Hood's

THE MARKETS.

Local	Market.

London, Tuesday, Aug. 9.
Wheat, new, per bu63c to 66c
Wheat, white fall, per bu66c to 66c
Wheat, red fall, per bu66c to 66c
Wheat, spring, per bu66c to 66C
Oats, per bu 311/4 de to 321/4 c
Corn. per bu
Barley, per bu 431/4c to 431/4c

Only two loads of wheat came in and the price paid was \$1 10 per 100 pounds. Oats sold at 85c for musty up 95c for good stock. No other kind, of grain came in Butter was scarce, and although prices do not show any change, they are very firm. Eggs were

Poulary was quiet and unchanged. The supply of meats was moderate, and the prices were the same as on

Saturday Fruits show no change. The supply of peaches was well cleaned up; local grown sold at 35c to 40c a basket; shipped stock, 25c to 40c. The first receipts of home grown plums sold at

Tomatoes sold at 75c a basket, and 10c a quart; they were quite scarce.

Potatoes were lower again; sales at 80c per bushel.

Dressed hogs, steady; demand light, at \$7 10 to \$7 25 for choice.

Hay steady; supply good; sales at \$6 to \$7; mostly \$6 50. General quo-

GRAIN			
Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs 1	10	@	1 10
Wheat red fall per 100 108 1	10	0	1 10
Wheat garing per 100 ibs V	00	9	0 00
Wheat, new	00	@	1 10
Oats, per 100 lbs	92	(0)	95
Peas, per 100 lbs		@	
Corn per 100 ibs	80	@	85
Barley, per 100 lbs	90	@	30
Rye, per 100 lbs		@	
Boong por hi	50	@	60
Beans, per buPROVISIONS.			
Honey, comb	10	@	12
Honey, extracted	7	@	10
Cheese, per lb. wholesale	8	@	10
Eggs, single dozen	11	@	12
Eggs. fresh. basket, dozen	9	(a)	10
Eggs, per dozen, basket, pkd.	9	600	91/2
Eggs, fresh, store lots, doz	8	(0)	9
Butter, per lb, retail	18	(00	20
Butter, pound rolls, baskets	17	(0)	18
Butter, fo, large rolls or crocks	15	æ	17
Butter, per lb tubs or firkins.	10	(a)	11
Lard, per 1b	9	@	10
Chickens, per pair	50	(0)	70
Ducks, per pair	50	(0)	80
Turkeys, per lb	10	0	12
LIVE STOCK		_	
Young pigs, per pair	3 00	@	5 50
Cows, each2		(0)	49 00
Beef, per lb	21/2		4
Dies, per 10	3 00	(00	5 50
Pigs, young, per pair Hogs, per 100 lbs		0	5 50
Sows, per 100	3 50	60	3 50
	60	a	80
Ducks, per pair	40	(0)	50
Chickens, per pair	50	(0)	50
Hens, per pair		-	
TAL AND SEE	6 00	0	7 00
Hay, per ton	2 50	@	2 50
Straw, per load	FRI	TIT	15
VEGETABLES AND	5	(0)	6
Raspberries, red. per quart			5
Raspberries, black	1	12 (0	8
Thimbieberries, ber quark		100	

Chickens, per pair	-0	0	50
Hens, per pair	50	(0)	30
HAI AND SEED	00	0	7 00
Hay, per ton 6	50		2 50
Straw, per load	RU	MIT.	2 0
Raspberries, red. per quart	5	(0)	
Raspberries, black	31	2 @	
Thimbleberries, per quart	7	0	1
Currants, red, per quart	31	6 00	
Currants, white, per quart	31		
Currants, white, per quart	5	@	
Currants, black, per quart	15	(0)	4
Peaches, per basket			1 2
Potatoes, per bag 1	20	Œ	
Apples, basket	10		1
Apples, per bag	60		1
Plums, per basket	35		5
Peaches	25	@	5
Corn, per doz	7	(at	1
Beets, per dozen bunches	20	@	2
Beans, per quart	2	a	
Onions, per dozen bunches	20		2
Calam pandag hunghag	40		-
Celery, per doz bunches	10		
Cucumbers, per doz			1
Squashes, per doz	30		:
Radishes, per dozen bunches	20		
Tomatoes, per lb	eT(
Dest market north	1	14 @	
Beef, quarters, per lb		0	
Mutton, quarters, per lb			
Veal, quarters, per lb		14 0	

Flour Down Again.

Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, light.... 7 10 Dressed hogs, 100 lbs, heavy... 6 50

Hides, No. 1, per lb Hides, No. 2, per lb Hides, No. 3, per lb

Wool, unwashed per lb.....

to reduce the price of flour. We keep the best of each kind. Try us.

Owing to the decline in wheat we are able

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St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, Aug. 6 .- Wheat, per bu, 70c to 72c; oats, 33c to 34c; peas, 55c to 60c; barley, 35c to 55c; corn, 40c; beans, 60c to 80c; clover seed, \$2 50 to \$2 75. Steady. Lead—Steady; bullion price, \$3 80; exchange price, \$3 95 to \$3 971/2.

Oil Markets.

PETROLIA, Aug. 9 .- Oil opened and closed at \$1 40. PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 9.—Oil opened 96c. PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 9.—Oil closed at 96c.

American Markets. American Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Aug., 69½c; Sept., 36½c; Dec., 65½c; May. 67½c. Corn—Aug., 33½c: Sept., 33½c: Dec., 33½c: May. 36c. Oats—Sept., 21c; May. 23½c to 23½c. Mess pork—Sept., 88 87½; Oct., \$8 87½. Lard—Sept., \$5 25; Oct., 85 27½. Short ribs—Sept., \$5 15; Oct., \$5 20. Cash quotations: Flour quict. No. 3 spring wheat, 70c to 78c. No. 2 red, 72½c. No. 2 corn, 33c to 33½c. No. 2 yellow, 33½c to 33½c. No. 2 yellow, 33½c to 33½c. No. 2 oats, 22c to 22½c; No. 2 white, 26½c to 28c. No. 3 white, 26c to 27c. No. 2 rye, 43½c to 46c. No. 2 barley, 33c to 33c. No. 1 flaxseed, 92c. Prime timothy seed, \$2 60. Mess pork, \$8 80 to \$8 85. Lard, \$5 20 to \$5 25. Short ribs, \$5 to \$5 40. Dry salted shoulders, 4½c to 4½c. Short clear sides, \$5 50 to \$5 70. Sugar, unchanged. Eggs, firm: fresh 12c. firm; fresh 12c. RECEIPTS-Flour, 12.000 barrels; wheat,

52,000 bushels; corn, 537,000 bushels; oats, 201,000 bushels; rye, 9,800 bushels; barley, 201,000 bushels. 10,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 5,500 barrels; wheat, 122,000 bushels; corn, 829,000; oats, 560,600 bushels; rye, 34,000 bushels; barley, 700

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Opening—Wheat, Sept., 68%c; Dec., 65c; May, 67e. Cora, Sept., 33c; May, 33%c, Oats, Sept., 20%c; May, 23%c, Pork, Sept., \$8 85; Dec., \$8 90. Lard, Sept., \$5 20; Oct., \$5 25. Ribs, Oct., \$5 15; Sept., \$6 12½.

Butter and Eggs. If you have any to offer, write or wire price and quantity. Can supply you with butter tubs.

CHAS. ABBOTT

Wholesale Produce and Commission Merchant Phone 1288, 172 King St. London, Ont

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN. New York, Aug. 8.—The statement of the visible supply of grain, in store and aftoat. Saturday, Aug. 6, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 8,224,000; degrease 839,000. Corn, 7,920,000; increase 345,000. Oats, 3,352,000; decrease 88,000. Rye, 437,000; increase, 132,000. Barley, 298,000; decrease 45,000.

