HIS LAST CIGAR.

It Consoled Him While Awake and Killed Him When Asleep.

MONTREAL, Jan. 16.—Arthur Allan, the youngest son of the late Sir Hugh Allan, met his death by suffocation at an early hour this morning. He had spent the latter portion of Sunday evening at the St. James' Club with a number of friends, and about 1 o'clock this morning left the club, going home to his room in Dorchester-street, only a few yards from the club house.

Some time after the other occupants of the house were awakened by smoke issuing from Mr. Allan's sitting-room. When the door was opened the flames were speedily extinguished and the young man was found sitting in his easy chair dead. Investigation showed that he, most likely having fallen asleep, had dropped his glowing cigar in the waste paper basket, and death by suffocation from the smoke had ensued. Mr. Allan had been in poor health for some time, suffering from sore throat.

Arthur Allan was one of the most popular young men in town. He had only attained his majority a few months ago, when by the terms of Sir Hugh Allan's will the Allan estate was divided. Arthur's share brought in a revenue of about $40,000 a year. The tragic death has created a great sensation in the city on account of the prominence of the family.

ADDITIONAL PICTURES.

They Will Also Be Sent to Represent Toronto.

In addition to the list of leading pictures for exhibition at the World's Fair first published in last Sunday's World the committee has also accepted the following additional pictures:

Miss Gertrude E. Sparr—Boston Stump; Rapids Above Falls.
F. A. Verner—Monarch of the Prairies; Cattle at Milking Time; St. Clair Marsh.
Miss Tully—The Old Cure.
Paul G. Wickson—The Country Doctor.
Mrs. M. B. Scrieber—Christobel.
Fred S. Challener—A Sweet Penitent; Marechal Neil Roses.
T. M. Martin—Ah, There!
W. E. Atkinson—Moonlight.
Miss J. M. F. Adams—In the Studio.
M. Matthews—Glacier of the Selkirks; Kicking Horse River.
R. F. Gagen—Rhododendrous.
J. T. Rolph—Birch Trees, Coast of Maine.
W. Revell—Canadian Fruit.
Miss E. May Martin—Twilight.
D. Fowler—Landscape.
H. Martin—Westminster Abbey.

Local Legal.

The Chancery Divisional Court yesterday at 2 o'clock sat for the purpose of delivering judgments in cases reserved by the court on former arguments.

The first case in which the court delivered judgment was the crown case of Reg. v. J. R. Arnoldi, reserved by Chief Justice Armour for the opinion of the full court. The court confirmed the conviction of the trial judge, finding Arnoldi guilty of misconduct in the affairs of his office of Mechanical Engineer for the Dominion Government.

In the case of Coleman v. The City of Toronto the court dismissed the appeal by the plaintiff from the judgment at the trial. The action was for damages caused to the plaintiff and his family from the alleged unsanitary condition of Ashbridge's Bay.

The master in ordinary yesterday afternoon accepted the offer of Charles Stark to take over the business at 72 cents on the dollar. Stark is to give satisfactory security and the payments extend over some months.

In the case of Armstrong v. Toronto Railway Company, the master in chambers ordered the company to produce for the inspection of the plaintiff the report of the accident made for the company by the driver in charge of the car. On the report were the names of three persons present at the time, and whom the company intend to call as witnesses at the trial. An appeal was made to Chief Justice Galt, and he ordered the report to be produced, but the names of the witnesses suppressed.

The Court of Appeal will deliver judgments at 11 o'clock this morning.

What the Ministers Discussed.

"Revivals" was the subject of discussion by the Methodist ministers yesterday. Rev. A. C. Crewes introduced the subject, and the following took part in the discussion: Revs. J. E. Sanderson, T. Manning, Hugh Johnston, J. J. Redditt and James Henderson. No resolution was passed and opinion was divided as to the continuance of the old revival methods.

"The Religion of Luther" was the subject discussed by the Presbyterian pastors. Rev. Dr. McTavish read the opening paper. Rev. Principal Grant and others participated in the debate.

