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LOCAL MARKET.

Tuesday, Oct. 29.

The market today would be a credit to the average Saturday. The near approach of Thanksgiving Day was, no doubt, the cause of the large attendance of farmers and buyers. While the supply of poultry was the prominent feature of the market, there was not as much offered as if the holiday was a little later in the year, as the season has been a backward one. There was a brisk demand in nearly every line. Potatoes and apples were slow, but the remainder of list sold quickly.

Grain—Oats opened up strong at $1 70, but prices soon fell to $1 65 and $1 66 per cwt, and nearly all of the loads sold at these figures.

Hay and Straw—There was only 8 loads offered and the demand was brisk at $17 to $18 per ton. Straw sold at $7 75 and $8 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Butter was scarcer than on Saturday and prices were firm at 27c for crocks and 28c for pound rolls. Eggs were a trifle slow at 27c per dozen, by the basket lot, and 28c for a single dozen.

Vegetables and Roots—There was a large delivery of potatoes. Sales were fair at 80c to 90c per bag; mostly at 85c per bag. Onions were dull at 90c per bushel. Tomatoes sold at 25c per basket. Carrots were 35c a bushel. Beets and parsnips sold at 40c a bushel, and celery at 40c per dozen.

Fruits—Apples were dull, as there have been too many offered of late. Prices ranged from 50c to 80c per bag, or $1 75 to $2 25 per barrel. Snow apples sell at 90c per bushel. Pears are dull at $1 to $1 50 per bushel, the latter price being paid for nice, large fruit. Chestnuts sold at 25c per quart. Quinces sold at 50c per basket, and grapes sold at 20c to 25c per basket.

Poultry—There was a large amount offered, and sales were fairly brisk at the following prices: Turkeys, sold at 13c to 15c per pound, dressed; ducks, 9c to 10c, dressed; chickens, 10c, dressed, and 8c, alive; old fowl, rather slow, at 5c to 6c, alive, or 7c to 8c, dressed; geese, 9c per pound, wholesale, or 10c to 12c retail.

Dressed Hogs—Nearly 100 carcases offered, which were sold at slightly lower prices, at $8 and $8 25 per cwt. for the bulk of those offered, and $8 50 for a few sold early in the morning.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 29.—Prices are so high and the outlook so uncertain that here is practically no trading of importance in the local market. The obvious impossibility of doing an export business at prices 7c to 8c higher than Chicago levels has placed an effectual check upon buying of Ontario wheat. Provincial millers are buying at $1 04 to $1 05, but even this demand is diminishing. The receipts of Manitoba barley are not likely to have any effect upon the strength locally, as the general quality of the western crop is so poor as to render it almost totally unfit for brewing. Samples have just been received by Coffee & Co., of the board of trade. The color is a dirty yellow, the kernels are frost-bitten, and wheat and wild oats are almost as prominent as the barley itself. Sales of peas were reported at 85c, but there were no offerings when a similar bid was made on the call board. Oats are steady, and corn a little firmer. Quotations:

Wheat—Manitoba, $1 13 bid, at lake ports; Ontario winter wheat, No. 2 white or red, $1 04 to $1 04½; No. 2, $1 03 to $1 03½.
Peas—No. 2, 85c bid outside.
Oats—No. 2 white, 56c asked outside.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 72c asked, at Toronto.
Rye—No. 2, 88c bid outside.
Buckwheat—68c bid.
Barley—85c to 90c, according to quality and location.
Millfeed—Bran, $22, in bulk, outside; shorts, $25.
Flour—Ontario 90 per cent patents are nominally about $3 95 bid; Manitoba patent special brand, $6 to $6 20; second patents, $5 40 to $5 60; strong bakers, $5 30 to $5 40.
Butter—Firm; creamery prints, 27c to 29c; solids, 23c to 25c; dairy prints, 23c to 25c; solids, 21c to 23c.
Cheese—13¾c to 14c.
Eggs—24c to 25c.
Dressed Hogs—$8 25 to $8 75.

OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 29—Oil opened and closed at $1 78.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Oct. 28.—Credit balances, $1 78.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

Liverpool, Oct. 28.—John Rogers & Co. quote: States steers, 11¾c to 12¼c; Canadian, 10c to 11c; ranchers, 9c; native cows, 9c; bulls, 9c; trade slow and the market weak.

Glasgow, Oct. 28.—Edward Watson & Ritchie report 706 cattle offered; trade and prices weak, except for really top quality, which made 12c; secondary, 11¼c to 11¾c; middling and inferior, 10¾c to 10¾c; bulls, 9½c to 10c per lb.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 29.—Trade slow and prices steady; 80 loads in today, including 1,110 cattle, 200 sheep and lambs, 1,000 hogs and 220 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt...	$5 00	@	$5 25
Export cattle, medium.....	4 25	@	4 40
Export bulls	3 50	@	3 75
Export bulls, light.....	3 00	@	3 25
Export cows	3 50	@	3 75
Butchers' cattle, choice.....	4 50	@	4 75
Butchers' cattle, medium....	3 25	@	3 50
Butchers' cattle, common...	2 75	@	3 00
Butchers' cows	2 75	@	3 25
Butchers' bulls	2 75	@	3 00
Stockers, choice	3 00	@	3 25
Stockers, medium	2 75	@	3 00
Stockers, common	2 00	@	2 25
Stock bulls	2 00	@	2 25
Feeders, heavy	3 40	@	3 65
Feeders, short-keeps	3 75	@	3 90
Milch cows, choice, each....	40 00	@	50 00
Milch cows, common, each...	25 00	@	35 00
Springers, each	25 00	@	40 00
Export ewes, cwt.....	4 25	@	4 40
Export bucks	3 00	@	3 50
Lambs, cwt	4 00	@	5 25
Calves, cwt	2 50	@	6 00
Hogs, selects, cwt, off cars..	6 12½		
Hogs, fats and lights.....	5 87½		

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,500; market weak to 10c lower; beeves, $3 50 to $6 90; cows and heifers, $1 15 to $4 90; calves, $4 50 to $6 75; Texans, $1 40 to $4 30; westerns, $3 to $5; stockers and feeders, $2 30 to $4 45.

Hogs—Receipts, about 8,000; market was strong for best and weak for others; light, $5 65 to $6 20; mixed, $5 60 to $6 30; heavy, $5 30 to $6 20; roughs, $5 30 to $5 45; pigs, $5 40 to $5 65; bulk of sales at $5 60 to $5 90.

Sheep—Receipts, about 18,000; market 20c to 30c lower than Saturday; natives, $2 50 to $5 20; westerns, $2 50 to $5 15; yearlings, $5 to $5 70; lambs, $4 50 to $6 50; westerns, $4 50 to $6 90.

BEAN MARKETS.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Oct. 28.—Beans—Spot, $2 15; November, $1 95; December, $1 89; January, $1 88, all nominal.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Butter—Easy; creameries, 23c to 26½c; dairies, 20½c to 24½c.
Cheese—Steady, 15c to 15½c.

UTICA.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 28.—No cheese was reported on the dairy board here today. Of creamery butter sales were made of 14 packages at 28½c, 37 at 29½c, and 50 at 30c.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 28.—Cotton—Spot closed steady, 15 points lower; middling uplands, 10.90c; middling gulf, 11.05c; sales, 1,500 bales.

New York, Oct. 29.—Cotton—Futures opened easy; October offered at 9.90c; November, 9.63c; December, 11c; January, 9.80c; February, 9.81c; March, 9.81c; April, 9.86c; June, 9.89c; July, 9.91c; August, 9.95c.

