To the Trade

December 6th.

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AT OSGOODE HALL TO-DAY.

Single judge at 11 a.m.—Re New Barnes C. Company and Williams, re A. D. 2 Gold M. Company, Clark v. Clark, Cole v. Burnham, Peterboro and A. Railway v. C. P. R., re Caldwell and Town of Galt, Tompkins v. Brockville Skating Rink Company, Crocker v. Brown, Hearn v. McGovern, re Clarke, a solicitor; re Mining Locations 52 and 136, W. D.

Divisional Court at 11 a.m.—Re Robertson and City of Chatham, Ruttan v. Latimer, McCulloch v. McCarthy, People's Loan, etc., Company v. Dale, Millar v. Gilmour, McWilliams v. Davidson.

Court of Appeal at 10 a.m.—Jamieson v. London & Canadian L. & A. Company (to be continued), Poppley v. Barrow, Griffin v. Westinghouse, Dueber Manufacturing Company v. Taggart, Dunn v. Prescott Elevator Company.

ABOUT THE EUROPEAN CROPS

Budget of Notes From Across the Water.

Chicago and Other American Wires Down, Owing to the Storm, and There is Little Commercial News to Hand—Stocks of Grain at Toronto—Breadstuffs at Liverpool—Notes.

Monday Evening, Dec. 5.

Owing to the storm, wires are down all over the country, and there is, therefore, little news to hand regarding the Chicago and other grain markets of to-day.

The deliveries of wheat and flour at the Western primary markets last week were very large—302,776 barrels flour and 9,632,644 bushels wheat, as compared with 180,365 barrels flour and 6,469,345 bushels wheat in corresponding week of last year.

The shipments of wheat were 8,124,573 bushels, of which Duluth contributed 1,639,759 bushels.

Marine insurance on upper lakes expires Dec. 12, and large shipments to Buffalo will be made this week.

Bradstreet's statement of stocks of wheat held at interior elevators in the Northwest for week ending Nov. 29 showed no decrease for the week. The Chicago Daily Bulletin of Saturday says that Minneapolis reports that country deliveries in the Northwest were dropping off sharply.

The Bulletin of Saturday says: A rate of 10c per 100 lbs. on grain has been made from Chicago to New York and 8c to Ic to Baltimore. Canadian dealers and millers are at a great disadvantage in competing against such cut rates.

Broomhall cables that Argentine crop prospects are very good. He makes the arrivals of wheat and flour in the United Kingdom last week 2,800,000 quarters. With 78,800 quarters from farmers' deliveries, the supply for the week was about 500,000 bushels less than the weekly requirements. The Corn Trade News, Nov. 22, shows that the supply for the 16 weeks ending Nov. 10 was short of the requirements by 4,256,000 bushels. This has been owing to shortness in farmers' deliveries, which in the 16 weeks only amounted to 16,000,000 bushels, while the proportion of the crop for these weeks should have been a little over 20,000,000 bushels. Farmers are now selling more freely, and the United Kingdom is receiving a larger share of the shipments of foreign wheat during past few weeks than it did earlier in the season, so that port stocks are now expected to show a gradual increase.

The Corn Trade News of Nov. 22 reports another week of almost ideal weather, and that acreage under winter wheat is quite up to last season's, and the condition of the young plant is everywhere well spoken of, and goes into winter quarters better fitted to withstand the usual drawbacks than for many years past.

The Chicago Bulletin says that some of the St. Louis flour mills have been shut down, because of their inability to use the wheat from Kansas for their trade.

Milwaukee millers report sales of flour to Finland and Constantinople. Continental journals say that the Turkish Government has forbidden the import of foreign flour into Constantinople, and that the recent arrival there of some American flour hastened the decision.

European Situation.

France—The weather has been very favorable for the crops. Heavy rains have fallen, which will enable the water-power mills to run full time. Farmers have finished autumn seeding and are now threshing extensively. Offerings on interior markets have been more liberal and prices are lower. The net imports of wheat and flour for the three months ending Oct. 31 were 7,907,000 quarters, compared with 1,000,000 quarters in same months in 1897. Area of wheat said to be equal to last season.

Belgium—The net imports of wheat and flour, three months, Aug. 1 to Oct. 31, 1898, were 958,000 quarters, compared with 1,030,000 quarters in the same period in 1897. The Liverpool Corn Trade News says that Germany, Belgium and Holland are proving remarkably good customers for American wheat and flour owing to the difficulty in getting supplies from Russia.

