HAMILTON'S LABOR TROUBLES.

Prospects of Settlement Brighter—Grand Black Chapter of America in Session.

HAMILTON, April 10.—The prospects of a settlement of the labor troubles are a little brighter to-day. The carpenters and bosses will have another meeting to-morrow afternoon to try to arrange a scale of wages, and it is said that if a satisfactory agreement is arrived at the lock-out against that union will be rescinded.

At the meeting of the City Council last night the application of the Board of Education for the issue of $100,000 building debentures was refused. The estimates were passed and the rate of taxation fixed at 18½ mills.

A number of petitions from various temperance societies were presented to the License Commissioners at their meeting to-day, asking that the number of licensed groceries be reduced to twenty, taverns to seventy-five and saloons cut off altogether.

The annual session of the Most Worshipful Grand Black Chapter of America, the highest organization of the Orange order, opened in the Orange Hall at 2.30 this afternoon. All the delegates have not arrived yet, and it is expected that about 100 will be present from all parts of Canada.

The Internal Management Committee of the Board of Education have decided to recommend to the board that the salaries of teachers be advanced $50.

Eight more deserters from Fort Niagara have arrived in the city.

Chas. Johnston, a professional thief, and one of the slickest pickpockets in the business, was arrested last night on a charge of vagrancy.

At the Police Court this morning Frank McCusker was fined $10 for attempting to "mash" a Mrs. Sayers yesterday. Wm. Shaw, who was found guilty of picking a purse from the pocket of Mrs. Margaret Choate in the market, was sent to the Central Prison for six months.

Symptoms of Catarrh.

A profuse and many times excessively offensive discharge, with "stopping up" of the nose at times, impairment of the sense of smell and taste, watering or weak eyes, impaired hearing, irregular appetite, occasional nausea, pressure and pain over the eyes, and at times in the back of the head, occasional chilly sensations, cold feet, and a feeling of lassitude and debility, are symptoms which are common to catarrh; yet all of them are not present in every case. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures catarrh in its worst forms and stages. It is pleasant to use, and contains no poisonous or caustic drugs. Of druggists, 50 cents. 8

"Mrs. Keefer at Washington."

Editor World: So many letters are being received by the Executive of the Ontario Women's Christian Temperance Union repudiating Mrs. Keefer's disloyal utterances in the Women's Council at Washington, that it has been thought right and proper to make a few statements in regard to the subject.

In the month of February last the Ontario Union received an official invitation from the Executive of the Council to send one delegate to represent Canada, not Ontario, at the coming anniversary. We decided to send the Dominion President, Mrs. Youmans, or failing her, our own Ontario President, Mrs. Chisholm. On account of ill-health on the part of the former and the many demands already made on the time and strength of the latter, it was found to be impossible for either of these ladies to attend, and the Executive then resolved that "We do not send a delegate to the Council," and a note to that effect was sent to the Secretary, Mrs. Poole, at Washington. Now, it seems very clear that if the Ontario Union received the only official invitation sent to Canada, but it repudiated it and did not send one, then Canada was not represented in that Council of Women at Washington.

We are grieved that the necessity for this public explanation has arisen, but when we were asked through the columns of a Toronto paper, "how the women of the Ontario W. C. T. U. like the spread-eagleism of their delegate" at Washington it was thought advisable to disclaim all connection with the lady referred to. We are not surprised at the indignation of our Canadian women when their love and loyalty to their noble Queen are impugned. The women of Canada, whether W. C. T. U. women or not, love and reverence their Queen. We are proud to pay our homage to her, not only because she is the sovereign of an empire on which the sun never sets and by her wise and beneficent rule during the past half century has proved that a woman is fitted to fill the highest position in the land, but also because she is a true woman, a queen amongst women, a true loving faithful wife and mother, who, in the faithful discharge of these, the noblest and highest duties of womanhood, has furnished us with a bright example and fixed our hearts with true loyalty.

MARY WILEY, Cor. Sec. Ontario W.C.T.U.
Richmond Hill, April 9.

—Like all sterling remedies, Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspepsia Cure deserves a fair trial. It would be absurd to suppose that this or any other medicine of limited powers could overcome chronic Dyspepsia, Constipation, Liver Complaint and other ailments to which it is subject, in two months of continued some time, even after the chief symptoms are relieved. That it does effect complete cures is a fact established by ample and respectable evidence. x

How to Suppress the Tramp Nuisance.