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 28.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.40c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3.90c; molasses sugar, 3.05c; refined steady; No. 6, $4 60; No. 7, $4 55; No. 8, $4 50; No. 9, $4 45; No. 10, $4 35; No. 11, $4 30; No. 12, $4 25; No. 13, $4 20; No. 14, $4 15; confectioners, A, $4 80; mold A, $5 05; cutloaf and crushed, $5 70; powdered, $5 10; granulated, $5; cubes, $5 25. Molasses—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 37c to 43c.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 28.—Sugar—Firm; Montreal granulated, in barrels, $4 50; yellow, $4 10; Acadia, $4 35; Ontario beet, $4 35; in bags, 5c less.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 28.—Baled Hay—Prices continue firm; timothy is quoted at $17 50 to $18 per ton in car lots on track here.

Baled Straw—Firm, at $9 50 to $10 50 per ton on track.

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STOCK MARKETS.

MONTREAL.

	Montreal, Oct. 28. Morning. Ask.	Morning. Bid.	Afternoon. Ask.	Afternoon. Bid.
Bell Telephone	130		120	..
Canadian Pacific	156½	155½	157½	156
Detroit Railway	35	34¾	34¾	34½
Dom. Coal, com.....	40¾	40½	41½	..
Dom. Steel, com.....	15	14¾	14½	14¼
Dom. Steel, pfd.....	40¼	38⅞	40	39
Illinois, pfd.	80	75¼	76	..
Woods, com.	71½	71	73	..
Laur. Paper, pfd....	102	100	103¾	..
Mackay, com.	50	49¼	52	49
Mackay, pfd.	56½	56	55½	54¾
Mexican L. & P.....	39½	38¾	39⅞	39¼
Minn. & Ct. Paul....	75	72	74	..
Montreal Power	85¼	85	83	82¾
Montreal Railway	169¼	169¼	168	167¾
N. S. Steel & Coal..	55¼	55	55	54½
Ogilvie, pfd.	..	..	116	110
R. & O. Navigation..	54⅞	54	56	..
Rio Janeiro Tram...	33½	33¼	..	33
Toledo Railway	14	12½	..	11½
Toronto Railway	89⅞	89½	90¼	..
Tri-City, pfd.	77½	..	..	..
Twin City Railway..	78	77¾	76¼	76
Shawinigan	53	..	..	53
Bank of Commerce..	162	161	162	161
Hochelaga Bank	140	..	140	..
Merchants' Bank	157½	15	157½	155
Molsons Bank	197	..	197	..
Bank of Montreal....	230¼	..	..	230¼
Bank Nova Scotia....	..	..	279¼	..
Union Bank	135	..	135	..
Dom. Textile, pfd....	..	..	82	80
Dom. Textile, com....	..	..	48	45
Montreal Cotton	117	..	..	110
Dom. Cotton, bds....	92½	91	92½	91
Dom. Steel, bonds...	71	69	..	68
Havana, bonds	90	..	90	..
Mex. Electric, bds....	71	70¼	..	70⅞
Price, bonds	..	100	..	100
Rio, bonds	70	69¼	70	69¼
Textile bonds, A.....	85	83	85	83
Textile bonds, B.....	92	83	92	83
Textile bonds, C.....	81	80	81	80
Textile bonds, D.....	95	..	95	..
Winnipeg Elec., bds...	..	100	..	100

