DETROIT BEAN MARKET.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Texas sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.50. Sheep \$3.80 to \$4.75; fair to choice withers, \$3.80 to \$4.75; fair to choice, mixed, \$3.50 to \$3.85; western sheep, \$3.85 to \$4.65; Texas sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.60; native lambs, \$4.25 to \$5.60; western lambs, \$5. to \$5.60.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Butter, was dull; creameries, 15c to 22½; dairies, 12c to 20c.

Toronto, Jan. 11-10 a.m.-Weather

probabilities for the next twenty-four

hours for the lower lakes region:

Saturday-East and northeast winds,

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

-Chicago physicians declare the

changeable weather is the cause of the

gripepidemic, which is spread by crowd-

At a meeting of the National Women's Council executive, held in Otta-

wa, it was decided to hold the next an-

nual meeting of the National Council

in London, Ontario, in the second week

SUICIDE OF A BOY.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.-John Gee.

aged 16 years, shot and killed himself

this morning in his room after being scolded by his mother for idleness and

DROPPED DEAD.

New York, Jan. 11.—Dr. Thomas Brown Wheeler, a prominent physician

in the Murray Hill Hotel, this city. Toronto, Jan. 11.—Thomas Robertson

on his way to work yesterday morn-

Jones-I'm a-growin' of my beard,

Sergeant-Then you must get up

earlier and do it, or-or-. Anyhow, you must not grow it while on dooty.

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THE MARKETS.

MONTREAL STOCKS. MONTREAL, Jan. 10.

Alex.	-
anadian Pacific 915%	91
Duluth, common 6	5
Duluth, preferred 16	13
Commercial Cable	168
Com. Cable Coupon Bonds	
Commercial keg. Bonds	
Montreal Telegraph, xd	167
Richelieu and Ontario	107
Montreal Street Railway278	277
Montreal Street Railway, new 275	270
Toronto Railway	108
Montreal Gas Company222	221
Bell Telephone, xd	172
Royal Electric	213
Bank of Montreal	218
Ontario Bank	124
Molsons Bank	190
Bank of Toronto	8
Merchants' Bank	
Merchants' Bank of Halifax	
Quebec Bank	
Union Rank	
Bank of Commerce	147
Northwest Land	
Northwest Land	136
Canada Colored Cotton xd, 79	75
Dominion Cotton 91	88
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THE LOCAL MARKET.
A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT
London, Friday, Jan. 11.
Wheat, white, per bu 63c to 64c
Wheat, red, per bu 62c to 64c
Oats, per bu
Peas, per bu 51c to 57c
Corn, per bu42c to 471/20
Barley, per bu
Rye, per bu48%c to 48%
Buckwheat, per bu40% c to 451/20
Beans, per bu \$1 00 to \$1 2

Grain values were a little higher to-day; receipts were light and the demand Oats brought 82c, and wheat \$1 07; barley, 74c to 80c. Hay brought \$7 50 to \$8; sales slow.

GRAIN.		
Wheat, white fall,, 100 lbs.\$1 05	@	\$1 07
Wheat, red fall, 100 lbs 103	@	1 07
Wheat, spring, 100 lbs	@	
Oats, per 100 lbs 78	@	
Peas, per 100 lbs 85	@	95
Corn, per 100 lbs., 75	@	
Barley, per 100 lbs 80	(0)	
Rye, per 100 lbs 80	@	
Buckwheat, per 100 lbs 85	@	
Beans, per bu 100	@	1 20
HOGS.		
Hogs, light, 100 lbs 600	0	6 25
Hogs, singers 6 25	@	6 25
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lbs 4 00	@	5 00
Pigs, young, per pair 350	@	4 50
Sows, per 100 lbs	@	
Dressed, 100 lbs. selects 8 00	@	8 50
Sows, per 100 lbs	0	7 50
HAY AND SEEDS.		
Hay, per load 750	a	8 00
Straw, per load 3 00	to	4 00
Straw, per ton 6 00	0	6 00
Clover seed, red, per bu	@	
Clover seed, alsike, per bu	a	
Timothy seed, per bu	0	
For Housekeepers.		
PROVISIONS.		
Cheese, per lb 12	@	12
Eggs, single dozen 22	w	25
Butter, lb, large rolls or		
erock	@	
Butter, pound rolls, retail 21	@	
Butter, creamery 24	(a)	
Lard. per 1b 11	a	12

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WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES.