"The Union of the Baptist Church with other denominations" was the topic of discussion by the Baptist ministers. Rev. James Grant read a paper on the subject, which was instructive, of the stand the Baptists will make when the matter comes up at the Ministerial Association next week.

Principal Grant Addresses the Vets.

Principal Grant of Queen's College gave an eloquent, interesting and instructive address yesterday afternoon to the students of the Ontario Veterinary College. He stated that he was pleased to meet with such a large body of young men, coming not only from all parts of the Dominion but from the United States. The students appreciated the kindness of Dr. Grant, and Prof. Smith, on behalf of the students and the faculty, thanked him for his kindness.

A Fireman Hurt.

On Saturday night a collision occurred between a laundry wagon and a hose reel running to a fire in Chestnut-street, which threw out Thomas Pointon of the fire brigade, who was cut severely on the cheek bone. Drivers of private vehicles who obstruct the hose reels deserve punishing, as they not only endanger the lives of the firemen, but increase the dangers of fires.

Business Embarrassments.

S. C. Corin, fruits and provisions, has assigned to William B. Weil. The creditors are to meet on the 18th.

James Gerry, groceries, flour and feed, has assigned to Charles W. Laker. A meeting of the creditors is to be held on Monday.

W. Brownell, drygoods, of Cornwall, has assigned to Henry Barber.

Newspapers Cost Money.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—William Zeegler, a well-known real estate dealer, has purchased one-fifth of an interest in The Brooklyn Eagle, and intends to secure the control of the paper if the stockholders can be induced to sell their holdings. It is said the owners of The Eagle value it, together with its business plant and property, at $3,600,000.

Death of An Inventor.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Jan. 16.—Horace Smith, aged 84, one of the inventors of the original typewriting machine, inventor of the metallic cartridge, whale gun, and part inventor of the Smith & Wesson revolver, died yesterday at his home in this city.

Died in Their Sleep.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Granville Stevenson and Henry Thompson, engineers on board the British steamer Glendervie, now lying in the harbor, were suffocated last night. The deaths were caused by inhalation of the poisonous gas given off by a brazier of coal which had been kept burning for the purpose of warming the cabin.

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Mr. Lorenzo F. Sleeper is very well known to the citizens of Appleton, Me., and neighborhood. He says: "Eight years ago I was taken "sick, and suffered as no one but a "dyspeptic can. I then began taking August Flower. At that time "I was a great sufferer. Everything I ate distressed me so that I "had to throw it up. Then in a "few moments that horrid distress "would come on and I would have "to eat and suffer "again. I took a "little of your medicine, and felt much "better, and after "taking a little more "August Flower my "Dyspepsia disappeared, and since that time I "have never had the first sign of it. "I can eat anything without the "least fear of distress. I wish all "that are afflicted with that terrible "disease or the troubles caused by "it would try August Flower, as I "am satisfied there is no medicine "equal to it."

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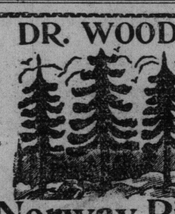

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Pork Closes Lower—Local Prices for Provisions Firm—Local Grain Steady With Few Transactions—Toronto Stocks Active—Further Important Advances Reported To-Day—Money and Exchange Rates.

Consols are quoted at 97 15-16 for money and 98 for account.

C.P.R. is higher in London at 92⅝ and sold yesterday in Montreal and Toronto at 90.

Grand Trunks are firm at 68⅝ for first preference and 43 for second preference.

Silver in London is quoted at 38¼d per ounce.

May cotton opened in New York at 9.72 and closed at 9.52 Wednesday.

In Oil City oil closed at 53⅛ and in New York at 53¼.

A despatch from New York states that it is believed in monetary circles no further gold shipments will be made for the present.

The wheat "visible" increased 294,000 bushels during the past week; corn increased 607,000 bushels; oats decreased 208,000 bushels; rye decreased 69,000 bushels, and barley decreased 22,000 bushels.

Early cables from Liverpool showed ½ penny advance in wheat, and later another advance of a penny to 1-32 pence took place.

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MONDAY EVENING, Jan. 16.