Afternoon Sales: C. P. R., 25 at 156⅞; Soo, common, 50 at 72; Mexican, 20 at 39; Montreal Railway, 10 at 169½, 100 at 169, 3 at 169½, 9 at 169¾, 120 at 168, 10 at 167½; Twin City, 25 at 78, 100 at 77¾, 35 at 78, 60 at 77½, 5 at 78, 100 at 77½, 50 at 76¼; Royal Bank, 4 at 225¾; Toronto Railway, 5 at 89½, 15 at 90, 15 at 89¾, 25 at 89½; Power, 90 at 85, 10 at 84½, 45 at 84, 1 at 85½, 25 at 85, 25 at 82¾; Detroit Railway, 25 at 34¼, 15 at 34¾, 50 at 34½, 15 at 34¾, 4 at 35, 1 at 35, 50 at 34½; Coal, common, 50 at 40½; Iron, common, 20 at 14¾, 25 at 15, 50 at 14¾, 15 at 15, 5 at 15; do, preferred, 10 at 40⅞; N. S. Steel, common, 45 and 2 at 55, 10 at 55½; Mackay, preferred, 25 at 55½, 35 at 55; Illinois, 100 at 75½, 50 at 75⅞; Rio, 25 at 33⅞, 25 at 33½; Mackay, 5 at 50, 5 at 50¼; Montreal Railway, bonds, 4,000 at 100; Iron, bonds, 1,000 at 69.

TORONTO.

	Toronto, Oct. 28. Morning. Ask.	Morning. Bid.	Afternoon. Ask.	Afternoon. Bid.
Canadian Pacific	157	156	..	..
Detroit Railway	..	..	..	33
St. Catharines	..	75	..	..
Rio Janeiro Tram...	33¾	32	..	32⅞
Sao Paulo Tram.....	104	102½	103¼	102⅝
Toronto Railway	..	..	90	..
Twin City Railway....	77½	..	..	..
Winnipeg Railway....	..	..	130	..
Niagara Navigation.	115	..	..	..
Northern Nav.	93	..	..	..
R. & O. Navigation....	..	53½	..	..
Illinois Traction	..	..	..	75
Bell Telephone	125	..	..	..
General Electric	101	98½	..	99
City Dairy, com.....	50	..	..	..
City Dairy, pfd.....	90	..	..	..
Consumers' Gas	..	190	..	..
Dom. Coal, com.....	..	40½	..	..
Dom. Telegraph	117	..	..	..
Woods, com.	50½	49⅞	50	49
Mackay, pfd.	60	56	..	55
Mexican L. & P.....	..	..	..	38
Nipissing Mines	..	6½	7	6⅞
N. S. Steel, com.....	56½	56	56	..
Toronto Electric	120	..	125	..
Toronto Elec., rights	3½	..	..	..
Prairie Lands	160	170	..	..
Bank of Commerce..	164	..	..	..
Dominion Bank	198	..	..	..
Imperial Bank	214	..	..	..
Bank Nova Scotia....	280	..	..	..
Standard Bank	..	214	..	..
Traders' Bank	..	..	128¾	..
Canada Landed	118	..	..	..
Canada Permanent..	118	..	..	..
Central Canada	..	160	..	..
Dom. Savings	..	70	..	..
Hamilton Provident..	120	..	..	..
Landed Banking	..	121	..	..
London & Canada...	101	..	..	..
Ontario Loan	..	131	..	..
Toronto Mortgage....	109½	..	..	..
Mex. Power, bds.....	79½	..	..	..
Rio, bonds	71	68½	..	69½
Sao Paulo, bonds....	..	92	..	..

Afternoon Sales: Toronto Railway, 10, 10, 5, 4, 1 and 1 at 90, 1 at 90½; Sao Paulo, 3, 1 and 25 at 102½; do, bonds, 1,000 and 2,000 at 92, 500 at 91½; Canada Permanent, 5, 4 and 5 at 118, 55 at 117½; Nipissing, 100 at 6¾; N. S. Steel, common, 25, 25, 25 and 5 at 55; Detroit Railway, 5 at 35¼, 10 at 35; R. and O., 5 at 54; Twin City, 25, 15, 10, 100, 10, 10, 2, 1, 8, 10 and 2 at 78, 10, 10, 25, 40, 4, 10 and 7 at 77½, 100, 5, 10, 10, 25 and 10 at 77, 25 at 76¾; Rio, 25, 20, 25 and 10 at 33½, 25 at 33¾, 25 and 25 at 33¼; Mackay, common, 25, 15 and 50 at 50; do, preferred, 25, 25 and 10 at 55¾, 10, 10, 1, 4 and 5 at 56, 10 at 55½; Illinois, preferred, 100 at 75¾; Dominion, 20 at 226; Imperial Bank, 2 at 214; Bank of Commerce, 8 at 163; Sovereign Bank, 8 at 100; Winnipeg Railway, 5 at 128; Niagara Navigation, 10, 10 and 5 at 110; Mexican L. and P., 20 at 39½, 50 at 39½; Montreal Power, 5 at 85½; Soo, 5 at 72¼; General Electric, 5 at 99¼, 8 and 2 at 99; Tri-City, 100 at 75.