Eggs, store lots, doz..... Butter, lb rolls, baskets...

POULTRY.			
Turkeys, per lb	8 5 50 40 40	88888	9 6 75 60 5 0
Apples, per bag		@@	75 2 00
Potatoes, per bag Turnips, new, per bag Celery, per doz Cabbage, per doz Beets, per bag Onions, per bag Carrots Parsnips Savory and Sage, per doz Parsley, per doz Artichokes, per bag Vegetable oysters, doz MEAT, HIDES, E	30 25 30 40 35 60 30 40 15 35 75 25	666666666666	59
Beef, per lb. Mutton, quarters, per lb. Lamb, quarter Hides, No. 1, per lb. Hides, No. 2, per lb. Hides, No. 3, per lb. Calfskins, green Lambskins Wool, washed, per lb. Wool, unwashed, per lb. Tahow, rendered, per lb.	5 6 8 6 5 4 4 6 25 14 8	868686868	6 7 9 6½ 5¼ 4½ 8 90 15

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET. Toronto, Jan. 10.—Wheat—Steady, at 65c bid for red and white, and 65½c asked, middle freights; goose, 63c, middle freights; spring, 65½c for No. 1 east; Manitoba wheat, 96c asked for No. 1 hard, grinding in transit; 94c for No. 2 hard, and 82c for No. 3 hard. Flour—Demand fair: exporters offer \$2.90 for hard, and 82c for No. 3 hard. Flour-hard, and 82c for No. 3 hard. Flour-Demand fair; exporters offer \$2.90 for ears of 90 per cent patents; holders ask



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\$2.95; choice brands are 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour. \$4.20 for Hungarian patents, and \$2.85 for strong bakers, in car lots, bags included, at Toronto. Millfeed—At \$13.50 to \$14 for shorts, and \$12.50 to \$12 for bran west. Barley—Quiet, at 30½c to 40c for No. 2, and 33½c for No. 3 extra, middle freights. Buck wheat—Steady, at 50c to 500½c, middle freights. Corn—Steady, at 50½c for Canada yellow west; No. 3 American yellow is quoted at 43½c to 4c at Toronto. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 26½c to 27c, middle freights. Peas—Steady; 62c, middle freights, and 60½c north and west. Butter—Firmer; pound rolls, 18c to 20c, and large rolls at 18c to 19c; low-grade rolls are unchanged, at 15c to 17c, and tubs at 18c to 15c; creamery is steady and unchanged, at 22c to 23c for prints, and 20c to 22c for solids. Eggs—Offerings small and trade is quiet; prices are steady, at 28c to 30c for new-laid; case lots, 20c to 21c for selected held, 16c to 18c for ordinary held, 15c to 16c for pickled, 13c to 14c for small, and 9c for splits. Live hogs—Receipts today small, 750; prices ½c higher, at \$6.75 for choice bacon, \$6.25 for heavy and light fat.

TORONTO HAY MARKET. Toronto, Jan. 10.—Baled hay—The receipts are moderate and the market is steady. No. 1 is quoted at \$10 to \$10 50 per ton and No. 2 at \$9 to \$950 per ton, car lots on track here. Baled straw—Offerings very light and demand good. Quotations range from \$5 to \$6 per ton for car lots on track here.

ST. THOMAS MARKET.

St. Thomas, Jan. 10.—Wheat, per bu, 63c; oats, per bu, 25c; peas, per bu, 40c to 45c; barley, per bu, 35c to 45c; rye, 60c; old corn, 45c; new corn, 36c; flax-seed, per cwt, \$2 to \$3. THE OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 10.-Oil closed at PITTSBURG, Jan. 11.-Oil opened at OIL CITY, Jan. 10.—Credit balances, \$1 25; certificates, no bids.

ENGLISH MARKETS. The following table shows the quotations per cental for American products at Liverpool, as well as for the three previous market days. In each case highest prices are given:

mignest prices are given:						basis of \$550 to \$555 for heavy mixed
-	7		Jan,	Jan. 9.	Jan. 10.	and Yorkers; pigs, \$5 45 to \$5 50; roughs, \$4 75 to \$5; stags, \$3 75 to \$4 50; closed
	WHEAT-					steady on the basis of \$5.55.
,	Red Winter	6. 24	6 914	6 914	6 254	NEW YORK, Jan. 10Beeves-Re-
2	140. T 1401. DDI 1112	h 2	16 5	6 5	6 5	
	walla.	0 0	100	0 0	0 0	ceipts, 349; no grading; feeling weak; ex-
	No. 1 Cal	6 514	6 51/	6 5	6 514	ports, 26 sheep. Calves-Receipts, 41;
	reu	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	steady; veals, \$450 to \$830; yearlings, \$3.
ы	March	6 3	6 31/	6 95%	6 23/4	Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 4,014; weak;
	May	6 34	0 95%	6 25%		sheep, \$3 50 to \$4 621/2; lambs, \$5 75 to \$6 75;
33	CORN-	0 072	0 078	0 278	6 234	Canada lambs, \$6 50. Hogs-Receipts, 2,-
	New	4 01/	1 01/	1 01/	1 .	793; one car on sale; feeling weak; pigs,
	Old	4 91/	4 0%	1 1 174	4 0	choice, \$5 75.
	Nov	0 0	4 174		4 1%	CHICAGO, Jan. 10Cattle-Receipts,
	Dec	0 0	0 0	0 0	9 0	8,000, including 600 Texans; good to prime
34					0 0	steers, \$5 35 to \$6 10; poor to medium,
30	March	2 101	3 11/8	8 1178		\$3 60 to \$5 25; stockers and feeders, steady,
7	May	9 05/	\$ 10	3 10	3 103/8	\$2 75 to \$4 40; cows. \$2 65 to \$4 25; heifers.
	May	0 078	3 978	3 978	\$ 978	
	Flour	20 0	29 3		20 3	\$2 75 to \$4 50; canners, \$2 to \$2 60; bulls,
6	Pont prim	0 0%	0 0%		5 634	\$2.75 to \$4.40; calves, \$4 to \$6.25; Texas
34	Pork, prime mess Lard.	29 0	72 0	72 0	72 0	fed steers, \$4 10 to \$4 90; Texas grass
	Tallem	30 3	38 3		37 9	steers, \$3 35 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 50 to
-	Tallow	20 6			25 9	\$3 50. Hogs-Receipts, 30,000; mixed and
	Bacon, light	42 6			42 6	butchers, \$5 15 to \$5 471/2; good to choice,
•	Cheese, white	51 6	51 6	52 0	52 0	heavy, \$5 30 to \$5 471/2; rough, heavy, \$4 15
	Cheese colored	52 6	52 6	53 0	53 0	to \$5 25; bulk of sales, \$5 20 to \$5 35. Sheep
3	Liverpool, Jan.	10W	Theat_	Snot a	trong.	-Receipts, 10,000; good to choice wethers,
	No 1 California	6c 5d	. No	2 3	trong,	\$3.80 to \$4.75; fair to choice mixed \$3.50

No. 1 California, 6s 5d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 2½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 4½d; futures steady; March, 6s 25/d; May, 6s 23/dd.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 4s; American mixed, old, 4s 1½d; futures steady; Jan., 3s 11½d; March, 3s 10½d.

Peas-Canadian, 5s 63/d; quiet. Flour-St. Louis fancy winter steady,

Hops-At London (Pacific coast) steady, £2 5s to £3 5d. Beef-Extra India mess dull, 66s.
Pork-Prime mess, western, dull, 68c.
Hams-Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, firm,

45s 9d.

Bacon—Firm; Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 45s; short ribs, 16s to 24 lbs, 43s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, 42s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 41s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 39s 9d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 48s 6d; shoulders square, 34s 6d.

Lard—American refined in pails, firm, 38s 6d; prime western, in tierces, firm, 37s 9d.

Butter—Finest United States steady, 100s; good United States dull, 81s 6d. Cheese—American finest white steady, 56s; American finest colored steady, 53s.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot,

Tallow—Prime city steady, 25s 6d; Australian, in London, steady, 27s 9d.
Turpentine spirits—Dull, 28s.
Rosin—Common steady, 4s 10½d.
Petroleum—Refined quiet, 7s.
Linseed oil—Steady, 31s 6d.