Trade on the local Stock Exchange opened up well for the week, 1094 shares have been taken to-day. Firmness was the feature throughout the list. All active stocks were firm and higher. Montreal was wanted at 235, and was held at 235¾. Toronto sold at 254½. Imperial was strong at 190. Dominion made another substantial advance, closing up to 276. Western Assurance sold at 168. C.P.R. and Northwest were both strong, Northwest bringing 69¼ and C.P.R. 90. Commercial Cable sold at 182 and Bell Telephone sold again at 164. Quotations are:

STOCKS.	12 M. Asked	12 M. Bid	4 P.M. Asked	4 P.M. Bid
Montreal	237½	235½	236¾	235
Ontario	...	116½	...	116½
Molsons	...	...	...	...
Toronto	254½	254	255¼	254
Merchants'	161	162	165	162
Commerce	145½	145	145½	145
Imperial	190	189½	191	190
Dominion	275	274½	277	275½
Standard	168	167½	168	167¾
Hamilton	167	164½	168	164½
British America	127	125¾	127	126½
Western Assurance	170	168	170	168¾
Confederation Life	297	292	...	...
Consumers' Gas	190½	189¾	190½	189¾
Dominion Telegraph	...	100	...	100
Can. Northwest Land Co	90	88¾	90	89½
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	90½	90	90¼	89¾
Toronto Electric Light Co	190	183	190	183
Incandescent Light Co	131	130½	130¾	130
Commercial Cable	182	179¾	180	179½
Bell Telephone Co.	165	164	165	164
British Can. L. & Invest	...	114	...	...
B. & Loan Association	...	...	...	...
Can. Landed & Nt. L. C.	133½	132½	...	...
Canada Permanent	...	199	...	...
Canadian S. & Loan	190	...	...	...
Central Canada Loan	...	122	...	...
Consol. L. & Invest. Co.	...	145	...	...
Dom. Savings & Loan	100	98	...	...
Farmers' Loan & Sav.	...	130	...	...
" " 20 p.c	...	117	...	...
Freehold L. & Savings	...	138	...	...
" " 20 p.c	...	123½	...	...
Hamilton Provident	140	...	...	...
Huron & Erie L. & S.	...	162	...	...
" " 20 p.c	...	150	...	...
Imperial Loan & Invest	...	128	...	...
Land Security	216	...	...	...
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	133	131	...	...
London Loan	108	105	...	...
London & Ontario	121½	119	...	...
Manitoba Loan	115½	115	...	...
North of Scotland C.M. Co	...	155	...	...
Ontario Industrial	...	104	...	...
Ontario Loan & Deb	...	128	...	...
People's Loan	113	112	...	...
Real Estate L. & Deb	...	75	...	...
Toronto Savings & Loan	...	118½	...	...
Union Loan & Savings	...	150	...	...
Western Canada L. & S.	...	175	...	...
" " 25 p.c.	...	165	...	...

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Transactions: In the morning—25 of Toronto at 254½, 50 and 20 of Imperial at 190; 20 of Dominion at 274, 10 at 274¼, and 20 at 275; 25 of Hamilton at 165; 20 of British America at 126; 50 of Western Assurance at 168; 15 of Consumers' Gas at 190; 75 of C.P.R. at 90; 25 and 25 of Commercial Cable at 180; 25 of Bell Telephone at 164½; 10 of Freehold at 139½; 60 and 35 of Manitoba Loan at 115¼ and 30 at 115; 20 of People's Loan at 112. In the afternoon—31 of Toronto at 254½; 20, 10 and 30 of Imperial at 190; 20 of Dominion at 275 and 20 at 276; 20 of Standard at 167¾, and 7 at 168; 60 and 40 of British America at 126½; 100 of Northwest Land at 89½; 25 of C. P. R. at 90; 75 and 25 of Commercial Cable at 180; 25, 50 and 25 of Bell Telephone at 164.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

