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COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

Little Falls and Utica Cheese Markets Dull and Lower.

Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph.

The London (Eng.) Stock Market Rampant—Everybody Scrambling to Buy.

The London Stock Market Rampant.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—The stock market was rampant at the close. Everybody was scrambling to purchase securities and prices leaped upward 2 per cent. at a bound.

LONDON, Nov. 11—Noon—The stock market is feverish. Nearly everybody is buying to close bear accounts. Money is much easier owing to the rumor that much gold has gone in to the Bank of England.

LONDON, Nov. 11—2:30 p.m.—At this hour the stock market is more quiet and prices are more steady. The account has been pretty well arranged. Rates for continuance of loans are much lower. Only one small failure has been reported.

London Money Market.

LONDON, Nov. 11—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 94 3-16 for money, 94 7-16 for account; U. S. 4s, 126⅝; U. S. 4½s, 106½; St. Paul, 48½; Erie seconds, 101; Erie, 18⅝; Pacific Central, 52; Reading, 15; Canadian Pacific, 75¾; New York Central, 98⅝; Illinois Central, 95; bank rate, 6 per cent.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11—1 p.m.—Stock market active and heavy; American Express, 114; Canadian Pacific, 73⅞; Canada Southern, 48½; Delaware and Hudson, 132½; Delaware and Lackawanna, 135; Lake Shore, 104½; Michigan Central, 95¾; Northern Pacific, 21, preferred, 62½; New York Central, 92½; St. Paul, —, preferred, 103¾; St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba, 104; Union Pacific, 46⅝; Western Union, 76½.

Toronto Stock Market.

TORONTO, Nov. 11.

	Ask.	Off.
Montreal	228	226
Ontario	120½	118
Molsons	—	—
Toronto	226	221
Merchants	147	145
Commerce	129½	129
Commerce, ex-div	126½	126½
Imperial	157	155½
Dominion	232	229
Standard	—	147
Hamilton	—	155
British America	110	107
Western Assurance	144	142½
Canada Life	—	—
Confederation Life Association	—	—
Northwest Land Company	76	75
C. P. R. Grant Bonds	—	—
C. P. R. Stock	74½	73¾
Farmers' Loan and Savings	—	—
London and Canada L. & A.	124½	—
London and Ontario	—	115½
Huron and Erie	—	120
Dominion Savings and Loan	85¾	81½
Ontario Loan and Debenture	—	—
Canadian Savings and Loan	—	—
London Loan	—	—

SALES—Commerce, 90 at 129, 25 at 129¼; Commerce, ex-div., 50 at 127, 25 and 25 at 126½; Northwest Land, 31 at 76.

Finance Notes.

The Bank of France has consented to supply Madrid with £300,000 gold.

In the terrible excitement on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday one of its members dropped dead. On this account business was suspended half an hour. Dealings reached 513,827 shares of listed and 65,500 unlisted.

A private dispatch from London says that it is very probable that the Bank of England rate will be raised to 7 per cent. this week, and unless the Bank of France lets out some of its gold the rate will be advanced even to 8 per cent., especially because it is very probable that there will be considerable withdrawals of gold for shipment to Scotland. The same cable said that both the Banks of France and Germany had advanced their rates to 6½ per cent.

Jay Gould, when questioned to-day concerning the great fall of prices in Wall street, said: "There is a very great depression, but there is no doubt the market would have righted itself if the trouble in London had not come up. How much farther things will go I do not know. I only know that anyone who has the courage to buy now and the patience to wait will make money. So far as I know anything about the different properties they are all right and there is no reason for the present low prices. The railroads are all doing very well." Mr. Gould thought that six months from now present prices would look ridiculously low. He claimed that of late there had been considerable buying of stocks outright.