LONDON, Jan. 10.-Beet sugar, 9s 44d. AMERICAN MARKETS. NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Flour—Receipts, 15,372 bbls; sales, 2,850 pkgs; state and western market had a fairly steady undertone, but was only salable at lower prices. Rye flour—Dull; fair to good, \$2 80 to \$3 15; choice to fancy, \$3 15 to \$3 50. Wheat—Receipts, 56,700 bu; sales, \$2.50 to \$3.15; choice to fancy, \$3.15 to \$3.50. Wheat—Receipts, 56,700 bu; sales, 105,000 bu; market opened firm on bullish cables, favorable Argentine reports, and estimates and general covering; later it eased off under local unloading; July, \$1.4c. Rye—Dull; state, 52c to 53c, c.i.f., New York, car lots; No. 2 western, 57c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts, 113,100 bu; sales, 65,000 bu; at opening the market ruled quiet but firm, on small receipts, firm cables and bad weather west; May, 44%c to 44%c. Oats—Receipts, 51,800 bu; options slow but steady. Butter—Receipts, 5,316 pkgs; market barely steady; state dairy, 22c; June creamery, 16c to 21½c. Cheese—Receipts, 1,237 pkgs; firm. Eggs—Receipts, 7,605 pkgs; market was steady; state and Pennsylvania, 22c to 24c; western packed, at mark, 22½c; western, loss off, 23c. Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm. Coffee—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 7½c, nominal. Potatoes—Steady. Lead—Dull. Hops—Steady.

DETROIT, Jan. 10.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 81½c; No. 2 red, cash and Jan., 81c; May, 83%c. TOLEDO, Jan. 10.—Wheat—Cash, 80c; May, 831/sc; July, 811/sc. Corn—May, 40c. Oats—May, 261/sc.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10 .- Wheat ruled heavy today on lack of outside support, but closed steady; May a shade higher. Corn and oats closed a shade lower and provisions 5c to 20c depressed. Primary receipts aggregated 749,000 bushels, compared with 850,000 bushels. pared with 626,000 bushels last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 265 cars, against 411 a year ago. Local receipts were 74 cars, three of contract grade. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 748,000 bushels. Oats were quiet. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 77 cars; corn, 535 cars; oats, 255; cars; hogs. 30,000 head.

wheat, 7 cars; corn, 535 cars; oats, 255; cars; hogs, 30,000 head.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Jan., 74%c; Feb., 75%c; May, 77%c to 77%c. Corn—Jan., 36%c; Feb., 75%c; May, 37%c; May, 38%c. Oats—Jan., 23%c; May, 25%c. Pork—Jan., \$14 40; May, \$14. Lard—Jan., \$7 30; March, \$7 32%; May, \$7 45. Ribs—Jan., \$7 02%; May, \$7 12%. Cash



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quotations: Flour, dull and steady. No. 3 spring wheat, 67c to 74c; No. 2 red, 76%c. No. 2 corn, 37½c; No. 2 yellow, 37½c. No. 2 oats, 24½c; No. 2 white, 27¼c; No. 3 white, 26½c to 27c. No. 2 rye, 54c. Barley, fair to choice maiting, 57c to 62c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$163; No. 1 Northwestern, \$163. Prime timothy seed, \$475. Pork, \$1475 to \$15. Lard, \$730 to \$745. Ribs, \$690 to \$720. Shoulders, 64%c to 64%c. Short clear sides, \$730 to \$740. Clover, \$1075. Eggs, dull; fresh, 19c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 30,000 bbls; wheat; 93,000 bu; corn, 34,000 bu; cats, 326,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu; barley, 62,000 bu. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 48,000 barrels; wheat, 43,000 bu; corn, 236,000 bu; oats, 179,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu barley, 19,000 bu. DISGRACE TO THE COUNTY."

"Judges and Court Officials Risk Their Lives."

Mr. Justice Robertson Again Re-Detroit, Jan. 10.—Beans declined 3c yesterday and closed with more sellers than buyers. January, \$2.10 asked; February, 200 bags at \$2.12, 200 bags at \$2.10; March, \$2.12 asked. fers to Defective Ventilation of the Court House.

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—The receipts at the east end abattoir this morning were 450 head of cattle, 50 calves, 50 sheep and 100 lambs. Demand was not brisk, and prices were unchanged. Cattle, choice, sold at 4c to 4½c; good, 3½c to 4c; lower grades, 2c to 3c; calves sold from \$2 to \$10; sheep, 2½c to 3½c; lambs, 4c to 4½c; hogs, 5c to 6c. The Middlesex county council again received a severe slating from the bench this morning for the condition of the ventilation, or lack of ventilation, in the court hourse.

It was shortly after Mr. Justice Robhogs, 5c to 6c.