NEW YORK.

	New York, Oct. 28. Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	50¼	51⅛	49⅞	50¼
Amer. Locomotive	38	38½	37½	37¾
American Sugar	103½	104½	102	102⅞
American Smelting..	71	71	68⅞	68⅞
Anaconda	31¾	33¾	31¾	32½
Atchison	76	77	75½	76½
Atchison, pfd.	88	..	..	..
Baltimore & Ohio....	81½	83½	81½	81¾
Brooklyn Transit....	34½	34½	33¼	33¼
Canadian Pacific	156½	156½	156	156
Col. Fuel & Iron.....	16	17	16	16⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio..	28¼	28½	28¼	28½
Chicago & G. W.....	7½	7⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Rock Island	13½	15	13½	14⅝
St. Paul	103⅝	104¼	102	102¾
Erie	18⅛	18⅝	18	18½
Erie, 1st pfd.....	39½	39½	39¼	39¼
Erie, 2nd pfd.....	28½	29	28¼	29
Illinois Central	120	122	120	122
Louisville & Nash....	96	97	95¾	97
Lead	38½	39½	38½	38½
Great Northern	111¼	113	111	112
Northern Pacific	106½	107¾	106½	106½
Mexican Central	15¼	15¼	15⅛	15¼
Missouri Pacific	53	53	51⅞	51⅞
Kansas & Texas.....	25	25½	25	25½
Kansas & Tex., pfd..	57	57½	56⅝	56⅝
Norfolk & Western..	63	63	62½	62½
New York Central...	100	100¼	98⅞	99
Ontario & Western..	29	29	28½	28½
Pennsylvania	115½	115⅝	114⅝	115
People's Gas	75⅞	74⅞	73½	74
Pressed Steel Car....	19	19	17½	18¼
Reading	79¼	79¾	76½	76½
Republic Steel	14¾	14½	14¼	14½
Southern Pacific	68½	69⅛	67½	67½
Southern Railway ..	12⅝	13⅛	12⅝	13
Southern Ry., pfd...	42¼	42½	42	42
Texas Pacific	19	19	18¼	18¼
Twin City	77⅛	77¾	76¼	76¼
U. S. Leather	13¾	..	..	..
U. S. Steel	24	24	23⅞	23⅞
U. S. Steel, pfd.....	83¾	84½	83½	83½
Union Pacific	110¾	111½	109¼	110
Wabash, pfd.	10	10	9⅞	9½
Western Union Tel..	69	..	..	..
Wisconsin Central ...	12	..	..	..

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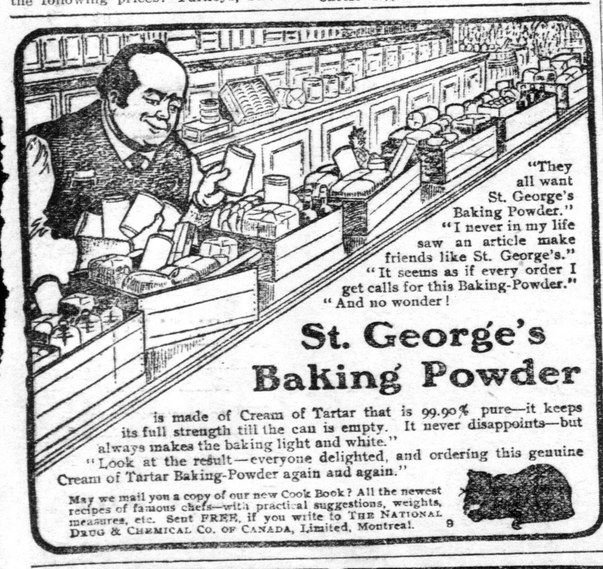