On the London Stock Exchange yesterday the feeling of alarm and apprehension as to the results of the coming settlement became intense. Every kind of security was freely sold. American railroads were panicky, and the depression was especially marked in dealings in the street. On cable advices reporting declines in New York heavy sales were made here. The leading Provincial exchanges show a rapid increase of distrust. The day's fall in American railroads ranges from 1½ to 5. The future of the gold movement is obscure. Several financial houses in Paris are trying to induce the Bank of France to assist English firms to complete an engagement to deliver £500,000 gold in Madrid during the week. If the Bank of France accedes its action will tend to avert an increase of the Bank of England rate of discount and to ease the settlement. Prices on the Bourse at Paris to-day were fairly steady, though foreign securities fluctuated somewhat. At Berlin there was a favorable feeling on the opening of the Boerse today, but prices relapsed on advices from London and closed weak, with a fractional fall in foreigners, mines and local speculative stocks. The Bank of the Netherlands has advanced its rate of discount from 3 per cent. to 3½ per cent.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son.

LONDON, Tuesday, Nov. 11.

There was no alteration in values to-day outside of oats, which ruled high all day and closed firm at $1 16 to $1 22; about $1 18 and $1 20 was the general prices paid. In provisions only one change of importance is noticeable—that in potatoes. The market for these was glutted and best qualities sold at 60c per bag by the load. Hay was plentiful but firm at $7 50 to $8. General quotations are as follows:

GRAIN.			
Wheat, per standard bush	$0 93	to	$0 95
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 57
Wheat, Deihl, per 100 lbs	00	to	00
Wheat, Democrat, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 57
Wheat, Clawson, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 57
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs	1 50	to	1 57
Rye, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
Buckwheat	90	to	1 00
Oats	1 16	to	1 22
Corn	1 00	to	1 10
Pease	95	to	0 97
Beans, per bush	1 15	to	1 30
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	to	1 00
FLOUR AND FEED.			
Patent roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 75	to	3 00
Roller flour, per 100 lbs	2 50	to	2 75
Stone flour, stone	2 50	to	2 50
Buckwheat flour	0 00	to	0 00
Oatmeal, standard	2 40	to	2 50
Oatmeal, granulated	2 40	to	2 60
Oatmeal, rolled	2 60	to	2 80
Cornmeal	2 00	to	2 25
PROVISIONS.			
Eggs, retail	21	to	23
Eggs, basket	18	to	20
Eggs, store lots	16	to	18
Butter, pound rolls, basket	20	to	22
Butter, crock or large rolls	18	to	20
Butter, tub or firkin	14	to	18
Cheese	9	to	10
Lard		to	10
Turnips, per bush	25	to	25
Carrots, per bush	20	to	30
Potatoes, per bag	55	to	65
Parsnips, per bag	60	to	60
Onions, per bush	50	to	70
Apples, bag	80	to	1 00
Dressed hogs	5 00	to	5 50
Beef, per lb	5 00	to	6 00
Mutton, per lb	6	to	7
Lamb, per lb	8	to	9
Veal, per lb	5	to	6
Chickens, per pair	35	to	60
Ducks, per pair	50	to	70
Turkeys, each	1 00	to	2 00
HAY, ETC.			
Hay, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Clover seed, per bush	0 00	to	0 00
Straw, per load	2 00	to	3 00
Timothy seed, per bush	0 00	to	0 00
Flax seed, per bush	00	to	00
Bran	14 00	to	16 00
Shorts	18 00	to	20 00
SKINS AND HIDES.			
Hides, No. 1, per lb	5	to	5
Hides, No. 2, per lb	4	to	4
Hides, No. 3, per lb	0	to	0
Wool, per lb	18	to	18
Calfskins, green, per lb	5	to	6
Calfskins, dry, per lb	0	to	0
Lambskins, each	50	to	65
Sheepskins, each	60	to	85
Pelts	00	to	0
Tallow, rendered, per lb	5	to	6
Tallow, rough, per lb	2½	to	2½

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Montreal Market.

MONTREAL, Nov. 11.

FLOUR—Receipts, 6,600 bbls; sales, reported none. Market quiet and steady; prices unchanged. Quotations: Patents, winter, $5 25 to $5 75; spring, $5 50 to $5 65; straight roller, $4 75 to $4 80; extra, $4 40 to $4 50; superfine, $3 25 to $4 25; strong bakers, $5 25 to $5 50; Ontario bags, $1 50 to $2 25; city bags $5 55 to $5 75.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 20 to $1 20; corn, 70c to 70c; peas, 75c to 76c; oats, 40c to 43c; barley, 55c to 70c; rye, 66c to 68c.