The fluctuations in the New York Stock Exchange to-day, as reported by John J. Dixon & Co., are as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
Atchison	36	36¼	36	36¼
Chi., Burlington & Q.	103⅝	103⅞	103⅝	103⅞
Canada Southern	57⅛	58¾	57⅛	58¼
Chicago Gas Trust	90½	90¾	89¾	90¼
Cleve. Cin. & Chi.	38½	38¾	38½	38¾
Col. Coal & Iron Co.	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛
Del., Lac. & W.	152⅝	154¾	152⅝	153¾
Del. & Hudson	134½	135¼	134½	132
Erie	25	25¼	25	25⅛
Jersey Central	132	132	130½	130½
Louisville & Nash	74¼	75⅝	74¼	74¼
Lake Shore	131	131	131	131
Mo. Pacific	59½	59⅝	59	59¼
National Lead Trust	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝
N. Y. & New Eng.	50	50¾	49⅝	50¼
Northern Pacific, Pref.	47⅝	47⅞	46⅝	47½
Northwestern	114	114⅝	114	114½
Pac. Mail	27⅛	27⅜	27⅛	27⅛
Phila. & Reading	51	52⅝	50⅝	52
Rock Island	87	88	87	87¾
Richmond Term'l	9⅝	9¾	9⅛	9¼
St. Paul	79⅝	81	79⅝	80¾
Am. Sugar Ref.	119½	121⅛	119½	121⅛
Texas Pacific	10⅛	10⅛	10	10
Tenn. Coal & Iron	37	37	36½	36⅞
Union Pacific	41	42	41	41¾
Western Union	98¼	98¼	98	98¼
Wheeling & L.E.	21¾	21⅞	21⅝	21⅞
Wabash, Pref.	25⅝	25¾	25½	25⅝

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TIPS FROM WALL-STREET.

John J. Dixon & Co. received the following despatch over their private wire from Henry Allen & Co. to-day:

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The stock market was strong throughout to-day. Many of the specialties were under powerful manipulation and scored smart advances. D. C. F. on the execution of big buying orders apparently for the short interest rose three or four points, but there appeared no reason in the open market to warrant the advance outside of the taking of profits by short interest, which on inside information sold the stock heavily many points higher. The grangers have all been strong. Rock Island and St. Paul leading. Talk about the World's Fair is figuring as an important factor. One of the effects of the rise in stocks during the last few days has been to eliminate almost completely the short interest in leading stocks. It has likewise induced many traders with slim margins to load up. This is hardly encouraging for people who regret the appearance just now of anything like smart reductions. Europe has bought some stocks to-day. There have been further assurances that gold shipments are over. Some of the most important of bankers of the street do not quite endorse this view.

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THE MONEY MARKET.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Rates of exchange are reported by Wyatt & Jarvis, stock brokers, as follows:

BETWEEN BANKS.	Counter. Buyers.	Counter. Sellers.
New York Funds	¼ to ¼	1-32 pr | 1-16 pr
Sterling 60 days	9⅝ to 9¾	9 5-16 | 9 7-16
do. demand	10¼ to 10⅜	9¾ | 9 13-16

RATES IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.87	4.86 to 4.86½
do demand	4.89	4.87¾ to 4.88

Bank of England rate—3 per cent.

Grain and Produce.

Ontario wheat is dull to-day. The demand is fairly active, but sellers do not seem inclined to put any price on their holdings. Red wheat is wanted at 65c and white at 66c west. Spring sold west to-day at 65c. Manitobas are firmer. No. 2 hard is wanted at 82c and No. 1 is held at 86c North Bay. Peas are unchanged at 55c west and 56c east. Oats are rather easier, a lot of 5000 white offered west to-day at 28½c without takers. Mixed and white are quoted about 27½c. Barley is firm at 42c to 47c for No. 2 extra outside; No. 2 at 41c to 42c and No. 1 at 47c to 48c. Rye dull, at 50c to 51c. Buckwheat steady, at 43c loaded at eastern points.

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THE STREET MARKET.

