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Now, the London servant maid is about the hardest-worked domestic in Europe, particularly she who ministers to the needs of the boarding house and hotel inhabitants. Her hours are long, her wages rarely over $8 a month and with no gas, furnace heat, dumb-waiters, stationery bath, and few carpet sweepers in the house where she serves her labors are rather on the dray horse order. Yet, in spite of it all, she is a cheerful, polite person, who is not troubled by the knowledge that the attractions of the colonies every year wean away the bravest and best of the English man servants, that the scarcity of sweethearts and husbands for the British maidens is beginning to alarm the students of sociology, and that Cupid has become a vulgar little banker in place of a winged arrow-shooting god of love.

When her day's work is over, or her free afternoons come around and her thoughts lightly turn to the joys of a stroll in the park, a 'bus ride, or a junket up the river in the natural wholesome recreation of masculine society, she does not sit at her attic window and sulk in loneliness. She does her hair in a trim and frizzled bang, arrays herself in all the fascinating variety of incongruous color in which the woman of her class revels, and calling at the nearest barracks hires a soldier to take her on an airing.

Mary Anne has found an occupation for Tommy Atkins in days of peace, and on payment of six pence he is her property for an hour. He must attend her in all the glory of scarlet coat brass buttons, jaunty muffin cap, cotton gloves and little cane, give her his arm as they walk down Picadilly, and otherwise show her full sixpence worth of courtesies and gallant attentions. They divide the expense of 'bus fares and ginger ale treats, and from the array of manly wit and beauty offered in the average barrack yard, Mary Anne is keen to select the tallest of England's defenders, the one with the straightest legs, broadest shoulders and deepest chest.

Recognizing his own beauty, the attractive grandeur of his swagger and the premium put on his coat and profession, Tommy is sometimes apt to overestimate his value. But Mary Anne is a hard-headed business woman, who, in sly defense, has fixed the rates she will offer and give. For the exclusive joy of her soldier's society she will pay eight or ten pence, otherwise Tommy can let out half his smiles and his left arm to another housemaid at the usual six-penny rate, and everybody is satisfied, but no crowding beyond this is allowed, and the use of his arm is an unwritten law in her side of the bargain, the right elbow falling to the first applicant.

When Mary Anne's social ambitions are sustained by the plumpness of her pocketbook, she is apt to indulge herself in the extravagance of a petty officer's society, for which she must pay the whole of a shilling an hour, and bear the cost of treats. Often enough in spite of the sordid arrangements, romance springs up in the turning of a six-penny piece, and Tommy generously offers to bestow his beauty, society and half his pay on Mary Anne, free of charge, if she will have the agreement ratified in some quiet Soho or Hammersmith church, where clergyman's fees are not exorbitant.

Why Women Prefer Low Chairs.

One of the things that no man ever will or can understand is that women invariably choose the lowest chairs they can find, usually selecting for solid comfort one that is about six inches from the floor. Schapenhauer's contemptuous allusion to them as the "short-legged sex" generally occurs to him as the final solution of the problem, even though he be too polite outwarddly to hint at such a thing. That is by no means the real reason, according to a bright little artist. Women, she says, seem to know intuitively when they are looking their best, and they know that that rarely happens when they are sitting on a chair sufficiently high to make the feet dangle stiffly downward, barely reaching the floor. In all the celebrated pictures of sitting feminine figures, the line from the waist to the knee is elongated as far as possible, and it is to secure this graceful, easy length of line, as well as for comfort, that women instinctively turn to the low chair or stool.

They Never Fail.—Mr. S. M. Boughner, Langton, writes: "For about two years I was troubled with Inward Piles, but by using Parmelee's Pills I was completely cured, and, although four years have elapsed since then, they have not returned." Parmelee's Pills are anti-bilious and a specific for the cure of Liver and Kidney Complaints, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Headache, Piles, etc., and will regulate the secretions and remove all bilious matter.

Dundee Jute Workers Give In.

Dundee, Aug. 30—As the result of the ultimatum issued yesterday by the masters that unless the striking operatives returned to work to-day the factories would be closed and an indefinite lockout declared, the strike of the jute workers here is subsiding. Four factories reopened their doors this morning, and their operatives went to work. Most of the other factories will resume operations next Monday.