English Markets. Ruling prices for the past four market days— The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous

Messrs. Moore & Henry Present a Bill for \$1,400

For Hospital Plans Prepared at the Request of the Hospital Trust-Latter Acted Under the Council's Instructions

Liverpool, Aug. 9—12:30 p.m

Wheat—Spot No. 2 red western, winter, new rop, steady 6s 4d; No. 1 red northern spring, firm, 6s 10d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 7½d to 6s 8½d.

Corn—Spot, firm; American mixed. new, 3s 3½d; do, old. nominal; Sept., quiet, 3s 3½d; Oct., quiet 3s 4d.

Peas—Canadian. 4s 1½d.

Beef—Extra India mess, 65s; prime mess, 42s 9d. Messrs. Moore & Henry have presented an account for \$1,400 to the hospital trust for work done in preparing plans of a new hospital, and the trust has turned the account over to the city council for payment. Pork-Prime mess, fine western,52s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm 27s; long clear middles, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs, 29s 6d short clear backs, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 29s; long clear middles, light, 35 to 38 lbs, 30s; short ribs, 20 to 21 lbs, firm, 30s; clear bellies,

14 to 16 lbs, firm, 29s.

Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm, 27s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 33s.

Tallow—Prime city, 19s 6d.

Turpentine spirits—22s.
Rosin—Common, 4s.
Petroleum—Refined, 6%d,
Linseed oil—17s 9d.

Lard—Prime western, 26s 9d. Butter—Finest United States, 78s; good, 65s. Cheese—American, finest white, 37s; colored,

Cottonseed oil-Liverpool refined, steady,

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,713 cars; 39 cars on sale; mar-

ket slow; prim steers, firm to a shade

higher; others steady; market generally firm at close; five cars unsold;

\$1 25 to \$3 05. Cable weak; live cat-

native steers, \$4 45 to \$5 35; cows,

tle, 100 to 10%c, dressed weight; re-frigerator beef, 9c per pound. Exports today, none; tomorrow, 726 cattle and

2,440 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 2,454; 2,550 on sale; demand

fair; prices steady; veals, \$4 to \$4 621/2;

tops, \$6 75; grassers and buttermilks, \$2 75 to \$3 75; westerns, \$4 30 to \$4 50.

Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 13,223; 40

-Receipts, 10,695; five cars on sale; market lower, at \$4 10 to \$4 35.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Choice steers, \$5 25 to \$5 65; medium, \$4 80 to \$4 95;

beef steers, \$4 to \$4 75; stockers and

feeders. \$3 to \$4 75; bulls, \$2 50 to

\$4 25; cows and heifers, \$2 85 to \$4 20; calves, \$2 75 to \$7; western, \$4 to \$4 75;

Texas, \$2 40 to \$3 75. Fair to choice

hogs, \$3 92½ to \$4 10; packers, \$3 70 to \$3 90; butchers, \$3 75 to \$4 05; mixed, \$3 50 to \$4 05; light, \$3 90 to \$4 02½;

pigs, \$3 70 to \$3 87½. Poor to prime lambs, \$4 to \$6 50; yearlings, \$4 75 to \$5; western sheep, \$4 50 to \$4 60; good rangers, \$4 20 to \$4 40. Receipts—Cat-

tle, 16,000; hogs, 21,000; sheep, 12,000.