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—There is a great scarcity of hogs in the Province of Ontario, and buyers this morning were forced to advance the rate to \$6.75 per hundred-weight, live weight, for selects. With this price, there is very little hope of getting the quantities needed, they say, and it is believed they are not in the country. Last year at this time prices were low, and breeders were being very generally advised not to overdo things. They took the advice, and the export demand being very great at present the result is a real scarcity of hogs.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 10—Catertson had ascended the bench. Counsel for the plaintiffs in the Sifton will case had asked the judge what time of whom much good may be said, and today he would be prepared to give his decision as to whether or not the case would be postponed. The judge replied that if by 2 o'clock Mr. Lount did not telegraph what, if any, au-thorities he wished to put in, judgment would probably be rendered them. The judge then asked Mr. Gibbons, as counsel for Mary McFarlane, if the

sent the result is a real scarcity of hogs. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 10—Cattle—Fair demand; the general market was stady and unchanged; calves, moderate supply; fair demand and steady on the basis of \$8. Sheep and lambs—Offerings, 45; market lower; choice to extra, \$5.90 to \$6; good to choice, \$5.75 to \$5.90; sheep, choice to extra, \$4.25 to \$4.50; good to choice, \$4 to \$4.25. Hogs—Steady on the basis of \$5.50 to \$5.55 for heavy mixed and Yorkers; pigs, \$5.45 to \$5.50; roughs, \$4.75 to \$5; stags, \$3.75 to \$4.50; closed steady on the basis of \$5.55. defendants were willing to pay the costs of a stay, if such were deemed necessary. Mr. Gbibons answered that he was not in a position to say, as Mr. Riddell, counsel for Edgar Morden, was

in charge of the case, and he had been taken suddenly ill last night. "Mr. Riddell ill?" said the judge. "I am not in the least surprised to hear it. The air in this court room is enough to make anyone ill. It has quite upset me and rendered me unfit to do my work. It is a perfect grace that the county council of Mid-dlesex should leave the court room in the unventilated condition in which it is at present. I am surprised that any one who had to attend for any time in this room is not sick. The judges and court officials are compelled to come here and hold court, and in performing this duty they are risk-

ing their lives. His lordship instanced a case within his own experience, when a former chief justice refused to hold court in a courtroom which he deemed unsanitary, and ordered the sheriff to prepare a temporary courtroom in another building. This example, said the judge, he himself would have been

perfectly justified in following. "I came here in perfect health," "but my first afternoon in this room was enough to overcome me. i am somewhat better, but not well yet. London, Jan. 10.—Here and at Liverpool prices are unchanged; here cattle is quoted at 11c to 12%c per 1b, dressed weight; at Liverpool, 11%c to 12%c per 1b; sheep, 12%c to 14c per 1b, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is 9%c to 10c per 1b. and I know I cannot be well as long as I have to sit in this room day after day. I have no fault to find with the building except with its ventilation." The judge said he was not surprised that Justice Rose has threatened to indict the county. The county is trifling with the lives of the judges and creameries, 15c to 22½; dairies, 12c to 20c. Cheese, dull; 10½c to 11¾c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Butter, steady; creamery, 16c to 24c; factory, 11c to 14c; June creamery, 16c to 21½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 18c; state dairy, 15c to 22c. Cheese firm; fancy large, fall-made, 11¼c to 11½c; fancy small, fall-made, 11¾c to 12c. court officials. He was surprised that the local bar had not taken the mat-ter up. He spoke of his own experience when, as a member of the bar in Hamilton, he had joined with his legal brethren in having a true bill found against the county for not providing a suitable courthouse. When the case came before the late Mr. Justict Wil-Latest Weather Probabilities son he threatened, unless the county at once moved in the direction desired, fine it \$80 000 and build a courthouse himself. This Mr. Justice Robertson thought an extreme measure, but he said the county council of Middlesex should be brought to its senses by some means. He closed with the hope that the grand jury would see its way clear to concur in his expression of opinion.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT. The case of Edwards vs. the London Street Railway was settled out of court. The case was tried at the January assizes last year, and the jury awarded the plaintiff \$1,500 damages for injuries received in a street car accident on Oxford street. The defendants appealed, and the appeal court set the case down for re-trial.