MEAL—Oatmeal, $4 75 to $5 00; cornmeal, $3 00 to $3 10.

PROVISIONS—Pork, 16½c to 16¾c per lb., lard, 9c to 10c; bacon, 10c to 12c; hams, 12c to 13c; cheese, 8c to 10c; butter, townships, 18c to 21c; Morrisburg, 16c to 21c; Western, 12c to 15c; creamery, 18c to 22c; eggs, steady, 17c to 18c.

English Markets.

Beerbohm's Report by Cable.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

Floating cargoes—Wheat quiet, corn strong.

Arrivals—Wheat, 1, corn, 1; sold, wheat, 1, corn, 1; waiting orders, wheat, 2, corn, 1.

Cargoes on passage—Wheat steady, corn strong.

Mark Lane—Spot, good, Danube corn, 23s 6d, was 23s 3d; prompt, 23s 6d, was 23s; good cargoes Australian wheat off coast, 38s 6d, was 38s 3d; present and following month, 37s 6d, was 38s; do. Chilian off coast, 36s 9d, was 36s 3d; present and following month, 36s 6d, was 36s 3d; do. Walla off coast, 36s 9d, was 36s 3d; present and following month, 39s 6d, was 36s 3d.

London—Good ship ping, No. 1 California wheat prompt sail 37s 6d, was 37s 9d; do. nearly due 38s, was 37s 9d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat slow corn strong; No. 1 California wheat, 7s 7½d—½d cheaper; Walla, 7s 5d, American red winter, 7s 5½d; India, 7s 9d; flour, 26s 6d—all four unchanged; corn, 4s 10½d—½d dearer; peas, 5s 5½d—½d dearer.

On passage to United Kingdom—Wheat, 2,013,000 qrs.; corn, 380,000 qrs.; to continent—Wheat, 566,000 qrs.; corn, 110,000 qrs.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 11.

The quotations for the past three market days are as follows:

	Nov. 8.			Nov. 10.			Nov. 11.		
	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.	S.	D.
Spring	7	7½	7	8	7	7½	7	8	7	7½	7	8
Red winter	7	5½	0	0	7	5	0	0	7	5½	0	0
No. 1 Cal.	7	8	0	0	7	8	0	0	7	7½	0	0
Corn	4	9	0	0	4	9½	0	0	4	10	0	0
Peas, per c.	5	5	0	0	5	5	0	0	5	5½	0	0
Pork	57	6	0	0	57	0	0	0	57	0	0	0
Lard	31	6	0	0	31	0	0	0	31	9	0	0
Bacon, s. c.	30	6	00	0	30	6	00	0	30	6	00	0
Bacon, l. c.	30	6	33	0	30	6	33	0	30	6	33	0
Tallow	25	9	00	0	25	6	00	0	25	6	00	0
Cheese, wh.	49	0	00	0	48	6	00	0	48	6	00	0
Cheese, col.	49	0	00	0	48	6	00	0	48	6	00	0

Wheat quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn strong, demand poor.

Receipts of wheat for the part three days, 48,000 centals, no American; corn for same time, 44,000, centals American.

Weather in England partly raining.

Toronto Market.

TORONTO, Nov. 11.

WHEAT—Spring, No. 2, 93c to 94c; red winter, No. 2, 97c to 97c.

BARLEY—No. 1, 60c to 63c; No. 2, 58c to 58c; No. 3 extra, 54c to 55c.

PEAS—No. 2, 64c to 65c.

OATS—No. 2, 40c to 41c.

FLOUR—Extra, $4 10 to $4 15; straight roller, $4 30 to $4 35; superfine, $3 50 to $3 60; fine, $3 to $3 25.

Market dull. Sales—Straight roller flour at equal to $4 25 here; No. 2 Manitoba hard for delivery next week at $1 12; oats to arrive at 41c, on track at 40½c and outside at 38½c; extra No. 3 barley on track at 53c; No. 2 do outside at equal to 58c here; peas outside at 58c.