MONTREAL, Aug. 8 .- Three hun-

dred and seventy-five butchers' cattle

60 calves, 350 sheep and lambs offered

for sale at the east end abbatoir to-

4%c per lb; pretty good stock, 3½c to 4½c do., and common beasts, 2½c

to 31/2c per lb. Calves scarce and high

priced, considering quality, shippers, paying from 34c to 34c per lb for good

large sheep. Goods lambs sold in lots

at \$3 50 each; common lambs sold at

\$2 75 to \$3 each. Fat hogs sell at from

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Aug. 8. Cattle-Receipts were less than a week

ago; market opened with a fairly good

demand, and was active for good

grades at stronger prices, with com-

non to fair lots about steady. Bulls in

steers, \$5 10 to \$5 15; good to choice fat,

\$4 90 to \$5; coarse steers, \$4 25 to \$4 65;

fat, \$4 60 to \$4 80; light, \$4 50 to \$4 60;

green do., \$4 15 to \$4 60; fair to good

do., \$4 25 to \$4 50; fair to good fat heif-

ers, \$3 75 to \$4 35; choice fat heifers,

\$4 60 to \$4 70; fair to good mixed

butchers' stock, \$2 75 to \$4 35; mixed

lots, cows and heifers, \$3 65 to \$4 35;

common lots, mixed cows, heifers and

thin steers \$3.50 to \$4.25; fair to good

butchers' cows, \$3 85 to \$4 40; common

and fair, \$5 50 to \$6; culls, \$4 to \$5;

common to choice yearlings, \$4 25 to

lected wethers, \$4 80 to \$5; fair to

choice mixed sheep, \$4 40 to \$4 75; culls

LONDON LIVE HOG MARKET.

Paid Drovers off Cars.

Long, lean, pea-fed singers\$6 00

Thick, fat, pea-fed 5 50

Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.-Butter-Re-

ceipts, 7.077 packages; firm; state dairy, 13c to 17c: state creamery, 14½c

to 18½c; western do, 14½c to 19c; Elgins, 19c; factory, 11c to 14c. Cheese —

white, 6%c to 7c; small white, 71/2c;

colored at 6%c, 470 boxes large white

at 61/2c, 1.070 boxes large white and

colored on commission; 62 packages of

creamery butter at 18c; 50 prints at 20c.

MONTREAL, Aug. 8 .- Cheese, 7c to

8c. Butter-Townships, 15c to 16c; wes-

NEW YORK, Aug. 8 .- Butter firm;

western creamery. 141/2c to 19c; do fac-

tory, 11c to 14c: Elgins, 19c; imitation

creamery, 13c to 16c: state dairy, 13c to

17c; do creamery. 14%c to 181/2c. Cheese

steady; large white. 74c; small do, 74c; large colored. 74c; small do, 74c; light skims. 64c to 64c; part skims, 54c

CHICAGO, Aug. 8. - Butter firm; creamery, 131/26 to 18c; dairy, 12c to 14c.

to 51/2c; full skims, 2c to 21/2c.

Cheese dull and 1/4c lower.

dairy butter at 17c to 18c.

tern. 13c to 14c.

large colored, 7c; small colored, 71/2c.

and common ewes, \$2 25 to \$4 25.

\$5; native clipped sheep, choice to se

51/4c to 51/2c per 1b.

than on Thursday. Best beeves sold

The grounds upon which the trust claims that the city council is liable for the payment of the account are Last year's council requested the trust to have plans prepared. The trust employed Messrs. Moore & Henry as architects, because of Mr. Henry's extensive experience on hospital buildings, he having been connected with the building of the Stratford and St. Thomas hospitals. He also visited the Cleveland and New York hospitals, which the civic deputation recently went to see, and had collected a large amount of knowledge and information about hospital buildings. His plans were altered and changed to conform with the criticisms offered by the trust and the medical profession generally, so that the set was considered to be very appropriate when the matter was taken out of their hands by this year's council, and competitive plans asked for. The plans in question were therefore prepared at the request of the hospital trust, who were getting them out at the request of the city council, and Messrs. Moore & Henry claim they are entitled to be paid a reasonable sum for their services. The architects claimed that 21/2 per cent is the regular legal charge for preparing plans and specifications, but as they did not get cars on sale; good sheep firm; others steady; lambs 15c to 25c higher; one car sheep unsold; sheep, \$3 to \$4.75; culls, \$2.75; lambs, \$5.75 to \$7.70. Hogs out specifications, they have charged 2 per cent only, which they say is under rather than over the amount they are

legally entitled to. At the meeting of the trust a resolution, together with the account, was sent to the city council, drawing attention to the fact that the plans were prepared at the request of the trust under instructions from the city council, and that Messrs. Moore & Henry are entitled to be paid. The resolution also states that if the plans prepared had been adopted, and the building erected under the supervision of the trust, this sum would have been required to be paid twice over.