These two desirable qualifications, pleasant to the taste and at the same time effectual, are to be found in Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. Children like it.

THE INSECT ORCHESTRA.

Night Made Musical by the Hum of Myraids of Small, Shrill Voices.

There is a full insect orchestra in the suburbs these August nights. There must be a day shift and a night shift, too, unless, indeed, the musicians do double turn, for the music keeps up the whole twenty-four hours, though it is only at its full after dark. It has a sort of dry and dusty sound all day, and in competition with the daylight sounds of business it seems insignificant, and might easily pass unnoticed. After night, however, when suburban sounds have died down to the city horizon, save for the occasional hum of a trolley car, which not inaptly, suggests some monster of the insect world, the soft murmurous hum of many small voices seems to have for its field all between earth and sky.

Only an entomologist could identify all the sounds and give them names, and that might spoil the music. The groundwork of accompaniment of the whole is the shrill cry of the cricket, coming from every side, now as a single voice, now in the chorus of many, a rounded note in minor key. There is no true bass in thsi orchestra. The nearest to it is the katy-did's firmly reiterated though indefinite scandal, that comes athwart to the hum, the loudest, clearest note of all. There are smaller, dry, sharp cries, more frequent than the katy-did's, and almost as continuous as the cricket's. They suggest a multitude of tiny explosions, or a rude attempt to sound the Morse Telegraphic alphabet. These make up the great bulk of the music, but there are others that one listens for and enjoys. There are soft flutings, and low, long, mellow whistlings that suggest the "horns of elf-land faintly blowing."

These occasional flutings and whistlings have a narcotic power to soothe and comfort, while the music as a whole suggests the presence of a multitude filling earth and air. Sitting indoors by an open window, one believes that a step outside must bring one in sight of these pigmy musicians by myriads. But they are found to be invisible. The music is the work of unseen hands, and the mind travels back to Prospero's enchanted island, with its haunting music of impalpable strings. From the wood's edge comes the music, mixed with the mystery of the night. The scene fits well with the soft blurr of sounds, for a late-risen waning moon mellows meadow and woodland. Dark masses of foliage are dimly outlined against the sky, and lawns are dappled with moonlight and shadow. If the night be high and clear with a northwest wind, the volume of sound seems to rise and lose itself in the bare vault overhead. If the night be sultry, the music is concentrated near the surface of the ground along with intensified odors of honeysuckle and other blossoms until one can hardly guess which sense is most preoccupied.

While the moon yet falls in at eastward windows and the night is at its finest it is a luxury to go to bed with windows wide, so that light and sound and odor float in together. There is no such lullaby for the adult as this triple, mild appeal to the senses. Lying still one listens for the soothing and cooling long low flute note, and the not less musical lengthened whistle, ethereal sounds that may easily come from other creatures than the insects. As the mellow horns are winding, sleep gradually comes, and in the half-waking moment when ears still take in the music, the "Midsummer Night's Dream" seems a possible reality, and one easily believes that peas, blossom, cobweb, moth and mustard seed, with a multitude of their kind, are just out side the window. After the ears are deaf in sleep, memory and imagination rejoice in half-consciousness that the music is going on through all the hours of the summer night.—New York Sun.

The Cowboy's Day is Over.

The cowboy, like the buffalo, is fast becoming extinct. In the dawn of the new century now approaching he will be regarded as a curiosity. Then years hence he will almost have attained the dignity of tradition. History, which embalms the man in armor and exalts the pioneer, holds a place for him. The niche may be a modest one, but he had his part in conquering a new country, and no impartial record of western evolution can omit his picturesque figure. Before civilization devours his identity let us try to detain it a moment in its real likeness and garb.

Dwellers in the long-settled communities scarcely realize how great a change has come over the Far West during the last decade. Ranchers there will always be—ranches for grain, hay, fruit and blooded live stock—but not for the rearing of the cattle business; when the cowmemory when there was a craze over the catttle business; when the cowboy was king at Dodge City; when hundreds of educated young men went west to share the hardship of herders. to-day the cattle ranches are deserted, or mortgaged, or turned into farms. A more advanced intelligence has penetrated the possibilities of irrigation, and water is reclaiming the wilderness once given over to the long horn steer.