Germany—Supplies of home-grown grain are still very small, and the demand has been mainly furnished by American wheat. Generally satisfactory reports are being received concerning the autumn seedings.

Hungary has been the best buyer of Roumanian wheat.

Russia—Odessa advises that stocks of wheat are beginning to accumulate, and that they are likely to increase further, unless buyers advance their bids. Rye is arriving in driblets, and would make it appear that the crop was a failure, although the official returns show the contrary. The quantity of wheat in chief Russian ports on Nov. 13 was 14,056,000 bushels, compared with 12,560,000 bushels on same date in 1897. The Corn Trade News says: Russia seems disposed to spread her deliveries over a larger period than usual, and, with larger receipts at her ports, it is not likely that in these days of powerful "ice-breakers," any marked cessation of supplies from there will be seen. The News gives the following estimates of the crops of 1898, by the Ministry of Agriculture: Rye, C95,848,000 bushels; oats, 501,224,000; barley, 310,360,000. This compares with final estimate for 1897 as follows: Rye, 608,800,000; oats, 560,000,000; barley, 228,000,000.

Toronto Grain Stocks.

	Dec. 5	Nov. 28
Wheat, bush.	134,936	74,759
Rye, bush.	500	500
Barley, bush.	41,158	56,486
Oats, bush.	C,0 0	.....
Corn, bush.	3,000	3,000
Peas, bush.	232	250

Liverpool Stocks.

	Dec. 1,'98	Dec. 1,'97
Flour, sacks	45,000	52,000
Wheat, bush.	528,000	3,000,000

The stock of wheat was only equal to between three and four days' average deliveries.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour—Winter patents in bags at Toronto, $3.70 to $3.90; straight rollers, $3.35 to $3.40; Hungarian patents, $4.15 to $4.20; Manitoba bakers', $3.85 to $3.90.

Wheat—Ontario red and white quoted at 67½c to 68c north and west. Goose quoted at 67½c to 68c, north and west. No. 1 Manitoba hard 80c at Toronto and No. 1 Northern at 77c.

Oats—White oats quoted at 27c to 28c west and east.

Rye—Quoted at 50c west and 51c east.

Barley—Easier at 48c to 49c west.

Buckwheat—Firm at 43c to 44c north and west.

Bran—City mills sell bran at $13 in ton lots, and shorts at $14.

Corn—Canadian, 33c west, and American 41½c to 42c on track here.

Peas—In good demand at 61c, north and west in car lots.

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

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

On account of the storm, there was nothing doing on the market, one load of hay being all that was offered. Prices, therefore, remain as quoted.

Grain—		
Wheat, white, bush.	$0 70	$0 71½
" red, bush.	0 70½	0 71
" goose, bush.	0 68	0 68½
" fife, spring, bush.	0 68	....
Rye, bush	0 51	....
Oats, bush.	0 29½	0 30½
Buckwheat, bush.	0 46	....
Barley, bush	0 48	0 50
Peas, bush.	0 62	0 64
Seeds—		
Red clover, bush	$3 25	$4 25
White clover seed, bush.	6 00	9 00
Alsike, good to prime, bu.	4 00	4 50
" choice, bush	4 75	5 00
Timothy, bush	1 25	1 35
Beans, white, bush	0 75	0 80
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, timothy, per ton	$8 00	$9 00
" clover, per ton	6 00	7 50
Straw, sheaf, per ton	7 00	8 00
" loose, per ton	4 00	5 00
Dairy Products—		
Butter, lb. rolls	$0 16	$0 20
" large rolls	0 13	0 14
Eggs, new-laid	0 25	0 30
Fresh Meats—		
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.	$6 00	$7 00
" forequarters, cwt.	4 00	5 00
Lamb, spring, per lb.	0 06½	0 07½
Mutton, carcase, cwt	5 00	5 50
Veal, carcase, cwt.	6 50	7 50
Hogs, dressed, light	5 25	5 60
" heavy	5 25	....
Poultry—		
Chickens, per pair	$0 30	$0 60
Turkeys, per lb.	0 07	0 09½
Spring ducks, per pair	0 40	0 75
Geese, per lb.	0 05	0 06
Fruit and Vegetables—		
Apples, per bbl	$1 50	$2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	0 60
Cabbage, per doz	0 20	0 40
Onions, Spanish, per lb.	0 03½	....
Beets, per doz	0 12½	0 15
Cauliflower, per doz	0 40	0 65
Turnips, per bag	0 20	0 35
Parsnips, per bag	0 50	0 60