Second Annual Outing of the day. Butchers were present in large numbers, and trade good; prices high-Christopher Colombo Society.

> Numerous Amusements and Sports-Display of Fireworks-Presentation of a Handsome Italian Flag-Pretty

It was certainly one of the most successful and pleasant picnics of the year-the second annual outing of the Christopher Colombo Italian Society. The weather was somewhat threatening, but this in no way dampened the liberal supply, and lower for all but good smooth fat ones; good shipping spirits of the merry-makers who to the number of about 150, journeyed in buses and on bicycles to the north side of the river opposite Springbank. Sociability was the key-note of the occasion, so that all heartily enjoyed themselves. At luncheon hour a dainty and appetizing spread was laid on the veranda of the old Ward property. After the good things had been thoroughly tested by the picnickers, numerous amusements were indulged in. The grounds were ablaze with light from end to end, being gorgeously fesold to fair cows, \$2 to \$3 50; bulls, \$3 30 tooned with Chinese lanterns. One of to \$4. Hogs—Market opened with a fairly good demand; ruled stronger for the most striking features of the decorations was the Italian and English all grades; good to choice Yorkers, flags, with lights playing upon them. \$4 10 to \$4 15; prime light do., \$4 05 to \$4 10; mixed packers, \$4 15; mediums, Dinner was served early in the evening, under numerous pretty colored \$4 15 to \$4 20; heavy hogs, \$4 20; roughs, \$3 40 to \$3 70; pigs, \$2 75 to \$4 05; stags, \$2 75 to \$3 15. Sheep and lights, and at about 9 o'clock the beginning of the fete proper was an nounced by the explosion of a large lambs-Market opened with a good debomb, followed immediately by an mand for lambs at stronger prices, elaborate display of fireworks. A dance | Hodgens. while sheep and yearlings were about then followed, and was greatly enjoyed steady: spring lambs, choice to extra ewes and wethers, \$6 25 to \$6 50; buckey

by the young folks. One of the pleasant features of the day was the presentation to the society of a handsome Italian flag by Mrs. Chiera. Mr. Jos. Dambra, the genial president of the society, made a feeling reply, thanking Mrs. Chiera for her beautiful gift. The committee in charge are to be highly complimented on the success of the outing. Their efforts were untiring to make it so. Mr. Lou Paladino acted his usual happy role of

assisting everyone to have a jolly time. The picnickers returned to the city at a late hour, well pleased with their day's fun at Springbank. During the afternoon a number of races were in order, and were keenly contested. Following are the events

and prize winners: Receipts, 3.728 packages; steady; large Single men's race-1, Joe Benenati; 2. Joe Maiorana. Single ladies' race - 1, Catherine UTICA, N. Y., Aug. 8.-At the Utica board of trade today the following Cheira; 2, Lena Paladino. sales of cheese were made: 416 boxes Married men's race-1, Lou Paladino; large colored at 61/2c. 768 boxes large

2, Joseph Dambra. Married ladies' race-1, Mrs. Frank Fenech; 2, W. Casello, Port Huron, Men's race-1, Salvator Sansone.