The decline of the range cattle industry has been as amazing and rapid as was its rise. The business is not simply suffering from stagnation; it has almost ceased to exist. Early in the eighties a beef steer running on the range represented $40; one-fourth that sum would pay for him now. Thirty dollars was the average price for a cow with a calf at her side; now whole herds are disposed of for $6 a head.—Lippincott's Magazine.

A New Word.

"Defuelization" is a new word added to the language in a story told by Senator Palmer about an Illinois farmer, who, for several years had been selling him wood for $6 a cord. "This year," says Senator Palmer, "he came to me with a load and I told him that I did not want it. He offered it at $2 a cord. I still refused, and he wanted to know why I would not take it at $2. I told him I was using soft coal, for which I paid $1.37 a ton. 'Gosh!' he exclaimed, 'I heard you was trying to demonetize silver, and now you are trying to defuelize wood.'"

Took Five Weeks to Get a Jury.

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—The last juror required to try Durant on the charge of murdering Blanche Lamont was secured Friday. Five weeks have been occupied in getting the jury. The taking of evidence will begin next Monday.

Broker Inman's Body Found.

Quarantine, S.I., Aug. 30.—The body of R. W. Inman was picked up at South Beach to-day. The identifying marks on the body are conclusive, and there is no doubt that it is that of the unfortunate yachtsman.

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Friday Evening, Aug. 30.

There was an active market to-day, with an advance in the leading speculative issues.

The afternoon and Saturday sessions of the Toronto Stock Exchange will be resumed next week.

A despatch from Winnipeg to-day says: Light rains throughout the Province last night; no frost reported. Weather to-day cloudy and cool.

Postal Telegraph is higher, with sales at 85.

Consols firm, closing at 107 15-16 for money and at 107 15-15 for account.

Canadian Pacific steady, closing in London to-day at 56 1-2. St. Paul closed at 77 3-4, Erie at 9 1-2, Reading at 9 5-8 and N.Y.C. at 106 3-8.

The clearings of Montreal banks for the week are $9,819,427, as compared with $9,235,449 the corresponding week of last year.

The gold reserve of the United States Treasury is $101,921,000. The shipments to-morrow will bring it below the $100,000,000 mark, but it is assumed the syndicate will make another deposit to-day.

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Money Markets

The local money market is unchanged at 4 1-2 per cent. for call loans. At New York the rate is unchanged at 1, and at London at 1-4 of 1 per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 2, and the open market rate 5-8 per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

Rates of exchange, as reported by Æmilius Jarvis & Co., stock brokers, are as follows:

	Between Banks. Counter.	Buyers.	Sellers
New York funds	¼ to ¼	3-16 to 5-32 dis	
Sterling, 60 days	10¼	9 13-16 to 9⅞	
do demand	10⅝	10 to 10 1-16	