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SCHOOL BOARD COAL VOUCHERS

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them. They could pass resolutions, but that was all.

Mr. Buchanan.

The committee met first. Mr. W. Buchanan was present, and was questioned by the members of the committee. Trustee Strong, at the outset, made it plain that it was the right of any member of the board to know why the contract was not carried out. The coal had been delivered direct from the cars in violation of the expressed terms of the contract, and the board had a right to know why this was done. He then read the contract.

Trustee Teasdall said that this was the same contract that had been in vogue for many years.

Given Permission.

Mr. Buchanan pointed out that he had been given permission to deliver soft coal from the cars direct. He hesitated some time before giving the names of the trustees, but finally admitted that they were Dr. Teasdall, Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. McCormick.

Trustee Teasdall, in explanation, said that he had heard or understood that it was the practice to deliver liver the soft coal direct from the car, and he had given Mr. Buchanan leave to do it.

Trustee Fitzgerald said he had been seen by Mr. Buchanan, and had told him to deliver the coal from the cars if the board would agree to it.

Mr. McCormick said that he had told Mr. Buchanan that as it had been done before he did not see any objection to it.

Stirred Up Dirt.

Mr. Buchanan then declared that he did not see why Mr. Strong had stirred up so much "dirt" about it.

"I do not see how you can call it 'dirt,'" answered Mr. Strong. "We had a right to know these things. We made no charges or accusations. We merely asked for information we were entitled to. I want you to understand that. If the coal business had been done according to the contract no person could have thrown any 'dirt.'"

Cut and Dried.

The committee then drew up some resolutions which had been carefully prepared before the committee met.

The first was the resolution passed at a previous meeting in which it said that the committee after investigation had come to the conclusion that the coal contracted for by Mr. Buchanan had been delivered, and that there had been no dishonesty whatever in connection with it. The other resolutions were as follows:

2. That the committee had arranged for the soft coal to be accepted as in former years.

3. That the committee found that a great many business houses accept the invoice weights of the car.

4. That this committee regrets the suspicions hinted at that free coal had been delivered to a trustee or trustees, and that the committee had found no evidence at all to support such suspicion.

A Vigorous Denial.

The resolution that coal had been delivered in car lots in previous years in violation of the contract was vigorously denied by Trustee Weekes and Trustee Strong.

"I would rather you would be specific and name the years in which that was done," declared Mr. Weekes.

The resolution was carried without amendment.

Mr. Buchanan also denied emphatically that he had delivered any coal to any member of the board of education.

There was no contradiction on this point.

The committee then arose and the board resumed its session to deal with this question.

Chairman Teasdall then read the report to the board, clause by clause.

Be Specific.

Trustee Weekes again insisted that the years should be named in which this way of doing business had been adopted by the board. He found that only in 1903, 1904 and 1905 had the board done such a thing, and he was anxious that these years should be specified so that there would be no mistake in the matter. Neither Trustee Teasdall nor Chairman Fitzgerald was anxious to make the change. Both Trustees Strong and Westervelt also insisted that this be done. One vote was taken, but no one voted for it, and at last Trustee Teasdall, declaring that he had nothing to hide, agreed to accept the suggestion of Trustee Weekes.

Board Lost Prestige.

Trustee Westervelt said that the coal should have been delivered according to contract. No person should have any private say in the matter at all. The board should attempt to keep itself straight with the public. If it made a contract it should see to it that it was carried out. They owed it to themselves as well as the public.