A man claiming to have an intimate personal acquaintance with the genus tramp sent a letter to the Mayor yesterday, in which he offered his views on the subject of abating the nuisance. In the first place he recommended that tramps should be made to work when sent down to the jail, even if it was carrying heavy stones from one place in the jail yard to another. He states that the majority of the tramps sent down are old timers who year after year flock to Toronto to enjoy the hospitalities of the jail and other institutions. There may be a few casuals put in every case. Dr. Sade's Catarrh Remedy cures catarrh in its worst forms and stages. It is pleasant to use, and contains no poisonous or caustic drugs. Of druggists, for 50 cents. 8

The Boss Plasterers Elect Officers.

The Master Plasterers' Association elected these officers yesterday afternoon, the meeting being held at 16 Victoria-street: President, F. B. Lockwood; Financial Secretary, J. W. Kennedy; Secretary, John Knox; Treasurer, John Boyce; Delegates to the Union Builders' and Contractors' Association, F. B. Lockwood, J. W. Kennedy, R. Dancy, W. J. Hynes, Geo. Rudlin. The treasurer's report showed the Association to be in a prosperous condition. The members talked the matter of laborers' wages over and came to the conclusion that the prospects did not warrant the rate of 22½ cents demanded by the union after June 15.

At the Police Court.

In the absence of Police Magistrate Denison yesterday, Ald. Frankland presided over the police court business. Cyrus Cimball, alias Griswold, who has just terminated a twelve months' residence in the Central prison, was arrested by Detective Davis for alleged burglary at Rathven, Keech & Co.'s on Saturday last. He was remanded as was also Edward Rice on the charge of having attempted to murder John Woods on February 19, 1883.

There are cases of consumption so far advanced that Hickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup will not cure, but none so bad that it will not give relief. For coughs, colds and all affections of the throat, lungs and chest, it is a specific which has never been known to fail. It promotes a free and easy expectoration, thereby removing the phlegm, and gives the diseased parts a chance to heal. x

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An Order for Contempt of Court.

The Chancery Divisional Court yesterday made an order to commit Mr. Sol. White, ex-M.P.P., of Windsor, for contempt of court in refusing to obey a judgment in Currie v. White. The court gives the redoubtable Sol until to-morrow to toe the mark.

Dragging its Weary Length Along.

The Don arbitration was continued yesterday before Judge McDougall and the other arbitrators. City Solicitor Biggar represented the corporation.

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NO. 1 CROP SCARE 1888.

AND WHEAT BOUNDS UP TWO CENTS IN RESPONSE.

Stocks Quiet—Federal Bank Statement—The Guelph Branch Closed—Business Failures—The Canadian Oil Trade—The Horse Market—Gossip from Wall-street.

TUESDAY EVENING, April 10.

The announcement to-day by the American Bureau of Agriculture, that the wheat crop on this continent was by no means in a favorable condition, was speedily followed by excitement in the grain and produce exchanges. Wheat quotations in the various points registered higher, particularly in Chicago, where the advance was two cents.

The British markets for both grain and produce were firm. In Liverpool some grades of wheat made an advance in price. Corn, in sympathy, was also dearer. Barley continues to decline in Oswego. During the past two weeks No. 1 bright Canadian has dropped 6 cents.

Stocks were quiet in New York, and most of the lines showed a decided weakness. Montreal stocks were fairly active and Toronto stocks dull, with values well maintained.

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TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

Business was dull on the local stock exchange to-day. Three lots of Commerce changed hands in the forenoon, and in the afternoon 2 of Lon. & Can. L. & A. In the forenoon British America was quoted at 94½ and 92½; Western Assurance, 143 and 141; Consumers' Gas, 180 bid; Dom. Tel., 85 and 83; N.-W. Land Co., 54 and 51½; Can. Pac. R.G. bonds, 104½ bid; Can. Pac., 205 and 200; Freehold, 167 bid; West. Can., 125 bid; Union, 130 bid; Can. Landed Credit, 124 and 121; B. & Loan Assn., 101½ and 101; Imperial S. & Invest., 112; Farmers' L. & S., 124 and 118; Lon. & Can. L. & A., 161½ and 160; Peoples' Loan, 102½ bid; Real Estate L. & Deb. Co., 40 asked; Land Security Co., 245; Huron & Erie, 156; Dom. Savings & Loan, 100 and 90; Ont. Loan & Deb., 117½ bid; Hamilton Prov., 152½ bid; British Can L. & I., 97 asked. In the afternoon British America was quoted at 94½ and 93; Western Assurance, 144 and 141; Consumers' Gas, 180; Dom. Tel., 83; N.-W. Land Co., 54½ and 50; Lon. & Can. L. & A., 147 and 146.