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Hay, baled, carlots, per ton	$7 00	$7 50
Straw, baled, car lots, per ton	4 00	4 50
Potatoes, car lots, per bag	0 57	0 62
Butter, choice, tubs	0 13	0 16
" medium, tubs	0 11	0 12
" large rolls	0 13	0 14
" dairy, lb. rolls	0 14	0 15
Creamery, boxes	0 18	0 19
Creamery, lb. rolls	0 20	0 21
Eggs, choice, new-laid	0 19	0 20
Eggs, held stock	0 14	0 15
Honey, per lb.	0 03	0 03½
Hogs, dressed, car lots	5 25	5 35
Chickens, per pair	0 25	0 40
Ducks, per pair	0 40	0 60
Geese, per lb.	0 05	0 06
Turkeys, per lb.	0 08	0 09

Hides and Wool.

Price list, revised daily by James Hallam & Sons, 100 Front-street east, Toronto:

Hides, No. 1 green	$0 08½	$....
" No. 1 green steers	0 09	....
" No. 2 green steers	0 08	....
" No. 2 green	0 07½	....
" No. 3 green	0 06½	....
" cured	0 08½	0 09
Calfskins, No. 1	0 10	....
Calfskins, No. 2	0 08	....
Sheepskins	1 10	1 25
Pelts, each	0 75	0 80
Lambskins, each	0 75	0 80
Wool, fleece	0 15	....
Wool, unwashed, fleece	0 10	....
Wool, pulled, super	0 17	0 18½
Tallow, rendered	0 03	0 03½
Tallow, rough	0 01¼	0 02¼

London Cattle Market.

London, Dec. 5.—(Special to The World.)—The cause for last Monday's good prices, the result of overdue steamers, resulted in to-day's markets being glutted on their arrival, the heavy supplies causing a bad break in the markets. Best Canadian cattle in Liverpool were quoted at 9¾c to 10c, and sheep 11c; and in London 10½c, sheep 10c. This is a decline of 1 to 1½c on cattle from last Monday.

The Election Cases.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday the petitions against Col. F. B. Leys of London and Mr. George P. Graham, Brockville, both Liberals, were dismissed. The only remaining case which has not not been before the court is North Grey. Two other cases remain to be disposed of—West York, postponed, and East Elgin. In the latter case judgment will be given on Dec. 27.

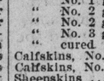
In the Surrogate Court.

Surrogate Court proceedings took place yesterday in the estate of the late Jennie Hughes, a widow, who left $4525, of which $2250 is in mortgages and $1500 is in real estate. Allie E. Hughes of this city received administration papers.

Only those who have had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day; but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure. ed

County Court List.

The peremptory list for the County Court to-morrow: Hayward v. Mickle, Wakeman v. Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Shea v. Bailey, Hardman v. Gerrie, Galbraith v. Imperial Publishing Company, Bank of Hamilton v. Calvert.



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LITTLE WALL STREET NEWS

Storm King Stopped Telegraphic Communication

And Local Commission Houses Were Idle All Day Yesterday — Good Railway Earnings Statement — Clews Takes a Bullish View of the Outlook—Canadians Quiet But Strong—Jump in London Electrics.

Monday Evening, Dec. 5.

Owing to the storm, financial and commercial news is very scarce in Toronto today. The telegraph services are so badly demoralized that communication with New York and Chicago has been practically shut off all day. Private wires are not working, and, therefore, our budget this evening is very limited.

In Canadian securities, London Electrics were the feature to-day. On a rumor that the old stockholders are to have the privilege of taking up a new issue at par, that stock jumped up four points. Toronto Electrics were strong in sympathy, C.P.R. closed a fraction higher for the day, Toronto Railway and Richelieu held steady, Cuttbow was unchanged, and War Eagle closed easier.

Messrs. A. E. Ames & Co.'s London cables quote Grand Trunk fours at 78; Grand Trunk firsts at 69, closing at 68¾; Grand Trunk seconds at 47, closing at 46⅞.

Canadian Pacific earnings for the fourth week of November were $758,000, an increase of $33,000 as compared with the corresponding week of last year.

Grand Trunk earnings for the fourth week of November were $620,938, a decrease of $5545.

Henry Clews' Views.