Boys' race-1, Lou Benenati; 2, Bar-LITTLE FALLS. N. Y., Aug. 8.tolo Miles. Children's race-1, Ralph Benenati; Sales: 560 boxes large white and colored at 61/2c; 980 boxes large white and colored at 6%c, 2.330 boxes small white Young girls' race-1, Lena Benenati; and colored at 7c: 2.716 boxes small 2. Carolina Lamachia. white and colored at 71/4c; 260 packages

Small girls' race-1, Rose Pask; 2, Frances Miles. Sack race-1, Joe Benenati. Committee—Lou Paladino, D. Cuso-lito, A. Furanna, A. Licciardo, A. Miles, A. Fenech, A. Cortese, M. Caravella and Jos. Dambra.

LIFE SAVED .- Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me; I believe it saved my life. was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any

remedy to do me good. Ladies, beautiful feet and neat shoes ome through using Shake in Your Shoes. 25 cents.

MR. HODGENS AND HIS RAM.

The Great East Middlesex Issue Introduced in the Legislature.

Continuation of the Debate On the Address to the Throne.

Stratton's Telling Figures-First Reading of the Fisheries Act.

Toronto, Aug. 9 .- At the Legislature yesterday the fisheries act was read a first time. Mr. Stratton resumed the debate on the address. He referred to Mr. Whitney's scepticism in regard to the visit of farmers to the Model Farm as an out-cropping of the old Conservative antipathy to that institution. It had been said over and over again by the opposition that a graduate of the Agricultural College was spoiled farming purposes. He denied that, and supported his denial by giving the names and addresses of a number of graduates of the college who were among the most successful farmers in his county. Mr. Stratton also took up Mr. Witney's condemnation of the appointment of the road commissioner He again appealed to his own county where he believed miles of roads had been improved as a result of the work of the road commissioner. As a result of this appointment more would be done in the direction of road improvement in five years than had formerly been done in 25. The government had the house they had 51 to the opposi-tion's 43, and the popular vote he reckoned as follows: Liberals 215,644

Independents 9,955 Mr. Stratton defended the right of the constables to the franchise, and defended the position of the unseated ministers.

Mr. Hoyle (Con., North Ontario) made a clear and moderate speech. He commended the farmers' institutes. He evidently was not prepared to condemn the appointment of the road commissioner, although he had observed that the farmers in many cases did not take kindly to his teachings, considering that nobody could teach them anything about road-making. Mr. Hoyle claimed that the independent vote was as much entitled to be counted against the Government as the Conservative vote. He contended that the petitioner vored registration for all constituencies. He concluded by moving an amendment to the amendment to the effect that the house "respectfully expressed its desire that his honor would take steps to put an end to such an unusual and undesirable state of affairs," to wit, the position of the two

ministers. with pride to the solid phalanx of Liberals. They were there and intended to With regard to the vacant stay there. seats, he declared that it would have been discreditable to the government if the portfolios of the defeated ministers had been given to others while they were contesting in the courts their right to represent their constituents. Two other new members had a hearing-Mr. McLaughlin, of Stormont, and Mr. Russell, of East Hastings.

MR. HODGENS' RAM. The following notices of motion and inquiries were presented: Mr. Hodgens-That an humble address be presented to his honor lieutenant-governor, praying that he will cause to be laid before this house

a return of copies of all orders in council, correspondence and other documents relating to the deciding upon and purchase of a site in the city of London for the proposed Normal School. Mr. Whitney-On Wednesday no A return showing the time during

which John I. Hobson has been in the government service and the rate and aggregate amount of the remuneration received by him. Mr. Hodgens-Was a ram purchased by the government from T. D. Hodgens within the last five years, and, if so, for what price? On whose recommen dation was the said purchase made? Mr. Hodgens-A return of all corre spondence relating to the purchase of

ram by the government from T. D.

IRON HIGHWAYS.

Plan for Consolidating the Vanderbilt Lines.

The C. P. R. Half-Yearly Dividend Declared-G. T. R. Officials on . Tour of Inspection.

Messrs, McKenzie & Mann have erdered all work on the survey for the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Rail-

way to be stopped. At a meeting of the board of direc tors of the Canadian Pacific Railway

on Monday dividends of 2 per cent. on the preference stock, and 2 per cent. on the stock for the half year, ended 30th June last, were declared payable 1st of October.