American Markets.

OSWEGO, Nov. 10.

WHEAT—Lower; white State at $1 04.

CORN—Quiet; No. 2 yellow at 63c.

BARLEY—Quiet; No. 2 Canada, nominally at 85c; No. 2 extra Canada at 89c; No. 1 Canada at 94c.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 11.

WHEAT—Quiet; 92½c cash and Nov., 93⅜c Dec.

DETROIT, Nov. 11.

WHEAT—No. 1 white, 96c cash; No. 2 red, 98c bid cash, 99½c bid Dec., $1 05¾ bid May.

TOLEDO, Nov. 11.

WHEAT—97½c cash, 99c bid Dec., $1 05 bid May.

CORN—54½c cash, 52½c Dec., 54½c May.

OATS—46c cash; 47c May.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.

LEADING FUTURES CLOSED:

WHEAT—Nov., 95½c; Dec., 97½c; May, $1 04⅜.

CORN—Nov., 52c; Dec., 51½c; May, 54½c.

OATS—Nov., 43c; Dec., 43½c; May, 46c.

MESS PORK—Dec., $9 75; Jan., $11 90; May, $12 70.

LARD—Dec., $6 15; Jan., $6 40; May, $6 85.

SHORT RIBS—Dec., $5 45; Jan., $5 80; May, $6 27½.

CASH QUOTATIONS.

Flour quiet; easy; slightly lower; No. 2 spring and No. 2 red wheat, 95½c; No. 2 corn, 52½c; No. 2 oats, 43c; No. 2 rye, 66½c; No. 2 barley, 80c; No. 3, f. o. b., 62c to 78c; No. 4 do., 60c to 67c; mess pork, $9 75; lard, $6 10; short rib sides, $5 40; dry salted shoulders, $5 50 to $5 62½; short clear sides, $5 75 to $5 85.

Receipts—			
Flour, bbls	16,000	Wheat, bu	82,000
Corn, bu	129,000	Oats, bu	200,000
Rye, bu	6,000	Barley, bu	124,000
Shipments—			
Flour, bbls	11,000	Wheat, bu	72,000
Corn, bu	191,000	Oats, bu	239,000
Rye, bu	5,000	Barley, bu	56,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.

FLOUR—Receipts heavy; quiet; unsettled.

WHEAT—Receipts, 84,900 bu; exports, 30,000 bu; sales, 4,176,000 bu futures; 98,000 bu spot; spot lower; unsettled, with options closing steadier; moderate business; No. 2 red, $1 03½ to $1 03¾, elevator; options declined 1½c to 1¾c on light money, but reacted ⅜c to ½c, closing firm on expectations of an easier money market to-morrow; No. 2 red, Nov., $1 03½; Dec., $1 04½; Jan., $1 05⅜; May, $1 08½; July, $1 04.

RYE—Strong; 76c to 77c.

BARLEY—Strong; sales, 100,000 bu western on p. t.; No. 2 Milwaukee, 80c to 81c; ungraded western, 77c to 98c; Oswego, No. 1, 98c to $1; No. 2, 92c to 94c.

BARLEY MALT—Quiet; Canada country made, 90c to 1c; city do, $1 to $1 10.

CORN—Receipts, 83,850 bu; exports, 38,443 bu; sales, 920,000 bu futures; 124,000 bu spot; spot stronger, moderatively active; ungraded mixed, 59½c to 61½c; options advanced ½c to 1c; firmer on light offerings; Nov., 59½c; Dec., 60c; Jan., 60c; May, 60½c.

OATS—Receipts, 169,900 bu; sales, 185,000 bu futures; 87,000 bu spot; spot dull, closing steadier; options firmer; dull; Nov., 45½c; Dec., 49½c; May, 51½c; spot No. 2 48½c; mixed western, 46½c to 51c; white do, 50c to 57c.

SUGAR—Quiet; standard "A," 6 3-16c; cutloaf and crushed, 6 11-16c; powdered, 6½c; granulated, 6½c.

Live Stock Markets.

MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Nov. 10.—About 400 head of butchers' cattle, 450 sheep and lambs and 20 calves offered at the East End Abattoir today; 4c per lb was about the highest price paid, but butchers would gladly have paid 4½c per lb for prime beeves, had any been here. Common and inferior stock were dull, at about former rates, and the larger number of sales were made at from 2½c to 3c per lb, though the leaner beasts brought less than 2c per lb. A dozen stockers sold from 2½c to 2¾c per lb. There were no good calves offered to-day, prices $2 50 to $6 each. Shippers are still buying sheep, at about 3½c per lb, but this week will probably wind up the shipping trade for this season. Lambs, $3 to $3 50 each, but choice would bring over $4 25 each, while some of the culls sell at about $2 50 each. Fat hogs are plentiful and lower in price, at from 4½c to 5c per lb.

BUFFALO.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Cattle—290 loads on sale; export cattle were in fair supply; good export cattle were a shade higher; good, heavy butchers' and light handy butchers' were in good demand, at about last week's prices; stockers and feeders were in good supply, and sold without any material change from last week; bulls were in moderate supply, with a fair demand and prices unchanged; cow stuff was slow and prices somewhat irregular; good milch cows and near-by springers sold well, but far-off springers were no good; shippers will do well to keep this class of cows off the market entirely; calves were in good supply, and sold lower than last week; prices closed as follows: Extra steers, $4 50 to $4 70; choice steers, $4 20 to $4 45; good, fairly fat, $4 15 to $4 40; choice heavy butchers, $3 60 to $4 35; light handy butchers, $3 15 to $3 65; Michigan stockers, $2 65 to $3 10; Michigan feeders, $2 65 to $3 25; export bulls, $2 75 to $3 25; extra cows and heifers, $3 to $3 25; milch cows and springers, good to extra, $40 to $60; common to good, $15 to $35; calves, buttermilk, $2 50 to $3; veal, $5 to $5 75.

Sheep and Lambs—75 loads on sale, including 12 left over; trade opened very slow on common sheep, and lambs were lower; buyers were scarce and the outside and country demand was limited; choice to extra, $5 to $5 25; good to choice, $4 70 to $4 95; common to fair, $3 75 to $4 65; lambs, choice to extra, $5 85 to $6 10; good to choice, $5 50 to $5 80; common to fair, $5 to $5 45; Canadas, $5 75 to $6 10.

Hogs—150 loads on sale; the large number on sale had the effect of weakening the market; there were too many light hogs on sale, with but moderate demand for them; heavy, $4 25 to $4 35; medium and mixed, $4 10 to $4 15; Yorkers, $3 75 to $4 90; pigs, $3 20 to $4.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.—Hogs—Receipts, 39,000; quality poor; only about one-third desirable; left over, 8,000; market moderately active on packing and shipping account. Good heavy hogs steady; other grades 5c lower. Pigs slow, 10c to 20c decline. Sales: $1 50 to $3 20 for pigs, $3 30 to $3 90 for light, $3 50 to $3 65 for rough packing, $3 60 to $3 90 for mixed, $3 70 to $4 15 for heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts, 19,000; quality fair; market active on local and shipping account; prices well maintained. Quotations: $4 75 to $5 30 for choice to fancy shipping steers, $4 05 to $4 70 for good to choice do, $3 to $3 80 for common to fair do, $2 80 to $3 25 for butchers' steers, $2 10 to $2 60 for stockers, $2 15 to $3 25 for Texans, $2 50 to $3 60 for westerns, $2 60 to $3 15 for feeders, $1 25 to $2 80 for cows, $1 50 to $3 25 for bulls, and $3 to $5 50 for veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; quality fair; demand active; prices steady. Quotations ranged: $3 to $4 for westerns, $3 to $4 25 for Texans, $3 12½ to $5 25 for natives, $4 to $6 for lambs.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—Beeves—Receipts, 5,111; shade higher; native steers, $3 10 to $5 70; bulls and cows, $1 65 to $2 50.