The case of Stevens vs. Johnston

was also settled out of court. suit was one to recover certin moneys that had been attached. TO BE HEARD MONDAY. The case of McNulty vs. Morris was set down for hearing on Monday, as it could not be proceeded with, owing to the illness of Mr. Edmund Meredith, counsel for the plaintiff.

suit is one against a physician for al-

leged malpractice in setting a broken

Death of L. H. Ingram.

of Montreal, dropped dead yesterday The announcement made this morning, that Mr. Lemuel H. Ingram, of the aged 60, a moulder at Massey's, while firm of Smallman & Ingram, had died at his residence, 499 Dufferin avenue, ing dropped dead in a vacant lot on shocked the entire city. It was not Sheridan avenue. The cause of death generally known that he had been ill, so that his sudden death caused sincere Sergeant-How's this, Jones? What sorrow. Even with his family, for do you mean by coming on duty unwhom the utmost sympathy is everywhere expressed, there were no thoughts of serious results attending his illness.

Mr. Ingram took a slight cold about three weeks ago, and it developed into pleurisy. His physician, Dr. Hodge, deemed it expedient to operate upon him for this, and did so on Tuesday. Afterwards Mr. Ingram progressed quite favorably, and his recovery was confidently looked for. Until 3 o'clock this morning Mr. Ingram was in good spirits and had rested well. At that time he became restless. Still nothing serious was anticipated until a few minutes before 6 o'clock, when he died. Mrs. Ingram and her sons, Gordon, Howard and Kenneth, were with him at the time.

Just before Mr. Ingram became ill he was about to sail for the old country, but was forced to postpone his trip twice, and at last his partner, Mr. Smallman, decided to go in his stead. Mr. Smallman left here for New York yesterday, but will be intercepted

The late Mr. Ingram was born in Toronto, 46 years ago, and came to London as a child. He was educated at the old Union School, and while quite young, entered John Green's drygoods establishment. When about 23 years of age, he formed the partnership with Mr. J. B. Smallman, and commenced business next door to their present stand. Their successful busi-

ness management is known to all. He was an active member of the First Methodist Church, of which he was a trustee, and was also chairman of the music committee.

Mr. Ingram was a Freemason, and a member of London South Council of the Royal Arcanum. He was also a member of the Board of Trade. He never sought publicity, but devoted his

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church affairs and to acts of unobtrusive charity. He was a gentleman whose loss will be deeply regretted by all citizens. Mr. Ingram was married in 1878 to

Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. Samuel McBride, who survives him, together with their three sons, his mother and two sisters, of this city. Arrangements for the funeral will

depend on the reply received from Mr.

RAILROADS FORM CLOSE ALLIANCE

Basis of Recent Advance in St. Paul Stock.

End of Rate-Cutting-Plans in Southwest-C. P. R. in the Deal.

The Chicago Tribune says: The facts tht formed the basis for the recent advance in the price of Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul stock have been learned from an authoritative source. There will be no lease of the road to the Great Northern, but close relations, practically mounting to consolidation, will be es-tablished between the Great Northern and Northern Pacific rilroads, and these roads will mke a strong traffic contract with the St. Paul, similar to he one now in existence between the Chicago, and in existence between the Chicago and Northwestern and the Union Pacific.

The financial combine which is bringing about n amalgmation of all the great railway systems in the country concludated that the Northwestern contributions. railway systems in the country concluded that the Northwestern with its ironclad contrc with the Union Pacific had too ciad contrc with the Union Pacific had too great an advantage over the Milwaukee and St. Paul on north Pacific coast busi5ness, as the Union Pacific is competing in that field through the Oregon Short Line and Oregon Railway nd Navigation Company. It was therefore deemed judicious, in order to prevent undue competition, to even things up by bringing about a narrangement or legal contract for the interchange of through traffic.

CANADIAN PACIFIC IN THE DEAL. The Canadian Pacific is understood to be interested in this deal, having been guaranteed a fair share of the business from both the Milwaukee and St. Paul and Chicago and Northwestern roads in order to stop the rate cutting which has heretofore been practiced by the Can-

heretorore been practiced by the can adian road.

The intention of the financial combine, it is said, is grdually to get control of the Chicago Great Western and Wisconsin Central Railrods, the latter being now controlled by the Rockefellers, and now controlled by the Rockefellers, and divide the properties up between the Chicago, Milwauken nd St. Paul and the Chicago and Northwestern. These two systems, one controlled by J. Pierpont Morgan, nd the oher by the Vnderbilts, will then control the railrod situation between Chicago and St. Paul, and the rate wars which have so seriously affected the revenues of the lines between Chicago and St. Paul will hve become a thing of the past. It is this prostect thing of the past. It is this prospect that has caused the phenomenal rise in Milwaukee and St. Paul stock.

NOTES.

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