In his weekly Wall-street letter, Henry Clews says:

All conditions continue favorable to a high scale of prices:

1. The general trade of the country is more than usually prosperous, in the great West especially.

2. The textile trades, which among the first hand dealers have suffered a partial depression, have at least reached a healthier relation between supply and demand.

3. The exports of cereals, although beginning to show the decline usual to this stage of the season, are yet relatively upon an extraordinary scale.

4. The railroads have all the freight they can carry; and, as evidence that their earnings are not on a starving scale, they have given out orders within the last few days for 500,000 tons of steel rails, valued at $9,000,000.

5. The peace negotiations have concluded with our acquisition of the Philippine and Sulu Islands, and with every prospect that the treaty will be ratified by the Senate.

This launches the country upon a new era of commercial expansion, the fruits of which must begin to show themselves at a comparatively early day.

6. Our exports of manufactures continue to expand rapidly. The surplus of goods beyond what the home markets can absorb is finding its way to foreign countries at a still rapidly increasing rate, with the result of relieving the pressure of over-production that has been felt in some of our most important branches of industry.

7. So soon as Germany gets over her present financial pinch, and London becomes easier in sympathy, we may expect to see a nearer equalization in money rates as between New York and London, in which case gold will in all probability flow hither in large volume. This legitimate flow of the yellow metal from Europe so soon after the close of our war with Spain, with the conditions which it represents, will show the position of this country to be simply unique among nations.

Stock Exchange Seats Dear.

A significant indication of the extent to which widening investment and speculation have affected the stock markets of the country is afforded by the prices now reported for membership in the principal stock exchanges. A seat in the New York board this week changed owners at a little less than $30,000, or an advance of some $15,000 over the market value of such membership hardly a month ago. It is quite as interesting to hear that the last transfer of a similar membership in the Boston Stock Exchange represented a consideration of $20,000, which is explained by the fact that, though the Boston market for securities is more limited in character than that which centres in the New York Stock Exchange, it has a profitable monopoly of copper mining shares and other securities in which extreme activity and marked fluctuations have recently prevailed.

Little News From New York.

New York, Dec. 5.—(The stock market opened irregular. Burlington 119¾, General Electric 35, Louisville 68¼, Manhattan 97, Missouri Pacific 37¼, Northern Pacific 40⅜, Sugar 127½, St. Paul 113⅝, Southern pref. 42, Union Pacific 37⅝, do., pref., 69½, Western Union 93¼.

Wall-street, New York, Dec. 5—(10.10 a.m.)—An irregularity in the American department of the London market was reflected at the opening here, but declines did not exceed half a point, which was in the case of St. Paul, Metropolitan Street Railway, Pacific Mail and the iron and steel stocks maintained the same show of strength as during last week. Changes in the railroads generally were small.

American Railroad Earnings.

The October statement of gross earnings is now practically complete. It includes nearly all the large roads and systems of the country, embracing 125,000 miles, 70 per cent. of the total mileage. United States roads reporting show gross earnings of $92,330,423, 3.9 per cent. over last year and 4.7 per cent. over 1892. The gain is twice as large as in September; compared with 1892, the report is better than for any month since May. Grangers, Southern, Southwestern and Pacific roads report a considerable gain over last year. On trunk lines there was a small loss compared with both years, and on Anthracite Coal and other Eastern roads a small loss compared with last year. Below is given earnings this year and last, with roads classified according to location or principal class of traffic:

	Oct., 1898.	Oct., 1897.
Trunk	$22,933,230	$22,964,529
Anthracite Coal	11,039,463	11,445,863
Other Eastern	1,712,719	1,816,269
Central Western	8,346,173	8,295,259
Grangers	15,364,684	14,049,750
Southern	9,793,487	9,027,801
Southwestern	12,813,174	11,877,388
Pacific	10,327,488	9,355,297
United States	$92,330,423	$88,832,216
Canadian	2,085,000	2,784,000
Mexican	2,510,366	2,133,889
Total all	$97,525,789	$93,750,105

Earnings for November of all United States roads reporting are $23,338,735, 4.8 over last year and 8.3 over 1892. Only the few roads classified as other Eastern show a loss compared with last year. Earnings for the three weeks are compared below:

	1898.	1897.
81 roads, 1st week Nov.	$8,640,061	$8,098,437
80 roads, 2d week Nov.	8,502,824	8,189,073
73 roads, 3d week Nov.	8,195,850	7,885,306

Money Market.