The following table shows the bank stock quotations:

Stocks.	12 M. Ask'd.	12 M. Bid.	4 P.M. Ask'd.	4 P.M. Bid.
Montreal	221	219	221	219
Ontario	100½	100	100½	100
Toronto	204	202	206	203
Merchants'	116½	115½	116½	115½
Commerce	117¾	116¾	117¾	116¾
Imperial		136		135
Dominion	225	223	225	224
Standard	128	127	128	127
Hamilton		134		

Transactions: In the forenoon, Commerce 20, 75 and 25 at 117; in the afternoon, Lon. and Can. L. and A. 100 and 100 at 146½.

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MONTREAL STOCKS.

MONTREAL, April 10, 12.10 p.m.—Bank of Montreal, 230 and 229; Ontario Bank, 121½ and 120; Banque du Peuple, 105 and 102; sales 50 at 103; Molson's Bank, offered, 197; Bank of Toronto, 203 and 200; Banque Jacques-Cartier, asked, 126; Merchants' Bank, 120 and 118½; sales 4 at 131½; Union Bank, offered, 91; Bank of Commerce, 117 and 116; Federal Bank, asked, 60; Montreal Telegraph Company, 94 and 92½; Rich. and Ont. Navigation Co., 50½ and 50; sales 100 at 50½; City Passenger Railway, offered 229, sales 20 at 228; Montreal Gas Co., 224 and 215½, sales 50 at 212; Canadian Pacific Railway, 54 and 53½; sales 50 at 53½; Canada Cotton Co., offered, 91; Dundee Cotton Co., 60 and 40; Hochelaga Cotton Co., 135 and 122.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

To-day's fluctuations of the leading stocks in the New York Stock Exchange as received by Bruntman & Co. were as follows:

Stocks.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Sales.
San. Pacific	48½	48½	48½	48½	300
Canada So.	50½	50½	50½	50½	200
St. L. & S. F.	27½	27½	26½	27	4,600
Erie	24½	24¾	24¼	24½	4800
Louisville & Nash	58½	58½	57½	57½	2,000
Lake Shore	106½	106½	105½	105½	600
Mich. Cent	87	87	86½	87	300
M. K. & T	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	
Mo. Pac	78½	78½	77½	77½	7600
N. Y. Cen	104½	104½	103½	103½	700
N. J. Cen	75	75	75	75	
Northwest	109½	109½	108½	108½	1,000
N. Y. & N. W	97½	97½	96½	96½	200
Reading	37½	37½	36½	36½	87,400
R. & W. Pref	72	72	72	72	
St. Paul	78½	78½	78½	78½	
Union Pacific	57½	57½	57½	57½	11,400
Western Union	78½	78½	78½	78½	11,200

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WALL-STREET GOSSIP.

Robert Cochran received this despatch to-day from his New York agents: NEW YORK, April 10.—Talk among brokers found at different up-town Hotels last night was very conservatively bullish. They thought that while Europe continued to show some confidence in our stocks, there would be no falling of prices to any considerable extent, although, considering the very large following, they would not be surprised if reactions were sharp, and in some instances very radical. They confessed that it would be but poor policy to let the market now go off to any considerable extent, and as they do not expect that bull leaders will make their chances at this time, they still advise friends to buy the dividend paying stocks on every moderately weak spot. The bears and Chicago continent and large room traders put out large lines through the session yesterday.