Chairman Fitzgerald—We have not lost anything, have we?

"Well, we have lost prestige, of that there is no doubt," Trustee Westervelt retorted.

Trustee Graham informed the board that the hospital trust had coal delivered by the car lot, but it was weighed on the scales of the hospital. He said that the cars ran from 180 to 300 pounds above the invoice weight, never below it.

Trustee MacRobert Hurt.

The second clause was passed without any discussion, but when the last clause was read, regarding the insinuations against the trustees, Mr. MacRobert came forward with a resolution in amendment to it.

He declared that the board had suffered a great injustice, because it had been insinuated that some member of the board had received coal from the contractor.

"Trustee Strong told me that a reliable citizen had told him that story," declared Trustee MacRobert. "Mr. Strong should give us that man's name. He is the one who should be made to crawl and apologize. Everywhere I go around the country somebody is sure to say, "Well, I see you London trustees have got your little ton of coal." In the city it is the same thing. The man that says we did get coal lies, and I want him to know it. A certain paper in this town has been lying about me for three months, and I want this lie about the coal stopped. I don't intend to stand for that. I am not going to have that thing thrown up to me all the time, everywhere I go. Mr. Strong should give us that man's name."

He then moved the following resolution in amendment to the clause:

That Trustee Strong and Chairman Fitzgerald be a committee to obtain information

1—As to whether the city received the amount of coal it paid for.

2—As to whether any trustees received any portion of the coal in question, and if in the opinion of the city solicitor there is sufficient evidence of wrong-doing that the chairman take immediate action and have the matter thoroughly investigated by the county judge."

Trustee Granger seconded this amendment.

Amendment of No Value.

Trustee Westervelt pointed out that it was going to be rather a difficult job to find out whether the proper amount of coal had been delivered, as much of it had been used. He also declared that if Trustee Strong did not give the man's name to the board, they could not compel him to do so.

Trustee Graham also declared that Trustee MacRobert's resolution merely negatived clauses already passed. No person paid any attention to the insinuations. Trustee Teasdall was of the same opinion. He said the committee had made a thorough investigation, and found absolutely no foundation for such insinuations.

"You are trying to censure me," declared Trustee Strong. "I am not the one to be censured. Chairman Fitzgerald and Dr. Teasdall are the men who should be censured, for it was they who gave Mr. Buchanan permission to do that which his contract said should not be done."

Mr. MacRobert Still Mad.

"Some dirty, low sneak came and said we got coal for nothing," declared Trustee MacRobert, "and he lied. I have been a target now for three months from a newspaper and they have lied about me. I am not going to stand for this."

The amendment was put and lost on the following division—the yeas and nays being called for. Yeas—MacRobert, Granger, Fitzgerald. Nays—McCormick, Teasdall, Westervelt, Tillman, Strong, Weekes and Graham.

Trustee Strong wanted to introduce a motion to appoint a coal inspector and also pass a resolution preventing the coal contract from being violated in future, but Chairman Fitzgerald ruled it out of order.

Those present were Trustees Fitzgerald, Graham, Weekes, Strong, Tillmann, Westervelt, Teasdall, Granger MacRobert and Secretary McElheran.

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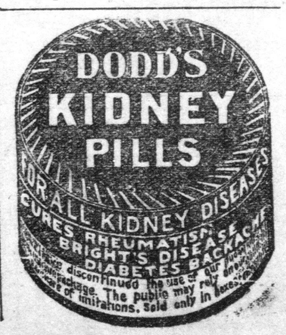
New York, Oct. 29.—Because he failed to carry out an errand of vengeance Vito Greinaldi, a member of the Black Hand Society, was stabbed to death by members of his own band early today in Knoll street, Brooklyn. A dynamite bomb was found secreted beneath Greinaldi's coat, which the police say would have blown up an entire block had it exploded. A loaded revolver was found in his pocket.