Calves—Receipts, 694; shade higher; veals, $5 to $7 50; grassers, $2 37½ to $2 50; westerns, $2 75 to $3 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,130; sheep steady, lambs shade lower; sheep, $4 to $5 30; lambs, $5 50 to $6 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,130; dull; $3 70 to $4 30.

The Dairy Markets.

LITTLE FALLS.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The cheese market was very dull to-day. Several factories are closed, and the majority of those that remain open are making only every other day. Transactions: 60 lots at 8½c, 28 lots at 8¾c, 49 lots at 9c, 1 lot at private terms, 13 lots on commission; total, 6,660 boxes. Farm dairies—Sales of dairy cheese amounted to 550 boxes and the prices are from 8½c to 9½c, with the bulk at 9c.

Butter—Twenty-seven packages of farm dairy butter sold at 21c to 22c, and a few packages of creamery at 22c to 23c.

UTICA.

UTICA, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The transactions on the Board of Trade to-day were as follows: Cheese, 400 boxes at 8½c, 4,070 boxes at 8¾c, 775 boxes at 8¾c, 1,690 boxes at 9c, 560 boxes at 9½c, 1,944 boxes at 9½c, 1,575 boxes on commission. Butter, 65 packages of creamery at 22c to 24c; bulk, 23c. Cheese, ¼c lower, but the market is steady.

Petrolea Oil Market.

PETROLEA, Nov. 11.—Oil, $1 29.

WHO WAS HE.

A Londoner's Death and the Romantic Finding of His Heirs—A Married Couple Discover They Are Brother and Sister.

A Kansas City (Mo.) special dispatch received to-day says:

"A romance of unusually unfortunate and pathetic details was discovered Sunday, when two detectives from Toronto discovered in Mr. and Mrs. Barr, of Kansas City, Kan., the relationship of brother and sister and the heirs to fortunes left by a relative of Mrs. Barr's deceased mother. Twenty-five years ago two waifs—mere babes, brother and sister—were abandoned by German immigrants at Castle Garden. They were legally adopted, one by a man named Ass Barr, the other by a Mrs. Evans. Mrs. Evans moved soon afterward to Philadelphia, where she brought up her adopted daughter, giving her a good education. Twenty years later the boy, grown to manhood and having taken his adopted father's name, moved also to Philadelphia, where he followed the trade of a painter. Chance drew the brother and sister together. Barr was captivated with the girl and wooed, won and married her. Soon after they moved to Kansas City, Kas., where Barr continued in his trade as a painter. Not long ago Mrs. Evans died. Quickly following her death occurred that of a relative in London, Canada, who died rich and intestate. His fortune would have passed to Mrs. Evans as the nearest relative, but her death having occurred her adopted daughter became the heir. The attorneys sent detectives to trace the heiress, and in their investigation of the case discovered the true relationship of Mr. and Mrs. Barr to be that of brother and sister. They arrived here to-day and revealed to the unfortunate couple the facts. The terrible knowledge prostrated Mrs. Barr, and her husband is grief-stricken. No issue has resulted from their marriage. Legal proceedings will at once be instituted to sever the marriage bond, and Mrs. Barr will go to London, Canada, to claim her fortune."

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LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—Mr. Robert Albertson, the genial night clerk at the G. T. R. station ticket office, left this afternoon for Niagara Falls, where he has been appointed night station ticket agent.

—One of the Hobbs Hardware Company's delivery teams made things lively on King street this afternoon, until it a telephone pole at the corner of Richmond checked the runaways.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Hamilton, passed through here from the West yesterday afternoon for that city. The lady is the daughter of Dr. Dillobagh, whose elopement recently caused quite a stir in the Ambitious City.

—The trustees of the Protestant Orphans' Home desire to thank their kind friends, the Orangemen and True Blues for their donation of $7 50, the collection taken at their service in West Methodist Church on Sunday, Nov. 4.

—Another blazing oil tank adjoining the Imperial Oil Works, on Adelaide street, gave the firemen a run yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. It appears to afford great amusement to some persons in that vicinity to be continually setting them on fire.

—The Lorne avenue school will be opened to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The children will meet at the Rectory street school and march in procession. Speeches will be made by trustees, aldermen, local ministers and others, interspersed with singing by the scholars. The general public is invited.

