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AUCTION SALE OF FURNITURE.—On Monday, Manville & Brown will sell at eleven o'clock an assortment of household effects in excellent condition. No. 396, Rideout street, near Court House.

DISCONTINUED.—The general ticket and passenger agents of the Lake Shore, Great Western and Canada Southern Railroads have issued a joint circular which puts a stop to the sale of passage tickets over their respective lines by outside agents.

INCREASE IN TRAFFIC.—Orders were received on Thursday last by the officials of the Great Western Railway at Windsor to send West immediately one thousand empty cars for freight that was waiting shipment East.

STEALING A SWITCH.—At the Interim Sessions on Saturday morning Judge Elliot presiding, Joseph Hurley was charged with stealing a hair switch from Margaret Bird, of this city. He elected to be tried summarily, and the trial was fixed for to-morrow.

PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME.—The Trustees, in acknowledging the donations for July, have much pleasure in returning thanks to the Orange Young Britons and True Blues for $10, the proceeds of their annual service collection—Mr. Joseph Marshall, sen., Petersville, $5; Mr. Waller, Westminster, $1.50; Mrs. Cowan Hamilton, $1; Mrs. McCool, sen., 50c; FREE PRESS Office, 50c; Mr. John Wright, a valuable chart of the world and a piece of shesting; Mrs. Macdonald, Colborne street, assortment of clothing; Mrs. Green, remnants; Mr. Bradford, buns (twice); Mr. Pyne, pies; Mr. Lemon, beef; Methodist Church, hams, bread and biscuits, from the breakfast given to Cleveland friends; Mrs. Waterman, one jar of currant jam and one of pickled plums; Mrs. Ross, lettuce and onions; Mrs. Carlisle, rhubarb, carrots and onions; Mrs. Green, vegetables; Mrs. Hyman, lettuce and radishes.

POLICE COURT PECULIARITIES.—At the Police Court, Saturday, a number of colored youths named Pryer, Diggins and Stevenson were up charged with being disorderly on the L. & P. S. R. cars one day last week. Inspector ay, of the G. W. R. Company, stated that he feared it would be impossible to convict any of the accused, from the fact that the informant had refracted his statement. The men were accordingly allowed to go on paying $1.80 costs. John McGinnes, the lunatic who assaulted Mr. E. M. George, on the 12th of July, at Mount Brydges, was committed for trial. He is unsound in mind, and will, in all probability, be sent to the Asylum. James Collins, *alias* Samuel A. Roberts, who was caught by Detective Phair the other night in the act of selling stolen goods, and who is also charged with the larceny of a coat from R. Jennings, was remanded until Monday for examination.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Monthly Meeting on Saturday Afternoon—The Harmony Casualty, Etc.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners was held in the Mayor's Room on Saturday afternoon. Present—His Honor the County Judge and their Worships the Mayor and Police Magistrate.

In pursuance of instructions, Chief of Police Williams made his report of the proceedings which led to the death of Thos. Ley by the hand of Sergeant Crawford. This report entirely exonerates Sergeant Crawford from all blame, and shows that he acted strictly in self-defence. The Commissioners desire to record their entire concurrence in this view of the case, and also to express their commendation of the conduct of Sergeant Crawford and Detectives Phair and Heenan, who all exhibited good devotion to their duty under the trying circumstances which led to this unfortunate casualty.

A communication from Mr. R. S. Murray was received and read. No action taken.

A petition of the livery stable keepers was read, and Mr. George T. Hiscox was heard in relation thereto. The matter was deferred for consideration until next meeting, it being suggested that Mr. Hiscox should in the meantime call a meeting of the petitioners, with the view of fixing a tariff.

Three farmers in Pembrokeshire, Wales, were preparing a bull for the Royal Show on July 6, when he broke loose and made a terrible attack upon them. The bull gored Morgan Jones, then tossing upon Mr. Phillips broke his leg in two places and fractured several of his ribs. Finally tossed the third farmer, Mr. Thomas, three times in the air. Jones died in half an hour, and Phillips will not recover.

An old lady who was wont to sit near the door of a certain church recently went, says a contemporary, to the vicar, and asked leave to take a more prominent sitting. "Why?" he asked. "The fact of the matter is," she replied, "your curates preach such rubbish that by the time it gets down to me it's worth nothing at all."

The "Odd" Letter—A cockney inquired at the post office the other day for a letter for "Ensey Hogden. He was told there was none. "Look 'ere," he replied a little angrily; "you've examined a hold letter for my name. It won't commence with a hawkins, I tell yer, a ho. Look i the 'ole that's got the ho's."

