

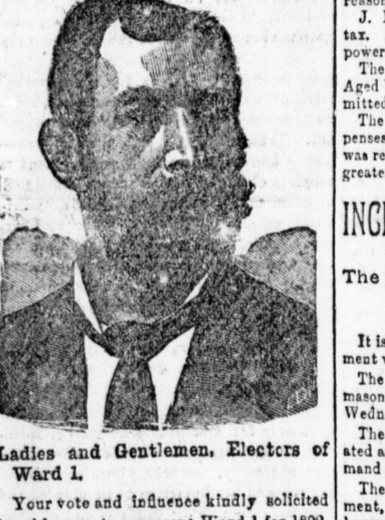


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Latest Financial News by Mail and Telegraph. London Money Market. LONDON, Dec. 20.—12:30 p.m.—Consols, 4 1/4; 3 1/2 for money, 3 1/4 for account; St. Paul, 3 1/2; Erie, 3 1/4; Canadian Pacific, 3 1/4; New York Central, 3 1/4; Ontario, 3 1/4; Western Union, 3 1/4; Western Union, 3 1/4; Western Union, 3 1/4.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son. LONDON, Saturday, Dec. 19. The general supply of grain was good to very good and of good predominance. Flour was steady at 90c, while the latter was a complete glut, and most samples were sold at 80c. Some special quality lots brought 85c, but they were few. Wheat was steady and no alteration occurred in value. Central, 1 1/4 to 1 1/2; range, Buckwheat sold from 90c to 95c. Dressed beans quiet at 1 1/4 to 1 1/2. Hops active at 1 1/4 per lb for pound rolls, the rest of the lot the same as before. Eggs steady with no change. Dressed hogs were a little easier; the bulk of trading was some between 35 and 37 1/2. Beef was a little more active than for some time; the values remain the same. Turkey very active and higher. Turkey selling at 35 to 37 1/2 per lb; birds by the lump sold at 15c to 16c each; higher than usual; chickens and ducks about the same. Tallow, rendered, sold from 25 to 27 per lb. Hay plentiful and dull. Quotations:

Wheat, per standard bush, \$7 to \$8 3/4. Wheat, white, fall, 100 lbs., 1 1/4 to 1 1/2. Wheat, red, fall, per 100 lbs., 1 1/4 to 1 1/2. Oats, per 100 lbs., 50 to 60. Corn, per 100 lbs., 35 to 45. Barley, per 100 lbs., 35 to 45. Potatoes, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Apples, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Grapes, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Peas, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Beans, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Parsnips, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Turnips, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Radishes, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Celery, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Cabbages, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Cauliflowers, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Mushrooms, each, 1 1/2 to 2. Potatoes, per bush, 1 1/2 to 2. Hay, per ton, 10 to 15. Straw, per ton, 10 to 15. Wood, per cord, 4 to 5. Wood, soft, per cord, 2 to 3.

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THE ANCASTER TRAGEDY. HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 19.—John Letridge, charged with the murder of old John Heslop, was brought up in the Police Court Saturday, and on application of the prosecution, was remanded in another court.

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Table with columns for destination (e.g., ERIE & HURON RAILWAY), arrival and departure times.

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HER NAP IS NEARLY OVER.

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HE WAS NOT THERE. And the Intended Bride Grieved and Attempted Suicide.

Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 19.—Margaret McCutcheon, aged 18, a waitress in the employ of the family of Tax Assessor Caleb C. Pollard, of 254 Sycamore street, this city, made a determined attempt at midnight to commit suicide by taking a large quantity of poison.

Four Persons Shot by a Crazy Man. BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 19.—At 12 o'clock yesterday, Michael Harvey, 34 years old, living at 183 Van Dyke street, in a fit of temporary insanity, shot four persons.

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It is always full of scented darkness to me, Lady Redmond, and a darkness that may be felt, but of course I know what you mean.

"A very harmless hobby, Raby!" he answered, smiling. "If you could walk, Lady Redmond, Margaret would show you our winter garden; the gallery upstairs is a perfect conservatory, and we walk up and down there on wet days, and call it our indoor garden."

"What a nice idea, and you live together in this dear old house; how delightful!" Raby's smile grew perceptibly sadder.

"We were not always alone. What is it, Longfellow says? 'There is no freer, however defended, but has one vacant chair.'"

"Do you like the name of unsapiently blessing her, as I heard to-day, in an amusing way; 'but, oh, that would not be true in Margaret's case, for her brother has appropriated her.'"

"I shall be here as long as you want me, Raby," and then, as though she would turn the subject, she asked Fay if she read much, and which were her favorite books.

"I am afraid I am very stupid," returned Fay, blushing a little, "but I do not care to read very much. Aunt Griselda—she was married—did not like me to read novels, and heavy books send me to sleep."

"I dare say you are too busy to read," interposed Raby rather hastily, "with such a household as yours to manage, you must be sufficiently employed."

"Oh, but I have not so much to do after all," replied Fay, frankly. "When I am married I shall be able to manage properly; the thoughts of accounts especially frightened me, because I knew my sums would not come out right if I added them up a dozen times."

"Ladies generally have accounts," returned Fay, with a merry laugh. "Hugh, I turned my husband, attend to them. If I have bills I just give them to him. And Mrs. Heron manages everything else; if I have any orders she goes to the bank, and she is a very good hand at it."

"Yes, I see," observed Raby rather absently; he was wondering what Margaret would say to all this.

"I never thought things would be quite so gay," said Fay, gayly. "Now if Hugh, I mean my husband, says two or three gentlemen are coming to dinner, I must be ready to receive them."

"Oh, yes, I am always busy," returned Fay, seriously. "Mrs. Heron says that she is sure that I shall grow thin with my riding, or Eric is talking to me, I do believe I am never still for many minutes at a time. Oh, I do work sometimes, and I go to the one can not work alone, and I go to the one can not work alone, and I go to the one can not work alone."

When they had left her to partake of the dainty little luncheon brought to her, she thought a great deal about the beautiful face that looked so pale and sad, and yet so kind. Had she known trouble, she wondered; she was quite young, and yet there was no look of youth about her. One would never speak of her as a girl, for example—she was much too grave and staid for that; but what sweet voice she had, very low and harmonious, and yet so clear. Fay had forgotten her husband for the moment. Eric would explain everything to him, and of course he could not be vexed. What a tiresome thing that this misunderstanding had arisen. She must coax Hugh to put it right. She liked Miss Ferrers better than any of her neighbors. It made me feel good only to look at her. She wondered if she could venture to hint about the estrangement, or to say keep them apart. She had not quite made up her mind about it when the brother and sister returned, and Mr. Ferrers asked her playfully if she meant to take a nap, or whether they should stay and talk to her. "Oh, I would rather talk, please," with a wistful look at Margaret, who had taken up her work, and placed herself near the window. She wished she would not go so far away, but perhaps she wanted to see the light. But Mr. Ferrers had taken possession of the arm-chair again and seemed quite at her service, so Fay began chatting to him in her usual fashion. "I have always admired this old house," she said, brightly; "but I was afraid I should never see the inside, because—"