On the local market call loans are at 4½ to 5 per cent. In New York call loans today were at 2½ per cent., closing loan being 2½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is 4 per cent., and the open market rate 3⅝ per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

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

	—Counter— Buy.	Sell.	—Bet. Banks— Buy.	Sell.
N.Y. Funds	⅛ to ¼	1-32 dis.	to 1-16 dis.	
Stg. 60 days	8⅝ to ...	8 5-16	to 8 7-16	
do. demand	9/32 to ...	9 to 9 1-32		

— Rates in New York. —

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.82	4.81¼ to 4.81½
Sterling, demand	4.85½	4.84¼ to 4.84½

Toronto Stocks.

	1 p.m. Ask.	Bid.	3.30 p.m. Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	...	244½	250	244
Ontario	...	114	...	114
Toronto	...	248	243	238
Merchants'	...	176	...	170
Commerce	...	144	145	140
Imperial	214	211½	213	211½
Dominion	254	253	255	253½
Standard	...	189¼	...	189
Hamilton	188	186	188	186
Nova Scotia	...	229	...	229
Ottawa	...	280	...	200
Traders	108¼	107	108¼	107
British American	136	134½	136	134½
West. Assurance	174	173⅝	174½	173¾
Imperial Life	...	140	...	140
Consumers' Gas	...	226	...	225½
Montreal Gas	202	201	201¾	201
Dominion Tele	...	133	...	133
Ont. & Qu'Appelle	50	48	50	48
C N W L Co. pr.	55	54	54¾	54
C P R Stock	85¼	85	85½	85
Toronto Electric	139½	138¾	139½	139¼
do. new	...	130	...	130
General Electric	140	137	138	137
do. pref.	109¼	109	110	109
Com Cable Co	185⅞	183¾	185¾	183½
do. coup. bonds	105¼	104½	105½	104½
do. reg. bonds	105½	104⅝	105¼	104⅝
Bell Telephone	...	170	...	170
Richelieu & Ont.	101	100¼	100¾	99¾
Toronto Railway	105¼	105⅛	105⅝	105⅜
London St Ry	...	176	180	176
Halifax Tram.	129	125½	129	125
Hamilton Elec.	77½	75¼	77½	75
London Electric	125	123½	124	123
War Eagle	293	291	293½	291
Caribou (McK.)	116	112¼	117	113
National Trust	129	125½	...	...
British Can L & I.	109	...	...	...
B & L Assn	60	...	...	...
Can L & N Inv Co.	94	...	...	...
Canada Perm.	111	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	96	...	...	...
Canadian S & L	...	115	...	...
Central Can Loan	130¼	128½	...	...
Dom S & I Soc.	77½	75	...	...
Freehold L & S	92	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	60	...	...
Hamilton Prov	110	...	...	...
Huron & Erie	...	170	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	157	...	...
Imperial L & Inv	100	...	...	...
Landed B & L	118	...	...	...
London & Canada	70	...	...	...
London Loan	120	111	...	...
London & Ont.	80	...	...	...
Manitoba Loan	35	...	...	...
Ontario L & D	...	124	...	...
People's Loan	36	30	...	...
Real Estate	65	56	...	...
Toronto S & L	118½	115	...	...
Union L & S	80	...	...	...
Western Canada	...	120	...	...
do. do. 25 p.c.	100	...	...	...

Unlisted Mining Stocks.

	Ask.	Bid.	Ask.	Bid.
Big Three	...	15	...	...
Canadian G.F.S.	7	...	7½	2½
Commander	11½	...	12	...
Deer Park	10½	10	10½	18½
Evening Star	6	3	6	3
Hammond Reef	16	...	20	...
Iron Colt	10½	8½	...	...
Iron Mask	80	70	85	71
Monte Cristo	15	10	13	12
Montreal Gold Fds.	...	...	17	15
Noble Five	17	15	...	...
Saw Bill	45	...	...	...
Smuggler	19½	17	10½	17
Virginia	45	...	...	...
Victory-Triumph	7½	6	7½	6
White Bear	8	6½	7⅞	6½
Winchester	10	...	12	...
St. Elmo	...	3½	...	3½
Minnehaha	21	...	21	17½

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Standard Bank, 20 at 190; Dominion Bank, 7 at 283; Western Assurance, 50, 50 at 173¾; Northwest Land, pref., 6 at 54½; C.P.R., 50, 50 at 85¼; London Electric, 10 at 121, 25 at 122, 5 at 122½, 5 at 122½, 15 at 122½, 5 at 122½; War Eagle, 200, 500 at 294.