Receipts to-day were as follows: Wheat, 100 bush; barley, 500 bush; peas, 100 bush; oats, 300 bush. Quotations are: White wheat, 65 to 67c; spring wheat, 60c; red wheat, 63 to 65c; goose wheat, 55c to 56c; barley, 43c to 46c; oats, 31c to 32c; peas, 55c to 56c; rye, 50c; hay, $8 to $10 for timothy and $7 to $8 for clover; straw, per ton, $7 to $8 for bundled, and $5 to $6 for loose; eggs, 23c per doz. for new laid; butter, 18c to 19c for tub, 20c to 24c for choice dairy rolls; chickens, 35c to 50c; turkeys, per lb, 10c to 12c; ducks, 50c to 75c; dressed hogs, $7.75 to $8 for rough and $8.50 for select weights; potatoes, 75c to 85c; beef, forq, $8 to $9.50; hind, $8 to $6.50; mutton, $6 to $7; lamb, 7c to 8c per lb; veal, $6 to $8.

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Prices to-day are very firm. For select weights $8.50 is being paid for large or small lots. Rough stock is bringing $8. Receipts are light and packers evince an inclination to buy and give concessions to sellers.

POULTRY.

Poultry is firmer and in good demand. Turkeys are quoted to-day at 12c per lb, geese 8c to 9c per lb, ducks 70c to 80c per pair, chickens 50c to 70c per pair.

SEEDS.

Red clover is being bought outside at $7 to $7.50 per bushel, alsike at $5 to $6, timothy $1.25 to $1.75 for machine threshed and $2 for unhulled samples. The export demand is reported trisker.

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Prices to-day are: Eggs, new laid, 28c; fresh cold storage eggs, 21c to 22c; limed eggs, 16c to 17c; butter, choice pound rolls, 18c to 20c, choice dairy in tubs, 17c to 19c; medium in tubs, 14c to 15c, inferior 12c to 14c; long clear bacon, 10c for large lots and 10½c for small lots; spiced rolls, 10c; hams, 12½c to 13c; Canadian mess pork $20.00 per bbl., short cuts $21.00; lard, 12c tubs and 12½c in pails; evaporated apples, new 7 1-2c and old 7c; dried apples, new 5c.

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Fluctuations in the Chicago grain and produce markets, as received by John J. Dixon & Co., were as follows:

	Open'g	High'st	L'w't	Close
Wheat—May	82⅛	83⅝	82¼	82⅞
" —July	81	82	80⅝	81½
Corn—May	48⅛	49	48⅛	48½
" —July	48⅛	49⅛	48⅛	48½
Oats—Jan	31⅝	31⅝	31⅛	31½
" —May	35⅞	36⅛	35⅝	35⅞
Pork—Jan	18 65	18 65	18 40	18 50
" —May	19 00	19 02	18 70	18 80
Lard—Jan	10 77	10 77	10 77	10 77
" —May	10 70	10 70	10 57	10 70
" —July	10 37	10 37	10 32	10 35
Short Ribs—Jan	9 62	9 62	9 62	9 62
" —May	9 80	9 82	9 70	9 72

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GOSSIP FROM CHICAGO.

John J. Dixon & Co. received the following despatch over their private wire from Walker & Co. to-day:

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Receipts of hogs were little larger than the estimate and prices unchanged. Provisions opened some lower, with sellers inclined to sell for a turn. The activity of wheat and corn absorbed the attention of operators, and when longs discovered that there was no support given to the provisions they began to sell. This caused some decline and brought out stuff on stop orders. The trade was light and unimportant. We would rather buy on those reactions when they occur.

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R. Cochran received the following despatch from Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to-day:

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Activity and strength have been the main features of to-day's markets, with unusually big volume of trade. One or two lines of long wheat were marketed at the opening, but were readily absorbed by small orders from outside. The news was bullish. Reports from Kansas, Missouri and Illinois say that in many sections the ground is bare of snow and the growing wheat is being injured by bitter cold weather. Cables have been strong throughout the day, Liverpool quoting an early advance of ½d and a further one later from 1d to 1½d. Paris was strong on reports of bad weather. The increase in visible was as expected. Receipts on Northwest continue light, only 434 cars at Minneapolis and Duluth, which should give us a decrease in visible next week. Corn and oats have been strong and active for the lower grades. A sharp demand is reported. One receiving house here has sold to the seaboard within the past ten days for export over 500,000 bushels. Shorts have been active buyers and the market has been assisted by good buying orders for long account from outside.