ODDS AND ENDS.

Composed, Compiled and Corralled by "Free Press" Reporters.

A lo law to abolish vagrant vanity is needed.

A horse, unlike a man, is always prepared to meet an oat.

The weather still keeps warm enough for ice cream and fans.

The City Council meet this evening for transaction of business.

This weather has its advantages. For instance, if a fellow gets drunk—it's sunstroke.

So live that when thy summons comes—you won't fear the constable who serves it upon you.

Something is going wrong in this community. We haven't been sued for libel this summer.

Rev. Dr. Cooper, of the York Street Baptist Church, has gone up Lake Superior on a pleasure trip.

The label upon a bottle of agee remedy, requesting the patient to shake well before using, is superfluous.

A young lad named Maplethrop dropped down in a St. York street last Saturday night. He was taken home and cared for.

The time of the early bird that catches the worm has been beaten several minutes by the small boy in search of forbidden fruit.

The lightning-rod man must be allowed a good profit, for when he sells out his business he never can get within hailing distance of his well.

They are advertising a medicine to make folks lean, but we know a better way than that. Take one newspaper account to collect on the first of each week.

A doctor writes to an exchange to say that the much abused watermelon is perfectly harmless, and can be taken in impunity. Another slice, please.

The municipality of Prague has forbidden the wearing of dresses with trains on the streets. "Because of the dust, injurious to the public health, arises in dry weather."

There isn't as much fuss made over the inauguration of a boy's first pants pocket since it is to be since little Pop's a corner store, but there are more things to put in it.

"Let me know what you want for your money," writes the Seven Oaks correspondent, "and I will send it." We want $2 a year, or $1.00, if in a club, for the "King of of Weekies."

At a recent sheriff's sale in Lebanon Indiana, a farm was sold at $1 per acre, rate for a few dollars a man might have laid in enough coffins to last him a lifetime.

Mr. George Griswold, son of Dr. Griswold, formerly principal of Brantford collegiate, who left this city ten years ago, is at present spending a few days with his parents in this city.

Keziah Ley was summoned before the Police Magistrate, on Saturday afternoon, for using threatening language towards Nicholas Glynn. She was remanded until to day for examination.

The old bridge over Carling's Creek, where it crosses Talbot Street North, has been taken away and a neat structure erected, which is wider than the former one, and a great improvement.

John Hanly and Elias Irwin, the former a drunk from Woodstock and the latter a warrant from Exeter, were arrested on Saturday, and after a short confinement in the cells were granted their liberation.

Mr. A. C. Reid, of Parkhill, who is at present in New York taking part in the Caledonian games, intends upon his return to this city, accepting the challenge of Mr. G. Innes, as published in the FREE PRESS.

Cards bearing the inscription "It is hot," were placed in the pews of the Park Church and intended for to wear on the shirt bosom, may be obtained at this office. They will save the average citizen the trouble of repeating the remark about 328 times a day.

Raw tomatoes are universally commended as a first-class aperient. If you are suffering from disordered liver, you will find it an agreeable dose to take each morning about your person, but never carry it in your coat-tail pocket.

Correspondents should avoid unpleasant personalities, and never send an item, the force of which is understood by only themselves and one or two others. A newspaper is in no sense an unpleasede from which to pepper somebody with small shot.

The much-abused book agent has found in the phonograph a listener on whom he can talk for hours on a stretch without any danger of being kicked out of the front yard or having hot water thrown on him from an upper window. Book agents are beginning to brace up and take new courage.

As a temperance orator sat at a hotel table he said he would not for all the world take wine sauce, and spoke in such a loud voice that all the temperance people within earshot turned to him; but the next day when he whispered to the barkeeper that he would take "a little gin," his voice was so low and sweet that we doubt if even the recording angel heard it.

Excursions on the G. W. R.

Programme of the Week—Wonderful Development of This Traffic.

The excursion traffic over the Great Western Ry. and its branches has increased to a wonderful degree during the past two years. Indeed, it is not exceeded by any line of railway on the continent having a similar number of miles of road on the same portion of population to draw from. In cities such as New York, Boston, Chicago, St. Louis, etc., much larger numbers are of course transported from one point to another on pleasure trips, but in a country sparsely populated as compared with the places named, the traffic has been developed beyond the anticipations of Manager Broughton and his able staff of assistants. Some idea may be obtained of its extent from a perusal of the arrangements entered into for the week—

Monday—Paris civic holiday—excursions to Hamilton and Toronto.