—Mr. Thomas A. Browne, secretary of the Western Fair Board, leaves this evening for Detroit to attend the eighth annual convention of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions. A large delegation are also going from Montreal, Toronto and other Canadian fairs, as well as Mr. H. Wade, of the Agricultural and Arts Association.

—Mr. Frank T. Harrison, Pharm. D., formerly of Harrison Bros., druggists, this city, but at present professor in the Ontario College of Pharmacy, Toronto, has received notice from the Dominion Government that he has been appointed Government analyst for Western Ontario, with headquarters at London.—[Hamilton Times. This is in accordance with what was intimated in the ADVERTISER a couple of weeks ago.

—A boy named William Newcombe, living on Cartwright street, was run over this morning about 11 o'clock on Dundas street, by a team belonging to Mr. Griffiths, of Thorndale. He was carried into Strong's drug store and attended to by Dr. J. D. Wilson, who found the right arm broken above the elbow. The bone was set and the boy taken home, where he is doing nicely. He was employed as parcel boy at Wood's Fair.

—Chief Williams is authority for the statement that Philip Edwards removed twenty loads of earth from Mr. T. Partridge's property on Maitland street, and when requested to return it dumped an inferior quality, composed of vegetated earth, tin cans, ashes, etc., in its place. Edwards contended at the Police Court this morning that he had only taken four loads and had put back eleven. The Magistrate gave him another week to fill up the hole.

—John McLaughlin affirms there has been a constant dribbling of his woodpile for some time back. He caught Martin Taylor, a colored neighbor, carrying off two sticks at 4 a.m. the other day, and promptly laid an information. The defendant did not deny the charge at the Police Court this morning, but said he had been a resident of London for 40 years and had never been in court before; he worked a good deal for McLaughlin, and saw no harm in taking two sticks. The Magistrate thought Taylor seemed to be a pretty decent old man and let him off on suspended sentence.

Questionable Horse Dealing.

Charles Hessey, a farm hand working on the farm of Mr. John Proben, of Nissouri, has become involved in a horse deal that will be ventilated at the Police Court tomorrow. Hessey came into the city yesterday in charge of a team of horses alleged to be the property of his employer, and disposed of them to Frank Hall for one horse and $5 boot money. The authorities got wind of the circumstances and Detective Phair was detailed to look after the case. He arrested Hessey about noon.

Died in the Cells.

Charles Daly was taken into police custody this morning at 12:30 o'clock while drunk. He laid down on the floor of the cells and went to sleep in company with two other inmates, but was found dead early this morning by P. C. Wallace, who at first thought he had not awakened. Coroner Smith was notified and the body was removed to Ferguson's undertaking establishment, where a jury, served with summonses by Sergeant Adams and P. C. Crawford, viewed the remains at 11 o'clock. The inquest then adjourned to meet at the Police Court this evening. Following are the jurors: Messrs. James Cowan (foreman), P. J. Watt, A. S. Stanton, James E. Austin, Geo. W. Pitt, Thomas Connors, Joseph Hook, John Fleming, John Quait, John Richards, Jas. Dunn and Geo. H. Gardiner.

In the Gray Dawn.

Hezekiah C. Forsyth is a name which, to the sorrow of many of London's merchants, appears on their books. Hezekiah came to London a short time ago and worked the credit system for all it was worth, changing his grocer or butcher only when the day-book proved too weak to hold the inevitable monthly balance. His field of operations was a wide one and there are but few city provision merchants who escaped his persuasive eloquence and the accompanying balance. On Monday Forsyth decided to seek new pastures and selling off his goods and chattels departed with his wife and daughter for Port Huron, leaving a large number of sorrowful creditors in his wake. North End dealers suffered more severely than those of other parts, and within one block no less than four dealers have reason to regret his acquaintance. They are Messrs. Fairfield, Toohey, Skellet and Bryan, and their accounts will average about $18. It is estimated that the departed has unpaid bills amounting to about $500 throughout the city.

The Chrysanthemum Show.

