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Local Market.

London, Thursday, April 26. The market was very slimly attended this morning, and offerings were so small that quotations were not affected. There was a good demand for butter from local retailers, but there was little offered.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT. Wheat, white, per bu63c to 65c Wheat, red, per bu 63c to 66c Wheat, red, per bu65e to 66c Oats, per bu34c to 35c Peas, per bu60c to 77c Corn, per bu43c to 43c Barley, per bu381/2c to 381/2c Rye, per bu56c to 56c Buckwheat, per bu48c to 571/2c Beans, per bu31 to \$1 35

No wheat offered today, and the price for it is unchanged. Oats were active and higher, at \$1 to \$1 03; the demand was good and the supply very light. One load of seed peas sold at \$1 20 and another at \$1 27. No other kind of grain came in. Hay sales were slow, at \$8 to \$9 50. No straw offered. Dressed hogs came in sparely and sold at \$6 to \$6 75; live hogs went from \$5 75 to \$5 90. Quotations: VEGETABLES.

Parsnips. 60
Artichokes, per bag. 75
Savory and Sage, per doz. 15
Parsley, per doz. 40
Lettroc, per doz. 25
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John S. Pearce, Manager, London, Ont Wheat, white, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 05 Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs.. 1 05 Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs. 1 05
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. 1 00
Oats, per 100 lbs. 1 00
Corn per 100 lbs. 80
Rarley, per 100 lbs. 80
Rye per 100 lbs. 1 00
Buckwheet, per 100 lbs. 1 00
Beans, per bu. 190
PROVISIONS. Ohe se, per lb.....

Hogs, singers 6 00 6
Hogs, heavy, per 100 lba 3 00 6
Pigs, young, per pair 3 00 6
Sows, per 100 lbs 3 00 6
Ducks, per pair 75 6
Chickens, spring, per pair 50 6
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SEED POTATOES.

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THE STREET STREET, STR St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, April 25.-Wheat, per bu, 67c; oats, new, per bu, 32c to 34c; peas, per bu, 88c to 90c; barley, per bu, 45c to 55c; rye, 60c; corn, per bu, 50c; flax seed, per cwt, \$2 45 to \$2 50; timoth/ seed, \$1 25 to \$1 75; clover seed, per bu, \$5 50 to \$6. The Oil Market.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 26.—On opened at \$147; closed at \$147.
OIL CITY, April 25.—Oredit balances, \$147; certificates, no bid.

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

Cheese, colored . American Markets. CHICAGO, April 25 .- The grain and provision markets were strong today the former helped principally by higher cables and a good export de-mand. Wheat closed %c to 1c higher; mand. Wheat closed 42 to 16 figher, corn, 1%c to 1½c better and oats ½c improved. The market for hog products at the close was from 7½c to 15c higher. New York reported 30 loads taken for export. Atlantic port. clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 678,000 bushels. Primary re-ceipts were 255,000 bushels compared with 443,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 260 cars against 187 last week and 292 the corresponding day last year. Re-ceipts here were 42 cars, none of con-tract grade. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 190 cars; oats, 130 cars; hogs, 25 cars.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat, April, 65%c; May, (Scy July, 67%c)

Sept., 63%c. Corn—April, 39%c to 39%c: May, 39%c: July, 40%c; Sept., 41%c to 41%c. Oats—May, 23%c; July, 42%c Sept., 21%c. Mess Pork—May, \$1872%: July, \$1290. Lard—May, \$715: July, \$725: Sept., \$77%. Short ribs—May, \$705; July, \$710; Sept., \$702%. Cash quotations—Flour, firm. No. 3 spring wheat, 63%c to 64%c; No. 2 red wheat, 69c to 70%c; No. 2 corn, 39%c: No. 2 yellow corn, 40c. No. 2 corn, 39%c: No. 2 yellow corn, 40c. No. 2 oats, 24%c to 24%c; No. 2 white, 27c to 28%c; No. 3 white, 26%c to 27%c. No. 2 rye, 54c. No. 2 barley, 41c to 44c. No. 1 flax-seed, \$173. Prime timothy seed, \$235, Mess pork, \$1175 to \$1280. Lard, \$705 to \$720. Short ribs, \$690 to \$715. Dry salted shoulders, 6%c to 7c. Short clear sides, \$740 to \$750. Sugar, cut loaf, \$6; granulated, \$544. Cloverseed, \$7. Eggs, fresh, 10%c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 27,000 barrels; wheat, 47,000 bushels; corn, 194,000 bushels; oats, 230.00 bushels; rye, 6,000 bushels; barley, 19,000 bushels; 19,000 bushels; pre, 4,000 bushels; barley, 12,000 bushels; Oats, 247,000 bushels; pye, 4,000 bushels; barley, 12,000 bushels.