Tuesday—St. Paul's Church Sunday School excursion from London to Port Stanley; St. Thomas civic holiday—excursion over the Air Line to Buffalo.

Wednesday—Masonic and Oddfellows' excursion from Ellenborg and stations on D., N. & Pt. Burwell line to Hamilton and to Beach; Simcoe civic holiday—excursion from Simcoe and stations west on Air Line to Port Lambton; Woodstock civic holiday—excursion to Hamilton, Toronto and Niagara Falls; Sabbath School excursion from Suspension Bridge (American side) to Grimsby camp; excursion from Port Dalhousie to Niagara Falls via Welland Railway.

Thursday—Regular weekly excursion from London to Port Stanley; Sabbath School excursion from Strathroy to Port Stanley; Rev. B. B. Keefer's excursion from Woodstock, Brantford and stations east to Hamilton and thence by boat to Queenston Heights; also a moonlight excursion on Burlington Bay under the same auspices; excursion from Listowel and Brussels to Hamilton and the Beach.

Friday—Church excursion from Amherstburg and stations east on the Canada Southern to St. Thomas, and thence by L. & P. S. R. to Port Stanley.

Saturday—Excursions from stations on main line and branches to Cleveland via Port Stanley.

London East Notes

(From our own Reporter.)

Saturday afternoon.

The Board of Works met in the Town Hall last night to examine the tenders for work on the streets in the southern part of the village. The following tenders were received:—

For box drain on Adelaide street, between the G.W.R. track and the river—Dee, Johnston, $815; F. Ellis, $925; G. S. Courtier, $919.30; George Carruthers, $815; James Robin, $815.60; John Hockins, $826; Mr. Cresswell, $826. Mr. Cresswell being the lowest, it was accepted.

For the grading, &c., of Frances street:—B. Johnson, $75; J. Hobin, $55.49; W. Taylor, $88; J. Hockins, $38.50; G. S. Courtier, $21.80. Mr. Courtier's tender was accepted.

For putting in box drains and grading Pegler street:—Ben. Johnson, $95; G. S. Courtier, $74.80; Geo. Carruthers, $73.50; John Robins, $54.30; W. Taylor, $48. Mr. Taylor's tender was accepted.

George Oxley has been summoned to answer to a charge of using abusive and threatening language to Mr. Muller, who keeps a store on Egerton street.

Last night Constable Nichols arrested two boys, named O'Mara and Cole, charged with stealing an axe from Fat. Henry. They were bailed to appear on Monday.

The County Cricket Match.

Forth vs. Middlesex on Saturday Afternoon.

This match, as announced, came off on Saturday on the Tecumseh Park, in presence of a good number of spectators, and resulted in favor of Middlesex. Some time was lost in commencing the game, exception having been taken to the umpire of the Forth team. It was at last decided to allow him to officiate, but under protest. Middlesex won the toss, and sent Flynn and Brough in to the bowling of White and Adams, who were decidedly on the spot, hence runs came very slowly. Flynn was soon bowled by Adams, and Hammond then joined Brough, the former showing signs of some of his good old cricket which we hope to see further brought out on some future occasion. Brough was run out, and was followed by Hyman, who was decidedly in his best cricket form, as the result showed. His 25 and not out was as good an exhibition of batting as we have had the pleasure of seeing for some time. He gave but one chance, and that to Adams, who most kindly dropped it. Middlesex retired for 64, and Perth then went to the bat. Crossbiwaite and Adams were sent in, to the bowling of Gillean and Hyman, the latter appearing in a new light as bowler throughout; he took five wickets, five runs being made off him. If he didn't astonish himself, he certainly did his friends, who were one and happy to see it. Perth, from first to last, exhibited no form in the batting line, if we except Forrester, of Middlesex. Although only a "cobb," he gave proof that, with practice, he can hold his reputation with most players. We hope to hear of him again, this being the first really good match he has taken part in. Middlesex managed with good bowling to keep the Perth score down, the last wicket falling for 47 runs. The match being virtually over, Middlesex proved the victor by 17 runs. It was then decided to play until the time agreed to draw stumps, and Middlesex went to bat for second innings. Hyman again came to the front with 44, his score being composed principally of fours, threes and very few singles. In fact, it seemed as if he could hit what he liked, where he liked, and the field, although placed very deep, made no difference, his runs came quickly. Middlesex's second innings closed for 70, when stumps were drawn to enable the players to catch the train for home. We can assure the members of the L. C. C. that as soon as they establish a return cricket as played by Hyman, so soon will they find the public attend the matches and give them all the encouragement they can. The following is the score:

MIDDLESEX—FIRST INNINGS.