EUROPEAN AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Robert Cochran received these London financial quotations to-day: 12.30 p.m.—Consols 100 7-16 for money and 100½ on account; U.S. 4s, 126½; U.S. 4½s, 108; Erie, 25½; Erie 2nds, 99½; C.P.R., 61; N.Y.C., 105; Ill. Cent., 121½; 102½; Consols, 100 9/16; N.Y.C., 107½; Lake Shore, 91½; C.P.R., 60½; Ill. Cen., 121½; Erie, 25½; 2nd, 99½; Reading, 29½; Lon. and Nash., 55; St. Paul, 77½. The business of the Federal Bank in Guelph was finally closed on Saturday last. The bills of the bank will be redeemed by the other banks until all are called in.

The Manitoba Western Railway is being pushed forward by Mr. James Conmee, M.P.P. It is estimated that the road, exclusive of rolling stock, will cost $25,000 a mile. The length of the road will be 680 miles, and the cost of construction therefor $14,600,000.

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The total clearances on the Petroleum Oil Exchange for the week ending March 29 were 41,962 bbls.; for the week ending April 5 were 23,314 bbls.

The sales of wool for the week at Boston are reported at 2,353,200 pounds, as against 2,936,300 last week and 1,558,000 in the corresponding week a year ago.

Wheat and flour on passage to the United Kingdom March 22, 1888, from Azov Sea, Black Sea and Danube, 496,000 bushels; against 128,000 bushels a year ago; from Atlantic ports 1,176,000 bushels, against 2,692,000 bushels a year ago; from California and Oregon 6,934,000 bushels, against 10,320,000 bushels a year ago; from India 352,000 bushels, against 200,000 bushels a year ago; from Chili 920,000 bushels, against 728,000 bushels a year ago; from the Argentine Republic 144,000 bushels, against 48,000 bushels a year ago; from Australasia 2,264,000 bushels wheat, against 1,324,500 bushels a year ago. From other ports 432,000 bushels, against 445,000 bushels a year ago.

The pork packing March 1 to 22, 1888, at the principal points in the West is about 460,000, against about 425,000 the corresponding time in 1887, and was for the fourth week in March this year about 120,000 hogs, against about 140,000 last year. The winter's packing aggregates

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Canada's exports during February were: Produce of the mines, $271,144; of fisheries, $448,631; of the forests, $309,409; animals and their produce, $658,949; agricultural products, $264,136; manufactures, $178,979; miscellaneous, $33,579. Total, $3,097,345.

The last statement of the Federal Bank affairs published in The Canada Gazette is as follows: Liabilities—Notes in circulation, $283,802; Dominion deposits, $2776.12; Provincial Government deposits, $20,726; other deposits payable on demand, $62,804.35; other deposits payable on notice, $39,543.92; loans from other banks in Canada, $1,700,171.35; due other banks in Canada, $40,045.06; due foreign banks, $283,916.70; due United Kingdom banks, $26,102.50; total, $2,332,352.46. Assets—Specie, $4,439.19; Dominion notes, $1,947.00; notes and checks on other banks, $93,548.57; balances due from other banks in Canada, $15,963.47; balances due from foreign banks, $783.01; loans, for which securities other than Canadian are held, $24,390.60; other current loans, etc., $3,139,397.01; notes and bills discounted overdue and not specially secured, $171,630.42; mortgages, $31,275; real estate, etc., $87,833.13; mortgages, etc., $47,971.75; bank premises, $127,363.00; other assets, $36,297; total, $5,745,392.58.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

These business troubles are reported: Doon, Snider & Wismer, millers, calling their creditors; Durham, J. Cameron, general dealer, assigned to Thos. McFadden; German Mills, T. & A. B. Snider, millers, calling their creditors; Listowel, M. Widdifield, general dealer, assigned to Wm. Spears, Listowel; London, Pastew & Co., plumbers, assigned to Alfred Robinson, London; Meaford, Chas. Wall, founder, etc., assigned to Wm. Cook; Owen Sound, Hghl. Rodgers, books and stationery, assigned to R. W. Sutherland and stock sold; Pembroke, P. Denault, carriage maker, assigned in trust; Rockwood, J. Innes, general dealer, assigned to Geo. Anderson, Toronto.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Foreign Exchange is quoted by Growski & Buchan to-day as follows:

IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sixty days' sterling	4 86	4 85¾
Sterling demand	4 88	4 87¾

TORONTO.	Between Banks Bid.	Between Banks Asked.	Counter.
New York funds	1-10	0-16	¼ to ⅜
Sixty days' sterling	9-16	9-7-16	9/16 to ⅝
Demand do.	9-16	9 1-16	10 to 10¼

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Grain and Produce.