CHICAGO, April 26.—Opening—Wheat, July, 67% to 67%; May, 65% to 65% c. Corn, July, 40% to 40%; May, 33% to 40c. Oats, July, 23% to 23%; May, 23%; Lard, July, \$7 27 to \$7 30; Sept., \$7 30. Ribs, July \$7 08 to \$7 10. Pork, July, \$12 87 to \$12 80.

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Live Stock Markets. CHICAGO, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; choice quality steers steady to strong; others slow; butchsteady to strong; others slow; butchers' stock steady; best on sale, \$5 65; good to prime native steers, \$4 90 to \$5 80. Hogs—Receipts today, 25,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 4,500; 2½c to 5c higher, closing easy; top, \$5 60; mixed and butchers, \$5 35 to \$5 60. Sheep—Receipts, 13,000; slow to 10c lower; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$5 25 to \$5 65.

EAST BUFFALO, April 25.—Cattle—About steady; calves good demand:

About steady; calves, good demand; choice to extra, \$6. Sheep and lambs quite active; clipped lambs, choice to extra, \$6.50 to \$6.65; good to choice, \$6.25 to \$6.50; fair to good, \$6.00 to \$6.25; wool lambs, good to extra, \$7.25 to \$7.75; sheep, clipped wethers, \$5.75 to \$5.85; good to choice mixed, \$5.50 to \$5 65; yearlings, \$5 75 to \$6; ewes, \$5 25 to \$5 60. Hogs active and 5c higher en desirable grades; heavy hogs, \$5 70 to \$5.80; mixed, \$5.70 to \$5.75; heavy Yorkers, \$5.60 to \$5.65; light Yorkers, \$5.50 to \$5.55; pigs, \$5.25 generally; roughs, \$4.75 to \$5.10; stags, \$3.75 to \$4; close full steady.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Beeves-Receipts, 2,600; 27 cars on sale; steers slow; bulls and cows steady to a shade lower; all sold; steers, \$4.75 to \$5.45; tops, \$5.50; stags and oxen, \$3.70 to \$4.50; bulls, \$2.90 to \$4.35; cows, \$2. to \$3.80. Cables unchanged. Exports to-day, 4.489 quarters of beef. Calves—receipts, 5.531; 5.720 on sale; market opened active and steady; closed dull opened active and steady; closed dull and 25c lower; yeals, \$4 to \$6 25; little calves, \$3 to \$3 50. Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 4,806; 6½ cars on sale; common sheep lower and easier; good clipped do. steady; lambs, 15c to 25c higher; all sold; wool sheep, \$5 to \$6 25; culls, \$3 50 to \$4 50; clipped sheep, \$3 50 to \$5 50; wooled lambs, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$3 50 to \$5 50; wooled lambs, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 to \$6 50; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 25; culls, \$6 100; clipped sheep, \$6 75 to \$8 2 lambs, \$5 25 to \$6 90; Maryland spring lambs, \$5 25 each; state do, \$3 to \$4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,600; one car on sale; market weak; state hogs, \$5 80 to

\$5 85; no western hogs. OLD COUNTRY PRICES. London, April 25.-Here prices are unchanged at 11c to 12c per 1b (dressed as it was safe to do so, and they have weight); South American sell at 10c to now slipped off to hold the next com-10% c per lb. Sheep sell at 14c per lb. Refrigerator beef is quoted at 8½ to

Dairy Markets.

NEW YORK, April 25. - Butter vestern creamery, 151/2c to 18c; do factory, 13c to 14½c; imitation creamery, 14c to 16c; state dairy, 15c to 17c; do creamery, 15c to 18c. New cheese steady; fancy large white, 11½c; fancy large colored, 11c to 114c; fancy small white, 10%c to 11c; fancy small colored, 10%c

CHICAGO, April 25.—Butter firm; creameries, 13½c to 17½c; dairies, 12½c to 15½c. Cheese firm at 10c to 12c.