Brough, run out.
Flynn, run out.
Hammond, b Andrew Murphy
Hyman, b Murphy
Forrester, b Murphy
Gillean, b White
Brompton, b White
McLean, b White
Warren, b Crossbiwaite
Fox, b White
Allman, b White
Byes, 6; leg byes, 3; wides, 1.

SECOND INNINGS.

Brough, run out.
Flynn, b Crossbiwaite
Hyman, b White
Hammond, b White
Warren, b Adams
Paine, c White
McLean, run out
Hope, c Murphy
Brompton, c Cobbell
Fox, b Adams
Allman, not out
Leg byes, 3; wides, 3; no ball, 1.

PERTH—FIRST INNINGS.

Crossbiwaite, c. Gillean
Adams, c McLean
Murphy, c Barnes
Cobbell, run out
Daw, c Hyman
White, c Flynn
Patterson, b Hyman
Irvine, c Gillean
Forrester, b Gillean
Doty, b Hyman
Wright, not out
Byes, 6; leg byes, 4; wides, 5.

The Middlesex winning in one innings with 17 runs to spare.

More Biddulph Bulldozing.

How the "Lambs" Mislabelled Themselves.—A Complaint Requiring Explanation.

For some weeks past, some of the "boys," who vibrate around Lucan and make their home in the township of Biddulph, have been in the habit, when in their caps, of assaulting, robbing and camping into vehicles standing outside of business places, driving the teams into the country, and leaving them by the roadside when they tired of them. In two or three instances the horses have been so used up from the effects of the "whops" carousal, that they have been useless ever since. Constable Everett has been made aware of half a dozen of such cases, but not until very recently has he been able to get the parties to lay information against the offenders. About two days ago, two men named James Keefe and John Cavanagh (the latter a Londoner), while in Lucan played the trick on Mr. Farmer, of the township of McGillivray, but he didn't feel disposed to prosecute. A young man named John Flynn, however, observed the men drive away the rig, and informed Mr. Everett of the circumstances. A warrant was procured, and on Sunday week James Keefe was arrested while at church. He was subsequently bailed to appear on Friday last for examination. After being bailed, he went back to the church, in company with his brother Patrick, and the latter, it is alleged, assaulted Flynn, who happened to be present. Pat was shortly afterwards arrested, as was also Cavanagh. The case came before Squires Stanley and McCosh on Friday evening last. These magistrates fined Patrick Keefe $3 and costs, and wanted to dispose of the case against Jim Keefe and Cavanagh, but Everett refused to allow them. After the trial Everett told Flynn to keep dark, or the "lambs" would make it hot for him. Monday night Flynn took refuge in the kitchen of McFalls's Hotel, thinking he would be safe there. But, by some means or other, one more of the party got wind of his whereabouts, and hurled a piece of brick through the window, which struck Flynn's head, inflicting a serious wound thereon. The case against Cavanagh and Keefe, for malicious damage to property, was set down before Squire Peters in this city for Saturday afternoon last, but owing to the illness of Mr. Flynn, the investigation was enlarged until the 10th.

Constable Everett complains that two of the recently appointed J.P.'s, notably McCosh and Cummican, refused to accept his information against offenders such as the persons mentioned above, fearing that by so doing the votes of a certain portion of the electors of Biddulph will be cast against the party from whom these Magistrates received their honorary (?) distinction. If such be the case, Constable Everett should lose no time in acquainting the Attorney-General of the conduct of these Squires, one of whom has publicly boasted that he accepted of the position more for honor than for business.

School Teachers' Examinations.

First-Class Provincial Certificates.

The following are the candidates who were successful at the recent examinations:—

Grade A—Cornell, Dani. B.; Hunt, Martha E.; Johnson, Hugh D.; Kirk, George Lawson; Leitch, Ralph; Nelles, Wm. Tanner, Robert J.

Grade B—Alford, Wm.; Ferguson, Miles; Greig, John Alexander; Johnston, Wm.; Sellon, Richard; Shepherd, Richard.

Grade C—Chalfen, Edward; Cheyene, Francis A.; Collee, Wm. H.; Lalor, Jennie; McLean, Peter; McNeil, Alex.; Sharman, Geo.; Sims, Bartha; Springer, Mary Elizabeth; Welsh, Lafayette; Wilson, James H.; Wood, Sarah; Sandford, Ella.

The following will be entitled to first-class certificates on furnishing evidence of having had the requisite experience in the profession:—

Grade A—Campbell, Thos.; White, Jas. F.