The shipments of wheat from India to the United Kingdom for the past week were 2560 qrs.; to the continent, 40,000 qrs.

The receipts at New York yesterday were: Flour, 12,000 bbls, and 8895 sacks; wheat, 550 bush; corn, 20,350; oats, 51,000; oatmeal, 581 bbls, and 152 sacks; malt, 34,000; lard, 2,588 tierces; whiskey, 88 bbls.

New York exports were: Flour, 4670 bbls, and 1008 sacks; wheat, 52,820 bush.; corn, 18,319; oats, 700.

The estimated receipts of hogs at the Union Stock Yards to-day are: 12,000; official yesterday, 14,823; shipments, 6850; left over, about 2000; cattle receipts yesterday, 8000. Market quiet and steady.

No. 2 spring wheat, May option, was quoted to-day at these wheat points as follows:

Chicago	76¾	78¾
New York	90¾	91
St. Louis	80¾	82¾
Milwaukee	78	80
Toledo	83	84
Detroit	85	86
Duluth	76	78

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STREET MARKET.

The street market to-day was dull, the receipts being only two loads of grain. A load of spring wheat sold at 78c; fall is nominal at 80c to 81c, and goose at 72c to 73c. A load of hay sold at $9. Oats are quoted at 36c to 36½, and peas at 72c. Hay in moderate supply and prices steady, a few loads at $11 to $12 for clover, and at $13 to $13.50 for timothy. Straw steady at $11 to $11.50 a ton. Dressed hogs are unchanged at $7 to $7.50. Beef, $3 to $5 for forequarters, and $5 to $7.40 for hindquarters. Mutton, $6.50 to $8. Lamb at $9 to $10. Veal, $6.50 to $8.50.

THE RETAIL MARKET.

The St. Lawrence market was quiet to-day and prices generally unchanged. Quotations: Beef, 12c to 14c; sirloin steak at 13c to 14c; steak, 10c to 12c; Mutton, legs and chops, 12c to 14c; shoulder and forlorn, 8c to 10c; roasts, 9c to 10c for front, and 11c to 12c for hindquarters. Veal, best joints, 12c to 13c; inferior cuts, 8c to 9c. Pork, chops and roasts, 10c. Butter in rolls, 20c to 25c; large rolls, 18c to 21c; inferior, 15c to 16c. Lard, tubs 10c to 11c. Cheese 11c to 12c. Bacon, 10c to 12c. Eggs 12c to 13c. Turkeys, 12c to 14c per lb. Chickens, per pair, 70c to 90c. Geese, 70c to 10c per lb; box lots 8c to 9c per lb. Ducks, 80c to $1. Partridges, 70c to 90c. Potatoes, per bag, $2.25 to $2.35. Apples, per barrel, $2 to $3. Beets, per bush, 60c to 75c. Onions, bag, $1.50 to $2. Celery, 50c to $1.25 a doz. Turnips, bag, 40c to 50c. Carrots, bag, 40c to 60c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Following are to-day's fluctuations in the Chicago grain and produce market as received by Hanahan & Co.:

		Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closed.
Wheat	May	77¾	79¾	76¾	79¾
"	June	77	79¼	76¼	79¼
"	July	75¾	78¾	75¾	78¾
Corn	May	46½	47¾	45¾	46¾
"	June	47¼	48¾	47¼	48¼
"	July	47¾	49¼	47¾	49¼
Pork	May	14.80	14.87	14.80	14.87½
"	June	14.40	14.52½	14.40	14.52½
"	July	14.47	14.62	14.45	14.60
Ribs	May	7.02	7.15	7.02	7.07
"	June	7.02	7.15	7.02	7.13½
"	July	7.22	7.35	7.22	7.25A
Lard	May	7.07½	7.17½	7.07½	7.12½
"	June	7.05	7.03	7.01	7.02½
"	July	7.05	7.05	7.03	7.02

LATER—Cash quotations were: No. 2 spring wheat, 73½c to 74½c; No. 2 red, 81c. No. 2 corn, 46c. No. 2 oats, 30c to 30½c. pork $14.25, lard $7.50, short rib sides $7.05, dry salted shoulders $5.75 to $6, short clear sides $7.05 to $7.40. Receipts—Flour 27,000 bbls, wheat 49,000 bush, corn 165,000 bush, oats 103,000 bush, rye 1000 bush, barley 32,000 bush. Shipments—Flour 24,000 bbls, wheat 16,000 bush, corn 109,000 bush, oats 63,000 bush, rye 1000 bush, barley 19,000 bush.