The Hide Market. Toronto, April 25 .- Hides-The condition of the market is a little better and prices are a little firmer, but no higher. Local dealers quote green cows' 8%c and steers' 9%c. Country hides are quoted %c less. Cured are quoted at 9c for cows' and 10c for Sheepskins-The receipts are much smaller because the season for washing and clipping is now near; prices are nominal at \$1 25 to \$1 40. Lambskins are beginning to come forward quite pientifully; they are quoted at 15c to 20c. Calfskins—The offerings are moderate, and the market is steady at 10c for No. 1 and 9c for No. 2. Tallow—The market is steady. Local dealers are offering 5%c to 6c and ask-

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the darkness, within 1,000 yards of the Boer trenches across the river. The horses and carriages were withdrawn beyond range, and at daybreak the British opened a heavy bombardment with shrapnel and lyddite. The Boers were taken completely by surprise, but they replied with five guns, including a 40-pounder, and a heavy rifle fire was opened at the same time. The duel continued many hours, the Boers finally evacuating the position with, it is believed, considerable loss. There were no casualties on the British side. During the evening the guns were silently withdrawn.

FIRED A SHOT, THEN DIED. London, April 25.-A dispatch from Buluwayo, dated April 17, says: There were some gallant deeds during Col. Plumer's recent fighting in his attempt to relieve Mafeking. Capt. Crewe was killed while trying to bring in Capt. Cate. Capt. Gates, whose horse had been shot. Trooper Lees, who had been wounded, said: "Comrades, don't mind me: I'm sent for. Give me a rifle till I have one more shot." A rifle was handed to him, and he fired one shot after which he rolled over dead. BUGLE BLASTS.

The Anglican Archbishop of Cape Town has written a letter to Sir Alfred Milner, expressing the conviction in the absence of an official statement by the Church of England, that enduring peace cannot be secured while the South African republics retain their independence.

Persistent rumors are circulating at Cape Town of dissension in the Cape cabinet. It is said that Mr. W. P. Schreiner, the premier, and Mr. Solomon, attorney-general, favor the annexation of the Transvaal and the Free State; that Mr. J. W. Sauer, commissioner of public works, and Dr. Te Water, minister without portfolio advocate the independence of the republics, and that Mr. J. Herriman,

treasurer, is neutral. The president of the London board of trade, Mr. Charles Thomson Ritchie, says it is a delusion to suppose that the Spion Kop dispatches, were pub-lished without the consent of Lord Roberts. Their publication does not necessitate a recall of Sir Redvers

RUNNING FIGHT

Between the Discomfited Boers and Their Pursuers-Enemy Left Their Dead Unburied in the Trenches.

London, April 26.-All the interest in the South African war is now centered in the running fight in progress between the burghers retreating from the southern portion of the Orange Free State and Gen. French's horsemen and the infantry of Gens. Pole-Carew, Chermside and Rundle. The Boers clung to their positions as long manding ridge through a broken country admirably suited for a rear guard defense.

Dispatches from Aliwal North, under date of Wednesday, April 25, say the Boers left Wepener so hurriedly that many of the dead were left in the trenches unburied. Commandant S. Cronje is reported to have been killed.

According to advices from Bloemfontein, the attack of the Boers at Brandfort, to get in touch with the command at Thabanchu, was frustrated by a force dispatched by Gen. Tucker from Glen.

A dispatch from Pretoria reports the arrival there of Lord Rosslyn as an unwounded prisoner.

THE QUEEN

Leaves Dublin En Route for England.

Dublin, April 26.-Queen Victoria and Princess Christian and Henry of Battenberg left the vice-regal lodge at noon and drove to Kings' Bridge station, on their way to Kingstown and England. Large crowds at every point of vantage gave her majesty a loyal farewell. The train started for Kingstown at 12:30 amidst the heartiest demonstrations.

Enormous numbers of the people had preceded the Queen to Kingstown, and occupied the plers and other places from which the royal yacht Victoria and Albert was visible.

A memorable demonstration occur-red as her majesty, attended by a brilliant suite, boarded the Yacht, which steamed seaward at 1:15 p.m. amid the firing of a royal salute by the fleet, and hearty and prolonged cheer-ing from the throngs linking the water-

HIS TIME HAD COME.

So Thought a Quebee Man Until Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him of Bright's Disease.

Quebec, April 23 .- Narcisse Mangy, of 109 St. Anne street, this city, considers himself an extremely fortunate man. He has come through the ordeal of Bright's Disease alive.

Bright's Disease is an extremely fatal disease of the kidneys. The sufferer lingers on, growing weaker and weaker, slowly and miserably dying, Once it fastens itself upon a victim there is only one hope to save him-Dodd's Kidney Pills. But they never

Narcisse Mangy says: "I have endured Bright's Disease for over five years. Doctors told me I would never get well. I thought my time had come. A People who have used it say it | friend told me to try Dodd's Kidney

LIONS IN THE WOODS

Three Seen in Essex County Perhaps-Hunters After Them.