Sales at 1 p.m.: Western Assurance, 25 at 173¾, 50 at 173¾; Toronto Railway, 75 at 105; London Electric, 4, 50, 10, 5, 35 at 124; Dominion Savings, 20 at 76.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Imperial Bank, 8 at 212; Dominion Bank, 20 at 253½; C.P.R., 25, 25, 25 at 85¼; Toronto Electric, 25, 2 at 138¾, 5 at 139; Toronto Railway, 25 at 105½; Richelieu, 25 at 100; Cable, reg. bonds, $5000 at 104¾; War Eagle, 500 at 292½.

Sales of unlisted mining stocks: Deer Park, 500, 500 at 19; Monte Cristo, 500 at 12½.

Montreal Stocks.

Montreal, Dec. 5.—Close—C.P.R., 85¾ and 85½; Duluth, 3 and 2⅜; Cable, 186 and 184½; Richelieu, 101 and 100¼; Montreal Railway, 278¾ and 278¼; do., new, 274 and 273¼; Halifax Railway, 128 and 123; Toronto Railway, 106 and 105¾; Montreal Gas, 202¼ and 202¼; Royal Electric, xd., 150½ and 158; Montreal Telegraph, 180 and 176; Halifax H. & L., 35 and 31; Bell Telephone, 175 and 170; Dominion Coal, 35 and 30½; do., pref., 116 and 115; Montreal Cotton, xd., 158 and 155; Canada Colored Cottou, 75 and 65; Dominion Cotton, 108 and 107; War Eagle, xd., 2-32½ and 291¾. Banks—Montreal, 250 and 245; Ontario, 113 offered; Molsons, 205 and 203; Toronto, 250 and 240; Jacques Cartier, 110½ offered; Merchants', 175 offered; Merchants' (Halifax), 180 offered; Eastern Townships, 160 and 153; Quebec, 122½ offered; National, 96 and 90; Union, 125 and 110; Commerce, 147½ asked; Ville Marie, 100 and 92; Hochelaga, 160 and 150; Windsor Hotel, xd., 100 offered; Northwest Land, pref., 55 and 50½; do., common, 22 and 17; Land Grant bonds, 110 offered; Cable, coup. and reg. bonds, 103 offered; H. & L. bonds, 89 and 86; Halifax Railway bonds, 108 and 106; C.C. bonds, 100 and 60¾; Dominion Coal bonds, 110 offered.

Morning sales: Duluth, 100 at 2½; Montreal Railway, 39 at 270; Toronto, 150 at 105¼; Montreal Gas, 14 at 201¾, 175 at 202, 2 at 202½, 150 at 202, 100 at 202¼, 175 at 202⅜, 125 at 202¼; 400 at 202; Montreal Tel, 22, 20 at 177½; C. Colored Cotton, 10 at 70; Dominion Cotton, 50 at 106¾; War Eagle, xd., 4500 at 292; Bank of Montreal, 3 at 247.

Afternoon sales: C.P.R., 75 at 85¼, 2 at 85¾; Duluth, 100 at 2½; Toronto Railway, 25 at 105¾, 100 at 105½, 75 at 105¾; Montreal Gas, 225, 18, 18, 150 at 202, 350 at 202¼; Royal Electric, xd., 300 at 158, 446 at 157½, 50 at 158, 100 at 157½.

Big Exports.

The exports to Britain for the last two days from the port of Toronto are the largest of any two days in the annals of the Customs House. The principal items are as follows:

Bacon	$60,000
Apples	3,000
Turkeys	10,000
Clover hay	12,000
Goose wheat	2,000
Peas	1,000
Dried apples	4,800
Oatmeal	2,000
Radiators	1,000
Cattle	2,000
Horses	1,000
Total	$98,840

Cotton Markets.

New York, Dec. 5.—Cotton, futures closed steady: Dec. 5.42, Jan. 5.43, Feb. 5.44, March 5.46, April 5.50, May 5.51, June 5.57, July 5.61, Aug. 5.64, Sept. 5.62, Oct. 5.64.

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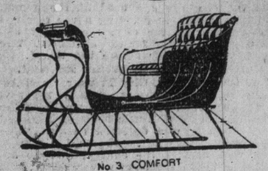

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