Grade B—Hill, Richard.

Grade C—Armstrong, Moore; Brown, Mary Jane.

Cook, J. W.—This candidate was misinformed regarding the time when the examination commenced, and in consequence failed to give answers to some of the papers. He answers to these on which he was examined were very good.

"Can you assist me?" asked a tramp, poking his head into an hotel parlor, the other day. His application was granted. The tramp assisted his pals down the stairs, three steps at a time.

Col. Walker's Insult to the Workingmen.

A Proper Reply from a Worker in the Trenches.

To the Editor of the Free Press.

SIR,—Allow me to inform Mr. Walker that he lies when he says that the men employed on the water-works are "tramps." They are men who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow at the hardest kind of work for the smallest kind of pay. Yet we are honorable men and not tramps. We have a number of votes too, which will be cast not for Walker.

A WORKER IN THE TRENCHES.

The Provincial Exhibition.

Programme for the Week—Special Prizes by Citizens of Toronto.

The Provincial Exhibition will be held in Toronto on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28. Entries must be made, according to notice already given, as follows:—Live stock and agricultural implements, before August 24; farm products and manufactures, before August 31; horticultural products and fine arts, before September 7. The value of the prizes offered is $18,000, and all the classes that were in last year's prize list are included on the prize list this year.

The Council of the Agricultural and Arts Association having received an offer of $50 from the citizens of Toronto, to be appropriated for special premiums, has accepted such offer, and added the sum of $500, making a total of $1,000, to be awarded in special prizes, as follows:—

Thoroughbred Horses—1 stallion and 3 females, of any age; pedigree to be produced ..... $ 100
Agricultural Horses—Exclusive of pure Clydesdales or Suffolk stallions and 3 females, of any age 100
Heavy Draught Horses—Imported or breeds from pure imported heavy-draught sheet, 1 stallion and 3 females, of any age; Clydesdales and Suffolk stallions and 3 females, of any age 100
Clydesdales—1 foal, any age, and 3 females, 24 months and under 100
Suffolks—1 foal, any age, and 3 females, 24 months and under 100
Thoroughbred cows, breed for dairy purposes; 3 cows in milk, pure breed or crosses of Ontario breeds 100
Two fat steers 100
Thoroughbred boars, or other long wools; 2 sows, any breed 100
Cotswolds, Southdown, Oxford, Hampshire or Shropshire Downs, 1 ram and 10 ewes 100
Pigs—Berkshire or other black breed; 1 boar and 3 sows 100
Total $1,000

The order of proceedings this year will be very much like that of last year. The fair will be opened on Monday, the 23rd prox., the admission fee being 25 cents, and it will remain open until 9 o'clock on Saturday morning, when the premiums will be paid and the goods removed from the grounds. The judges will commence their work on Tuesday, the 24th, and the usual prize tickets will be given out by them. The annual meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association, and the annual meeting of the Mechanics' Institute Association take place on Tuesday, the 24th. The annual meeting of the directors of the Provincial Agricultural Association for the election of officers and directors, and the deciding of the place of holding the next exhibition, will take place on Wednesday, September 25th.

THE BOSS OF THE "CORNER."

Interview With Peter McGeoch, the Milwaukee Dealer Who "Squeezed" His Fellow-Speculators.

From the Milwaukee Sentinel, Aug 1.

"Now, tell me, just how the corner began, if you please," said the reporter.

"Well, it wasn't intended for a corner at all. I went in and bought some wheat at 98 cents, and they all came at me and began forcing the market down. They got it down to 95c, and called me for $110,000, and wanted the margins. They said they had no business and no shakes, and the Fabians could not understand a military band without fifes. They laughed at the small caps that the Americans wore, and said that they looked more like servants or lackeys than anything else. The French found fault because the band allowed a lady to sing at their concerts. They said it was not etiquette for a lady to appear on the platform with a brass band. They ridiculed and made fun of the troops in all sorts of ways, and although the Mayor and Council-General and others got up a picnic in the Bois de Boulogne, it was of no use. They declared that Gilmore had not half the him was good enough for Boston or Albany, or for a popular concert in New York, but it was nothing at the Exhibition. Why, there were military bands giving free concerts in every part in Paris that beat the Americans out and out. There was the splendid orchestra of 120 pieces from the Theatre of La Scala at Milan. They drew immense throngs, and yet, although the municipal authorities of Milan gave them 60,000 francs to help defray their expenses, they have made a losing season of it. This orchestra was under the command of the celebrated maestro, Franco Faccio. There was another powerful orchestra of one hundred and twenty pieces from Turin under Carl Pasdeloup. What could Gilmore expect to do against them without a single first-class cornetist in his whole troupe? If Arbuckle or Levy had gone along there might have been some chance, although it would have been slim enough then. The xylophone, that was encored in London, didn't take worth a cent on the continent; in fact, it was played out there fifteen years ago."