The plan of consolidation of the Vanderbilt lines includes the bringing of eight freight lines under the control of the present managers of the New York Central and West Shore roads, and is expected to result in a large reduction

D. McNicoll, passenger traffic manager of the C. P. R., has returned from Chicago, where he was fighting the case of the C. P. R. in connection with the passenger rate war before the interstate commerce commission. He ex-presses the belief that he succeeded in convincing the commissioners of the justice of the C. P. R.'s case, it being the first time that both sides have been W. E. Davis, general passenger agent

of the G. T. R., returned to Montreal from Chicago, where he had been attending the meeting of the inter-state commission in reference to the passenger rate war. He states that the commissioners gave both sides of the case patient hearing, and that he hopes that the recommendation which they make will have the effect of settling the trouble. They promised to hand down their finding as promptly as possible. Sir Chas. Wilson, president of the G. T. R., and his party, accompanied by

C. M. Hays, general manager, have nenced their inspection of the system, beginning in Ottawa. The party left Montreal Saturday evening and The Fly has come to the front. 24 tf went through to Niagara Falls, where



WEATHER PROBS:

Fair and a little cooler.

Ladies' Wrappers

We want to make the month of August a big month for you as well as ourselves. To help to do it, in one department alone-in the Wrapper department—we have made real reductions—ones that you will notice. Here's the thing in a nutshell:

All our \$1 50 Cambric Wrappers, full size, gimp trimmed, well made, \$1 00

for..... All our \$1 75 Cambric Wrappers, frill on botton, nicely trimmed, full size, well made.....

All our \$2 75 Muslin Wrappers, trimmed with valenciennes lace, full \$1 85

There's a bargain here for every woman wanting a wrapper-yes, and come back from the country with a even for those who don't. The saving is so noticeable that it is scarcely and a majority of the popular vote. In necessary to tell you to call early. All go on sale Tuesday morning.

Wrapperette Flannels

Three special lines in Flannel Wrapperette Goods to hand. Choice patterns all of them. This is a splendid time to pick your winter Wrapper-while the selection is good.

 $12^{1}_{2}C - 15C - 20C$

Extra Heavy English Flannelette, the same quality as our 12½c goods, but a 81c trifle narrower; a great bargain at....

in an election trial should be a responsible person, which he now very often was not. In the franchise he fa-

149 and 151 Dundas Street,

they spent Sunday. They take all president of the G. T. R., arrives in New York Wednesday. He will join the inspection years. the inspecting party in Ontario after they have concluded with the branch lines.

Best Part of Bismarck, Dak. Destroyed.

Over 60 Stores and Big Offices Gone-Firemen Powerless to Check the Flames.

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 9.-Fire destroyed the best portion of the City of Bismarck last evening, licking up hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property. The flames originated in the agent's office of the Northern Pacific depot. Almost before they were discovered the entire building and the immense warehouse of the com-

pany were in flames. Oils and powder contributed fuel, and before the flames could be checked, they had spread to the block of brick buildings across the alley, destroying the Tribune office, Hare's hardware store, and an entire row of

The flames then leaped the street the magnificent First National Bank building, which melted away in a few minutes. The Central Block followed, and the flames spread to the postoffice, sweeping over the entire block, and carrying down the post-Merchants' Bank Block, Griffin Block, and all the intermediate frame and brick structures.

The fire then spread across and devoured Kupitz's store and the greater part of the block on rne other side of the street. The flames also spread north into a residence block, and completely destroyed it. Firemen were powerless to check

the inroads of the flames, which spread to scores of buildings, licking them up as so much waste paper. The origin of the fire is unknown. It is impossible to estimate the loss yet. wires are burned out, the Union office being one of the first to go. Over 60 stores and big offices are

A DRESDEN MERCHANT

Gives Evidence in Faver of Dodd's Kid ney Pills for Rheumatism.

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