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
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	Aug. 29. Asked	Aug. 29. Bid	Aug. 30. Asked	Aug. 30. Bid
Montreal	223	220	225	1,220
Ontario	94	88	92	88
Molsons	....	....	....	....
Toronto	251	245	253	245
Merchants'	172	166	172	167
Commerce	188½	188	188½	188
Imperial	189	188¾	191	189¾
Dominion	268	....	268	....
Standard	165	163½	164½	163½
Hamilton	158	157½	158½	157
British America	124	123½	124	123
Western Assurance	165¼	164½	165⅝	164¾
Confederation Life	....	....	....	....
Consumers' Gas	200	197	198	196
Dominion Telegraph	....	119	....	119½
Can. N. W. Land Co., Pref	52	48½	52	48½
" " Common	....	....	....	....
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	67	66¾	67	66¼
Toronto Electric Light Co	160	....	160	145
Incandes'nt Light Co.	114	113	114	113¼
General Electric	80	80	80	....
Commercial Cable Co.	165½	164¾	166	165¼
Bell Telephone Co.	159	158½	159	158⅝
Richelieu & Ont. Nav.	....	....	....	....
Montreal Street Ry. Co.	214	213¾	214½	213½
" " " new	218	218½	219¼	219¼
Toronto Railway	83¼	83	85	84⅝
Duluth Preferred	....	....	....	....
Penman	....	....	....	....
British-Can. L. & I.	114	110	114	110
B. & L. Association	90	....	90	....
Can. Land. & Nat. In.	123	....	120	116
Canada Permanent	162	....	162	....
" " 20 p.c.	152	....	152	....
Canadian S. & Loan	....	119½	....	119½
Central Canada Loan	123¾	121	123¾	121
Dom. Sav. & In. Soc.	....	81	....	81
Farmers' L. & S.	107	106	107	106
" " 20 p.c.	90	....	85	....
Freehold L. & Savings	135	133½	135	133
" " 20 p.c	....	....	....	....
Hamilton Provident	125	....	125	....
Huron & Erie L. & S.	....	106	....	106
" " 20 p.c.	....	153	....	153
Imperial L. & Invest	114	112	114	112
Landed B. & Loan	114	....	....	114
Land Security Co.	100	....	100	....
Lon. & Can. L. & A. xd	119	118	117	114
London Loan	....	103	....	103
London & Ontario	....	....	....	....
Manitoba Loan	100	....	100	....
Ontario Indus. Loan	....	84¼	....	84¼
Ontario Loan & D.	....	128	....	128
People's Loan	46	40	48	40
Real Estate, L. & D. Co.	72	....	72	....
Toronto Sav. & Loan	120	117	120	117
Union Loan & Sav.	....	114	....	114
Western Can. L. & S.	....	150	....	150
" " 25 p.c.	144	....	144	....

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Montreal Stock Market.

Montreal, Aug. 30.—Close—Montreal, 226 and 221; Ontario, 87 bid; Molsons, 177 1-2 bid; Toronto, 243 1-2 bid; Merchants', 175 and 168; People's, 26 and 20; Commerce, 139 and 137 3-4; Telegraph, 166 and 164; St. Ry., 214 and 213 1-2; Cable, 165 3-4 and 165 1-2; Telephone, 160 and 158 1-2; Duluth, 7 and 6 1-4; do., pref., 15 and 12; Toronto St. Ry., 101 3-4; Northwest Land, 40 bid; Richelieu, 101 3-4 and 101; C.P.R., 56 3-4 and 56 3-8; Gas, 206 1-2 and 206.

To-day's sales: C.P.R., 280 at 56 1-2, 15 at 57, 50 at 56 3-4; Cable, 50 at 165, 70 at 165 1-4, 100 at 165 1-2, 200 at 165 3-4, 25 at 165 7-8; Richelieu, 50 at 102; St. Ry., 250 at 213 1-4; do., new, 50 at 212 1-2, 50 at 212 1-4; Gas, 325 at 205 1-4, 100 at 206; Toronto St. Ry., 780 at 83, 100 at 83 1-4, 50 at 83 1-2; Montreal, 10 at 222, 20 at 221 1-2.

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The fluctuations on the New York Stock Exchange to-day were as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	110⅝	111⅞	110	110⅝
American Tobacco	92	96	92	93¼
Cotton Oil	26	26	25⅛	25⅛
Canadian Pacific	....	....	....	....
Atchison, 3 assess. pd.	20⅛	20⅝	20	20¼
Chi., Burlington & Q.	91	91⅝	90⅞	91
Chicago Gas Trust	63¾	64⅝	63¾	63⅞
Canada Southern	57	57⅛	57	57¼
C.C.C. & I.	49	49¼	48⅝	49
Del. & Hudson, xd	131	131	131	131
Del., Lac. & W.	....	....	....	....
Erie	9	9⅝	9	9⅝
Lake Shore	....	....	....	....
Louisville & Nashville	63¼	63⅝	63¼	63¼
Manhattan	114¼	114¼	114¼	114¼
Missouri Pacific	39⅛	39¾	39⅛	39¾
Leather	17	17⅛	17	17⅛
" Pref.	84⅞	85¼	84⅞	85¼
New England	....	....	....	....
N.Y. Central & Hud.	104¼	104½	104¼	104½
Northern Pacific Pref.	18⅝	18⅞	18⅝	18¾
Northwestern	105¾	106	105½	105⅞
General Electric Co.	37⅛	38	37⅛	37¾
Rock Island & Pac.	83⅛	83⅞	83	83½
Omaha	45	45¼	45	45
Michigan Central	102½	102½	102¼	102½
Pacific Mail	30¾	30¾	30¼	30⅝
Phila. & Reading	19	19⅝	19	19¼
St. Paul	76⅛	77⅛	76⅜	76⅝
Union Pacific	15¼	15⅝	15⅛	15⅝
Western Union	94½	94¾	94½	94½
Distillers, paid up	21⅞	21⅞	21¾	21¾
Jersey Central	109¼	110⅞	109¼	109¾
National Lead	35⅞	35⅞	35¼	35¼
Wabash Pref.	23⅝	24⅛	23⅝	24⅛
T. C. & I.	39⅛	40⅛	39⅛	39⅞
Southern Railway	14	14	13¾	13¾
" " Pref.	42	42	41¾	41¾