"Was any attempt made to go on to Germany?"

"Not that I heard of. In fact, it was lucky for them that they didn't. They would have fared worse there, if possible, than in Paris. We had could have expected to do at five francs admission in a country where the entrance fee to the finest music halls in the world is ten cents?"

BUSINESS NOTICES

FINE CHEAP TEAS.—See those new package teas from fifty cents per pound, in quarters, halves and pounds. Try it. At Andrews' fruit, confectionery, and tea-store, 420 Richmond street.

SUMMER CLOTHING, CLOTHING.—A very good assortment of which can be had, at low prices at J. Comiskey, Crystal Hall Building, Dundas Street.

Buy superior mixed flour, manufactured from pure Fife spring wheat and White fall, from Dolbear, of Richmond street.

We have the finest assortment of Hair Brushes and Dressing Combs in the city. Harkness & Co., dispensing chemists, cor. Dundas and Wellington streets, London.

MY SUPERIORS with inflammatory rheumatism were intense. It settled in my ankle. I thought it would be the death of me. I used Lockhart Indian Ointment. The result was wonderful; pain, of course, left immediately. W. VOORHIS, 213 W. 35th St., New York. Sold by druggists generally. Depot for Canada, 120 King St. West Brockville, Ont. Trial bottles 25 cents.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH inserted with or without plates, warranted perfect, and the charges moderate by our system of 22 years' standing. All work warranted 5 yrs. DOCTOR, 31 Queen Street East.

CALIFORNIA Honey, at A. Mountjoy's, City Hall Buildings.

R. M. CARNTER, choice family groceries, provisions, and liquors. Sole agent for Cabinet whisky, porter, &c. R. M. Carnter, agent for the Free Press, Lucan, Corner Forsyth and Lucan.

The Roadside low prices and fine goods suits at Phillip Cook's new shoe store, opposite Strong's Hotel, Richmond street, Notre Dame Block.

NEW FLOUR AND FEED STORE.—Home-cured bacon, pork and hams at G. W. Rowell's, corner York and Richmond streets. Flour, feed, and all kinds of vegetables. Fresh meat daily. Free delivery. Free Press.

Baby clothes robes in great variety, lace bibs, lace, and linen bibs, lace and muslin caps, infants' jackets, at Mrs. F. GALLEAN'S, 146 Dundas street.

*Robinson's Phosphorized Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Lactic Phosphates of Lime is particularly adapted to the wants of those in ill health, the states of the system that manifest themselves in so many of the scientific phrases that mean, *To the aged and infirm* its nourishing and invigorating properties will give renewed vigor and buoyancy of spirit and for *very young children* it is unsurpassed as it promotes healthy growth and development of the system, enables them to enjoy the blood with strength giving materials to be used and assimilated into bone and tissue, the foundation for *strong and healthy constitutions*. It is very pleasant to the taste.

Prepared solely by J. N. ROBINSON, Pharmaceutical Chemist, 145 King St. West, Toronto. Druggists and to-retail Dealers. Price $1.00 per bottle; six bottles for $5.00.

Financial and Commercial.

LATEST PER MIDNIGHT REPORT.

New York Stocks and Money.

Monday Evening, August 5.

GOLD	100½	C. P.	—
Wabash	—	Erie	8
St. Paul	34	Lake Shore	63½
" preferred	54	Michigan Central	87
D. & H.	91	Illinois Central	95
St. Jos	9	Del., Lack. & W.	89½
" preferred	19	Western Union	97½
Erie	8	Pacific Mail	17½
M. C.	63½	New York Central	97½
American Ex.	97	U. P.	—
Fitts	93	C. & A.	95½

New York, Aug. 5.—Railroads opened weak, market during afternoon firm; call stocks, however, were weaker lower. The Bank of England was 2 to 3 per cent., latter to Delaware, Lackawanna & Western.

European Funnies.

London, Aug. 5, 11.30 a. m.

Consols	94 12-16	10-C.	—
" acct	94 13-16	4pc	105
Fives	104	Erie	8½
N. Y. C.	—	" pref	20
		London, Aug. 5, 5 p. m.	
Consols, money	94 13-16	Erie	8½
" account	94 15-16	" preferred	20
4s	105	10-C.	95
Fives	104½	N. Y. C.	—

Liverpool.