When the Florists' and Gardeners' Association of the city threw open the doors of the City Hall this afternoon the citizens were treated to one of the finest expositions of chrysanthemums that has ever been seen in this Province, and the first give in this city. The large hall had been turned into a mammoth garden, and on every side was displayed tasty exhibits by the leading gardeners of the surrounding country, as well as by several well-known American florists. Among the many exhibitors are Messrs. P. Henderson & Co., New York, cut flowers and chrysanthemums; Messrs. Pitcher & Mauda, Short Hills, N. J., new chrysanthemums and cut flowers; Messrs. N. Smith & Sons, Adrian, new chrysanthemums; Mr. Fred. Dicks, chrysanthemums, carnations, calla lilies and cut flowers; Mr. Thomas Wells, greenhouse plants, palms, New Zealand flax and ferns; Messrs. W. G. & C. M. Greenway, greenhouse plants, carnation, and ferns; Mr. George Rennie, chrysanthemums, and Mr. J. Gammage, carnations, chrysanthemums, calla lilies, roses and cut flowers. A liberal premium list has been prepared, and if possible the judges, Messrs. James Webster, of Hamilton, and George Boucher, of St. Thomas, will make their awards early to-morrow. The officers of the association under whose auspices the show is being held are: President, A. R. Murdock; vice-president, E. Robinson; secretary, W. Gammage; treasurer, George Cairncross. Messrs. George Rennie, Fred Dicks and S. H. Craig constitute the committee of management.

South London W. M. S. Auxiliary.

The regular monthly meeting of the South London Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society was held yesterday afternoon in the Bible-class room of the Methodist Church. The meeting was a most enthusiastic one, 31 ladies being present, Mrs. Cosford, the president, in the chair. After the usual devotional exercises the members responded to the roll call by Scriptural quotations. After the business of the meeting was disposed of, Mrs. Wright gave a reading entitled "Mrs. Pichell's Missionary Box," which was followed by a discussion as to the advisability of procuring mite boxes. It was decided that they should be ordered at once and used under the name of benefit boxes. The sum of $15 was handed in to the treasurer, Mrs. Johnstone, also $23 05, the proceeds of the parlor concert held at Mrs. Rowell's. A most interesting meeting was brought to a close by all present joining in the doxology.

Failures in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—The assignment is reported of John T. Walker Son & Co., importers of silks, etc. They are rated at over $300,000.

Charles M. Whitney & Co., bankers, have suspended. They represent here the Whitney National Bank, of Orleans, and some other southern financial institutions.

After the announcement of the failure of C. M. Whitney and the break in North American, the stock market rallied on receipt of cables announcing that $3,000,000 in gold were on the way to London from the continent, and that money was easier there.

Steamers Arrived.

At	From	
Nov. 11.		
Aurania	New York	Liverpool
Anchoria	Glasgow	New York
State of Nevada	Glasgow	New York
Eider	Southampton	New York
Rhaetia	Southampton	New York
Texas	Father Point	Bristol
Gerona	Father Point	Shields
Persian Monarch	New York	London
Queen	New York	London
Rugia	New York	Hamburg

MONTREAL, Nov. 10.—The Dominion Line steamship Sarnia, from Montreal Oct. 29, with a shipment of 349 cattle, arrived at Liverpool on Saturday, Nov. 8, and landed her live stock all in good condition.

The Dominion Line steamship Ontario, from Montreal Oct. 28, with a shipment of 499 cattle and 160 sheep, arrived at Avonmouth dock today, and landed her live stock all in good condition.

The Donaldson Line steamship Colina arrived at Glasgow on the 9th inst., and landed her entire shipment of live stock, 551 cattle, in good order and condition, except one, which died on the passage.

The land department of the Chicago and Erie has been removed from New York to Chicago.

Nearly every engine on eastern division of the D., L and W. road is draped in mourning in respect for the employes of the road who were killed on Monday in the terrible collision at Rock Cut near Syracuse.

Mr. Thomas C. Douglas, of Suspension Bridge, has been appointed to a position in the office of F. J. Wolfe, general baggage agent of the New York Central and general agent of the passenger department of the New York Central and West Shore at Albany.