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TORONTO STOCKS IN STORE.

Stocks of grain in store in Toronto elevators are as follows with comparisons:

	Jan. 16, 1893.	Jan. 9, 1893.	Jan. 18, 1892.
Wheat, fall	89,102	92,764	53,886
" spring	50,755	41,063	34,470
" red	...	...	5,500
" goose	3,000	8,800	3,600
" hard	85,167	89,767	18,810
Barley	61,574	47,719	108,270
" 2 rowed	...	...	...
Oats	49,698	25,262	10,186
Peas	2,919	2,742	7,894
Rye	...	...	...
Corn	1,477	550	800

NORTHWEST STOCKS IN STORE.

Stocks of wheat in store at Port Arthur and Fort William are as follows with comparisons:

	Jan. 14, 1893.	Jan. 7, 1893.	Jan. 16, 1892.
Spring wheat, bush	2,243,253	2,089,710	914,910

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Cotton, spots lower; uplands 9⅛c, gulf 9⅜c; futures closed steady; sales 324,000 bales: Jan. $9.18, Feb. $9.23, March $9.36, April $9.46, May $9.51, June $9.57. Flour fairly active, millers making 10c to 15c advance. Wheat—Receipts 35,000, sales 10,515,000 futures, 72,000 spot. Spots stronger. No. 2 red 83c, store and elevator; No. 1 northern, 86½c to 8 9-16c; No. 1 hard 91½c; No. 2 northern, 84½; No. 3 spring, 79½c. Options irregular, closing at ¼c to 7-16c advance; No. 2 red, Jan. 81c, Feb. 81⅞c, March 83c, May 85¼c. Rye—Nominal, western 59c to 61c. Barley firm. Peas quiet. Canada nominal, 68c to 70c. Corn—Receipts 34,600 bush, exports 59,000 bush, sales 2,130,000 bush futures, 141,000 bush. spot; spots stronger, No. 2 53¼c to 53½c elevator, ungraded mixed, 54c to 54¾c; No. 3 53¾c; steamer mixed 53c to 54½c. Options closed firm, ⅛c to 1c over Saturday; Jan. 53¼c, Feb. 53¾c, March and May 54 1-4c. Oats—receipts 74,000 bushels, sales 250,000 bushels futures, 110,000 bushels spot. Options stronger; Jan. 39½c, Feb. 40c, May 40¼c. No. 2 white Feb. 42c to 42 1-4c, spots firmer, No. 3 39c, do. white 42c, No. 2 39½c, do. white 43 1-4c, mixed western 39½c to 40½c, white do. 41 1-2c to 47 1-2c. Coffee—Options opened steady, 10 points down to 5 points up, closed firm, 5 to 20 up, sales 35,000 bags, including Jan. $16.35 to $16.50, Feb. $16.15 to $16.35, March $16.10 to $16.25, April $15.90 to $16.05, May $15.85 to $16, spot No. 7 firmer, 17½c to 17¾c. Sugar—Steady, standard "A" 4 11-16c to 4⅝c, confectioners' "A" 4 9-16c to 4⅝c, cut loaf 5 5-16c to 5 7-16c, crushed 5 5-16c to 5 7-16c, powdered 4 15-16c to 5 1-8c, granulated 4 11-16c to 5c.

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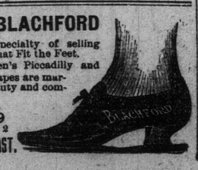

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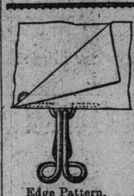

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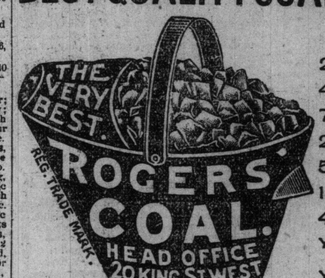

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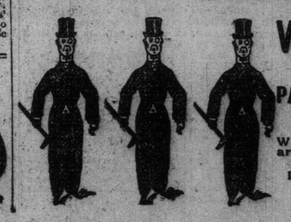

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