Liverpool, August 5, 5.00 p. m.

	d	s	d		d	s	d		d	s	d		d	s	d
Flour	4	6	10	Ass	5	0	0	Pork	0	0	0	Tallow	0	0	0
Wheat, spg	9	4	9	Bacon	4	0	0	Lard	0	0	0	Spirits Turp.	0	0	0
Red Winter	9	4	9	Cheese	0	0	0	Tallow	0	0	0				
White	10	0	10	Ass	5	0	0	Lard	0	0	0				
Cal. Club	10	0	10	Bacon	4	0	0	Cheese	0	0	0				
Corn, new	3	9	3	Pork	0	0	0	Tallow	0	0	0				
" old, new	0	0	0	Lard	0	0	0	Spirits Turp.	0	0	0				
Oats	2	8	0	Beef	0	0	0								
Peas	3	4	3	Ass	0	0	0	Pork	0	0	0	Tallow	0	0	0
Barley	0	0	0	Bacon	0	0	0	Lard	0	0	0	Spirits Turp.	0	0	0
Pork	0	0	0	Cheese	0	0	0								

The following are the quotations for the three days of the past week:—

	July 30			31			Aug 1		
	s	d	s	d	s	d	s	d	s	d
Flour	24	0	24	0	24	0	24	0	24	0
Wheat, spg	9	4	9	4	9	4	9	4	9	4
Red Winter	9	4	9	4	9	4	9	4	9	4
White	10	0	10	4	10	4	10	4	10	4
Cal. Club	10	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	10	0
Corn, new	32	9	32	6	32	6	32	6	32	6
" old, new	32	9	32	6	32	6	32	6	32	6
Oats	2	8	2	8	2	8	2	8	2	8
Peas	34	3	34	0	34	0	34	0	34	0
Barley	40	0	40	0	40	0	40	0	40	0
Pork	49	0	49	0	49	0	49	0	49	0
Lard	38	0	38	0	38	0	38	0	38	0
Bacon	32	6	32	6	33	0	33	0	33	0
Cheese new	41	0	41	0	41	0	41	0	41	0
Tallow	37	3	37	3	37	3	37	3	37	3
Red	34	6	34	6	34	6	34	6	34	6

Beerbohm's Telegram.

London, August 5.—GRAIN—Floating cargoes of wheat and maize quiet and rather easier, but no advance noticeable; corn steady; cargoes on passage and for shipment—Wheat at the opening firmly held; corn unaltered. Quotations of good cargoes of mixed American corn, old the same, per qr of 480 lbs, Mark Lane measure, 31 per cent. corn, 15s 6d to 16s. Weather in England is showery. Liverpool Wheat is the spot at opening, former bond and higher; corn a trifle dearer. American western mixed corn, per qr of 480 pounds, 32s 9d, Canadian peas, per qr of 504 lbs, 34s.

Chicago.

Chicago, August 5, 10 a. m.—WHEAT—Opens at 97½c Aug.; 95½c Sept. RECEIPTS—Flour, 6,445 barrels; wheat, 76,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; barley, 3,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 5,728 barrels; wheat 75,000 bushels; corn, 10,000 bushels; barley, 20,000 bushels; rye, 1,000 bushels; barley, 400 bushels.

Chicago, August 5, midnight.—FLOUR in good demand, but prices unchanged. WHEAT—Spring opened firmly under news; No. 1 red winter at 98c; No. 1 spring old at 91½c. CORN is steady high at, closing week, 32½ cents, 32½ to 32½c. OATS steady, 2½c to 3c higher, 27½ to 28c. RYE steady and unchanged. BARLEY irregular, 40c to 45c cash. PORK active and firm; 10c to 15c higher. LARD strong and higher; 37½ cents. BULK MEATS active and firm; shoulders, 4½c; short rib, 6½c; short clear, 6½c. WHISKEY unchanged. RECEIPTS—Flour, 5,000 barrels; wheat, 75,000 bushels; corn, 17,000 bushels; barley, 3,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 3,000 barrels; wheat, 70,000 bushels; corn, 17,000 bushels; oats, 5,000 bush.

New York.