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Tips From Wall-Street.

The market closed dull.

Horton was a large seller of Tobacco Trust at the opening.

The Tennessee C. & I. Company has advanced the price of iron one dollar per ton, to take effect immediately.

The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar, 38,400 shares; W.U. 1500, St. Paul 21,300, R.I. 9400, N.W. 4400, J.C. 1700, Reading 16,600, Atchison 10,800, B. & O. 10,800, Mo. P. 1500, P.M. 1900, Manhattan 300, C. Gas 13,600, I., C. & I. 7400, G. E. 1100, U.P. 1200, Wax. 6300, L. & N. 2700.

BORROWERS WANTING LOANS

AT LOWEST RATES

SHOULD APPLY TO

JOHN STARK & CO

26 Toronto-street.

Commercial Miscellany.

Cash wheat at Chicago 61 1-8c.

Dec. wheat sold at 63 5-8c on curb this afternoon.

Puts on Dec. wheat 63c, calls 64 3-8c.

Puts on May corn 30 7-8c, calls 31 1-8c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.17 1-2 for Oct.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day, 4500, including 2000 Westerns.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 89, corn 397, oats 175. Estimated for Saturday: Wheat 93, corn 315, oats 240.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day, 14,000; official Thursday, 17,374; left over 5000. Trade moderately active, with light 5c lower and heavy steady. Heavy shippers $3.85 to $4.55.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis to-day 308 cars.

Receipts of wheat at Liverpool the past three days were 323,000 cantals, including 86,000 cantals of American. Receipts of American corn same time, 153,300 cantals.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour, 10,000 packages, and wheat, none.

Primary receipts of wheat in the west to-day, 814,000 bush., and shipments, 175,000 bush.

There's pleasure and good health combined,
Refreshment and good cheer,
Which everyone who drinks will find
IN REINHARDT'S LAGER BEER
TRY IT NOW

Breadstuffs.

Flour—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $2.90 to $3, Toronto freights.

Bran—Bran is steady and quoted at $14, Toronto freights. Shorts are $18.

Wheat—The market is quiet and weak. Red is plentiful, with sales outside west at 59c to 60c. White scarce and firm at 60c to 64c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is nominal at 86c to 87c, Toronto freights.

Oats—Trade is quiet and prices unchanged, with sales at 50c west, and at 51c, middle freights.

Barley—Trade is quiet and prices generally unchanged. Sales of white west at 23 1-2c to 24c, and east at 25 1-2c.

Barley—Trade dull, with low grades quoted at 34c to 35c outside.

Rye—The market is dull, with prices nominal at 40c.

Oatmeal—Business quiet, with prices nominal.

TOOLS

IRWIN AUGER BITS
STANLEY PLANES
FRAY'S BIT BRACES
MAYDOLE HAMMERS

Are Leaders.

Nikenhead Hardware Co.

