comptroller of the duke's household that the place be inspected. It has been found that Rideau Hall at its stands is not a fit place for royalty and drastic changes in plumbing and other features of the building will be made. In fact a hurry-up order has gone forth, and the work is already under way.

DEATH OF BERNARD WOODS

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