New York, Aug. 5.—COTTON steady. FLOUR steady, receipts 22,000 bbls; sales 19,000 bbls, 10c to 15c higher for low grades and western. RYE FLOUR unchanged. WHEAT—opened firmer, Aug. & shade firmer, afterwards dull and lower; winter fairly active and quiet; receipts 102,000 bush; sales 56,000 bush. No 2 winter red Aug. $1.07½ to $1.08. RYE firm. CORN 1c better; receipts 300,000 bushels; sales 75,000 bushels; 47c to 49c. BARLEY nominal. OATS steady; receipts 78,000 bushels; sales 32,000 bushels; 30c to 35c for mixed western and State. 35c to 40c for white do. PORK firmer, $10 50 to $10.75. LARD firmer, $6.75 to $6.80.

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—PEAS—Receipts, 500 bushels. Canada peas are nominally lower. Lard sales, 30c to 75c, bulk and boxed. BARLEY MALT—Receipts to-day, 10,300 bush. The demand is only moderate, but prices are steady. Sales of 1,000 bush city at $1—$1.10, tinus.

New York, August 5.—PEAS—Canada peas neglected. Last sales, 35c to 37c in bulk and bush. BARLEY quiet but firm; feeders apart on September and October deliveries. BARLEY MALT—Receipts to-day, 9,400 bush. Barley malt dull but steady. Sales of 1,000 bush good Canadian at $1.05c.

Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, August 5, 1.15 p. m.—WHEAT—Hard at $1 10; No. 1 at $1 12; No. 2 at $1.08, cash; $1.09 August; $1.09½ September; $1.09 October.

Milwaukee, Aug. 5.—FLOUR—In good demand. WHEAT—Opened firm and closed firmer. No. 1 Milwaukee hard, is quoted at $1.15; No. 1 Milwaukee at $1.14; No. 2 Milwaukee at $1.07, August at $1.09½; September at $1.09½; October at $1.09. CORN—Firmer. No. 2 at 36c. OATS—Easier; No. 2, 26½ at 26½c; new at 25c. RYE—Steady, with a fair demand; No. 1 at 50c. BARLEY—Excited and higher; No. 2 spring is quoted at 42c; No. 3 at 38c. PROVISIONS—Quiet but firm. Mess pork is quoted at $10.75 cash and July. Lard—Prime steam is quoted at $6.60 cash and July.

Boston.

Boston, Aug. 5.—FLOUR—Market steady, superfine, $3.50 to $4.50; extra at $4 to $4.25; family, $4.25 to $4.50. WHEAT—Spring wheats are 3c higher at 95c to $1.05; Hungarian at 95c to $1.05; winter wheat, Ohio, fairly active and firm; Western and Ohio at $1.12 to $1.14; Illinois at $1 to $1.02. CORN firm, mixed and yellow at 35c to 36c; steamer at 40c to 42c. OATS quiet, but firm; Western at 32c to 33c; No. 2 white at 33c to 34c; No. 3 white at 32c to 33c. RYE—Receipts—Flour, 4,000 bbls; wheat, 8,000 bush. Shipments—Flour, 400 bbls; wheat, 1,000 bush.

Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, August 5.—FLOUR—In fair demand; superfines at $2.50 to $3; extras at $3 to $4; Minnesota family at $4.75 to $5; high grades at $6 to $7.50. RYE FLOUR at $3. CORN MEAL at $2.50 to $2.75. WHEAT—Red at $1.03; amber at $1.03 to $1.05; white at $1.05 to $1.08. RYE at 57c. CORN—Yellow, firm and in demand; 40c to 40½c; mixed at 40c to 40½c. OATS—Steady and firm; 30c to 32c for Western and State. RYE at 55c to 56c. PROVISIONS—Pork firm at $10.75 for mess; mess beef at 12c to 13c; smoked hams at 12c to 12½c; dried at 9½c to 10c; green hams at 8c. LARD firm; kettles's at 6½ to 6¾c; city tierces at 6¼c. BUTTER—Firm and in good demand; Western at 16c to 20c; Penna at 20c to 22c; Delaware creamery at 22c to 25c. CHEESE—Firm; Western quoted at 6½c. EGGS—Firm; Western quoted at 16c. WHISKEY—Firm; Western quoted at $1.06. RECEIPTS—Flour, 2,000 barrels; wheat, 10,000 bush; corn, 12,000 bushels.

Chicago Hog Market.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—HOGS—Receipts, 10,000 head; light at $4.30 to $4.55; heavy mixed at $4.40 to $4.60; heavy packing at $4.50 to $4.65; shipping at $4.60 to $4.75.

Chicago Cattle Stock.

Chicago, August 5.—The *Drovers' Journal* to-day reports as follows:—HOGS—Receipts to-day have been 10,000 head; shipments, 5,000 head. The market is lower and 5c to 10c lower than yesterday; light at $4.30 to $4.55; good to choice