6 Adelaide-street East.

EGGS are now firm at 12c. Good to choice butter in crocks, pails and tubs, 14c to 17c; lb rolls 18c to 20c. Creamery, 22c for lbs. and 19c for tubs. Cheese, 8c to 8 1-2c. Honey, 8c to 9c for extracted and $1.50 to $1.80 per doz. for comb. Apples, $1.50 to $2. Crab apples, $1.50 to $2. Pears, $3 to $3.50. Plums, 75c to $1.25. Onions dull at 1c per lb. Chickens, 40c to 60c. Turkeys, 9c to 11c. Consignments of above solicited. J. F. YOUNG & CO., Produce Commission, 74 Front-street east, Toronto. 246

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Toronto Live Stock Market

The Western Market to-day was quiet, and as usual the bulk of the offerings was poor stuff. Total receipts 55 car loads, including 1800 head of sheep and lambs, 1200 hogs and 50 calves. There was a fair demand for choice shipping cattle, which sold at 4 1-4c to 4 1-2c per lb, and fair at 4c. Butchers' cattle dull, with prices about the same as on Tuesday. Really choice would have brought 3 3-4c to 4c per lb, and good animals at 3 1-4c to 3 3-8c. Medium sold at 2 3-4c to 3c, and inferior at 2 1-2c. Milch cows in moderate demand at $20 to $40 each, and calves steady, with sales at $2.50 to $6 per head, the latter for choice.

Sheep and lambs steady, with demand fair. Export sheep, 3 3-4c to 4c per lb, for ewes and wethers, and 3c for bucks. Butchers' sheep, $2.50 to $3.50 per head. Lambs sell at $2 to $3 per head.

Hogs are unchanged, but they are likely to be lower next week. The best sold at $5 per cwt., weighed off cars, heavy at $4.50 to $4.55, stores slow at $4 to $4.25, sows at $3.75 to $4, and stags at $2.25 to $2.50.

G. W. YARKER

Notes discounted. Industrial companies formed capitalized or financed. Partnerships secured

UNION BANK BUILDING, TORONTO

Hides and Wool.

One of our largest dealers in the city writes as folows: The situation in the hide and leather market is very perplexing, with little or nothing doing. The tanners will not buy hides, as they cannot sell their leather. Hides have gone down fully half a cent per pound, and it is expected that there will be a further decline of half a cent. This fall in the price of hides may stimulate trade and create confidence in future operations. Cutters are holding off, and are looking for weak places in the leather market.

The views of tanners and leather cutters are wide apart, and the trade is unhealthy and in a waiting mood. Even at the reduced price of hides, there is no room for reduction in the price.

The situation in the wool market is encouraging, and the business done within the last 10 days has been satisfactory. There are some inquiries from the mills for good parcels of wpol, which are being taken up at fair prices. Over 80 per cent. of the combing fleece has been shipped to the United States at fully from 15 to 20 per cent. over the prices of 1894 and clip. Those manufacturers who formerly used Canadian wool will have to depend to a large extent on foreign wools for their supply.

Foreign wools are in good demand and are comparatively low in comparison with domestic wools. There are very little super and extra wools in this market. They are all taken up as fast as produced.

W. A. CAMPBELL

ASSIGNEE,

32 FRONT-ST. WEST

THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

There were fair receipts of fruit and vegetables to-day, with prices easy.

Grain

Wheat easy, 500 bush selling at 63c for white and red, and 54c to 56c for goose. Oats steady, 600 bush of new selling at 26c to 27c, and 300 bush of old at 35c to 37c. Peas easy, 150 bush selling at 56c to 57c.

Hay and Straw.

Hay is quiet, with receipts of six loads, which sold at $18 for old and $16 to $16.50 for new. Car lots of baled quiet at $12.50 to $13.00 for No. 1 and $11.50 for No. 2. Straw sold at $9 to $10 a ton for three loads.

TRUSSES!

THE CHAS. CLUTHECO.

Windsor and Detroit.

Mr. Cluthe will be in Toronto monthly. Dates etc., in future advertisement.

Dairy Produce

Commission prices: Butter, choice tub, 15c to 17c; bakers', 8c to 12c, pound rolls, 15c to 20c, large rolls 13c to 16c, creamery tub at 18c to 20c, and rolls at 21c to 22c. Eggs steady at 11 1-2c to 12c per doz in case lots and 13 1-2c to 15c for small lots of fresh. Cheese firm at 8 1-2c.

Poultry and Provisions.

Jobbing prices: Chickens, fresh, 35c to