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NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Cotton dull, uplands 9 13-16c, gulf 9 15-16c. Flour steady. Wheat—Receipts 509 bush; exports 52,300 bush; sales 16,590,000 bush futures, 128,000 bush spot and arrive; options fervently and irregular but richer, spot steady; No. 2 red April 91½c, May 91½c, June 90½c, July 89½c. Corn—Receipts 20,000 bush, exports 12,300 bush, sales 985,000 bush, futures 104,000 bush spot and arrive, cash advanced about 1 cent, options opened steady, later strengthened and advanced ½c to 1c, closing rather weak; ungraded 64½c to 65½c, No. 2 April 65c, May 62½c, June 60½c, July 60c. Oats—Receipts 51,000 bush., sales 272,000 bush; futures 160,000 bush spot, firm and in some cases a trifle better. No. 2 April and May 37½c, July 37½. No. 2 37½c to 37¾c, mixed western 37c to 40c. Sugar steady; Standard "A" etc. cut loaf and crushed 7c, powdered 7c, granulated 6¾c.

BEERBOHM'S REPORT.

Beerbohm reports to-day: London—Floating cargoes—Wheat firmly held, corn and oats quiet. Arrivals—Wheat 4, sold nil. Waiting orders—wheat 7, Cargoes on passage—Wheat firmly held, corn firmer and held higher. Mark Lane—Spot good. Danubian corn 24s, was 24s; spot 23s 6d, was 23s; good cargoes No. 1 Cal. off coast 32s 6d to 32s 9d, was 32s 9d to 33s; Chilian off coast 32s 3d, was 32s 6d; Walla off coast 31s 6d, was 31s 6d; La Plata off coast 33s 6d, was 33s 6d. London—Good shipping No. 1 Cal., prompt sail, 32s 6d, was 32s 9d; ditto, near future, 32s 6d, was 32s 9d. Liverpool—Spot wheat firmer, corn strong; No. 1 Cal., No. 2 Cal. and red winter all unchanged; spring and wn. both a half dearer; flour 23s 6d, unchanged; corn 4s 11d, pnny dearer.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

Liverpool reports wheat firm to-day, with demand good and holders offering moderately. Corn firm, demand good. Quotations: Spring wheat, 6s 6d and 6s 7d; red winter, 6s 5d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 7d and 6s 8d; corn, 4s 10d; peas, 6s 5d; pork, 67s 6d; lard, 39s 6d; cheese, 62s 6d.

OSWEGO BARLEY MARKET.

[Oswego reports barley lower to-day, with No. 2 ext Canadian offered at 85c, No. 2 Canadian at 87c and No. 1 Canadian, 88c; others unchanged, 1 p.m.—No. 1 Canadian, 88c; others unchanged.

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The Oil Market.

In New York oil opened at 79½, went from that point down to 76¾ and closed at 77¾.

THE CANADIAN OIL TRADE.

The total shipments of crude oil and refined equivalent of crude from Petrolea during the month ending March 7 was 16,525 brls, in March of 1887 the shipments were 23,251; in March 1886, 37,782, and in March of 1885 30,360.

Petrolea Topic: The course of the market during the past week has uplifted the heart of the producer in a strain of increasing praise, in every respect it has been eminently a week for the bulls and the gentlemen who were playing the short side of the game had to perform some crazy elegant American hustling. All things being equal and the producer balancing himself accurately, there would seem to be no rational reason why crude should not go away out of sight, as compared with the last few years.

The reports of the Tanking Companies show a surprising decrease in the volume of stocks, and the whole business tenor of the trade indicates a quickening shortening of production. Added to this is the fact that wild cat operations during the year have been signally unsuccessful, and the most frantic efforts by the speculative element have proved abortive.

For the first time in six years the producer has been able to demand a price for his product, and the chances show exceedingly well to illustrate that though "the wheels of the gods grind slowly they grind exceeding small," and now that the balance of power tends towards the producing interest it should be weighted very carefully.

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