Windsor, April 26.—According to the story of several people, there are at present three lions roaming through the woods in Colchester South, Essex coun-

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fast color, spliced heels and soles. Per pair pair......81/2c to 121/2c from.....18c to 30c Ladies' Handsome Fancy Liele Vests, low neck, no sleeves, at 45c Fancy Lisle Vests, quarter sleeve, low neck, very pretty.......... 50c Underwear. White Lisle Vests, splendid quality, high neck, quarter sleeve...... 75c

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male, female and cub were seen. for the animals, but so far no reports had been received concerning the men

WILL GET NO RAISE OF PAY

Detroit Street Railway Company Refuse the Men's Request-Introduction of New Teamsters Making Some Trouble.

Detroit, April 26.-The Street Rail-

way Employes' Association sent a request for a raise in wages to the company and the answer given not only refuses the request, but intimates that a reduction may possibly be made in the near future. The association has evidently decided to ignore the answer of the company. Delegate M. J. Mc-Leod has asked Mr. Du Pont when he would be willing to meet a committee of the men for conference and Mr. Du Pont has set this afternoon at 2:30. The letter of refusal written by Mr. Du Pont calls attention to the fact that the men are getting 161/2 per cent higher than the men in other cities of the same class as Detroit. Mr. McLeod says that the income derived from two cars would be suffi-cient to pay all that the increase ask-ed for would amount to. The men are getting 21 cents an hour for a day of nine hours, the length of work done being limited by the action of the men themselves. Mr. McLeod figures from the duplicate trip sheets, taken by the men against the orders and warning of the company, that the company's business has increased at least 50 per cent in the last year. The company claims that it must protect itself, in

view of the recent heavy taxation.
Toronto, April 25.—The Shedden and
Hendrie companies sent out a number of lorries this afternoon to collect freight for the first time since the carters' strike began. The lorries were manned by teamsters collected at outside points and brought to town, and the new men had a hard time of it. Groups of men jeered and swore at them as they drove through the streets, and in some cases windows opened unexpectedly and water was thrown on them by unseen tormentors. The police were out in the wholesale quarter in force, guarding the teamsters, but only one arrest was made-that of a man who kicked a horse alter chasing the driver away. A conference is to be held tomorrow that may result in a settlement.

Detroit, April 25.—The press feeders

did not strike at noon today. The printers and the pressmen did not seem disposed to order a sympathetic strike and the feeders would have considerable difficulty in carrying on one by themselves. It was arranged that a committee of the feeders should meet one from the employers' association,

was kept on the woods, with the result, it is declared, that three lions, a the head by H. C. Baster and instthe head by H. C. Baster and inst-antly killed. The injured are John McGuire, Edward Yarranton, Benj. Tuesday eighteen young men of the locality armed themselves with rifles and shotguns and commenced hunting locality armed themselves with rifles and shotguns and commenced hunting other participants in the riot save those injured, and all were arrested by the police with the exception of Gibbons, who made his escape. Baster, who fired the fatal shot, is a superintendent, employed by the Baker-Vawter Printing Company. The killing was the outcome of three months trouble with striking laborers. firm employs non-union labor, and three months ago several pressmen and feeders were discharged because they joined the union. The assaulting party consisted of Miller, Mc-Guire, Pottgetter, Jeckiske and Gib-bons. With the exception of Miller all are former employes of the firm. Those who were assaulted were Baster, Bernard and Yarranton. The latter three were on their way to their homes from work when the assault took place.

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WILLIAMS WAS SCHMIDT. Toronto, April 26 .- The identity of Harry Williams as Julius Schmidt, son of Julius Schmidt, of Detroit, has now been established by the detective department beyond a doubt. His parents cannot be convinced that Williams and their son were the same person, but others who knew the young man are confident that the man hanged here Easter Saturday was Julius Schmidt, jun.

They Speak for Themselves.

Picton, Feb. 17 .- This is to certify that I have used Polson's Nerviline for rheumatism, and have found it a val-uable remedy for all internal pain, and would greatly recommend it to the public. N. T. Kingsley.

Leeds County, Jan. 9.—We are not in the habit of puffing patent medicines, but we cannot withhold our testimony as to the great value of Nerviline as a remedy for pain. We have pleasure in recommending it as a never-failing remedy.—Rev. H. J. Allen, Benj. Dillog and many others. Sold by druggists. George E. Frothingham, one of the leading ophthalmologists of the United

states, and formerly a member of the medical faculty at the University of Michigan, died Wednesday night in Detroit of Bright's disease. Dr. Frothingham was born in Boston April 21, 1836.

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