Grain, Cattle and Cheese

Prices of These Products in the Leading Markets are Here Recorded

Broadstuffs.

Toronto, March 18.—Manitoba Wheat—Lake ports, No. 1 northern, 97 1-2c; No. 2, 95½; No. 3, 92 1-2c; feed wheat, 85 1-2c.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2, 92c to 93c for car lots outside, ranging down to 70c for poor grades.

Ontario Oats—No. 2 white, 35c to 36c at country points; 37c to 38c on track, Toronto.

Manitoba Oats—No. 2, C.W. oats, 41c, track, bay ports; No. 3, C.W., 39 1-2c; No. 1 feed, 39 1-2c for prompt shipment.

Corn—American No. 2 yellow, all rail, 68 1-4c; No. 3, 66 3-4c.

Peas—No. 2, $1.00 to $1.05, car lots, outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 52c to 53c.

Rye—No. 2, 60c to 62c, nominal.

Barley—Good malting barley, outside, 54c to 56c.

Rolled Oats—Per bag of 90 pounds, $2.15 per barrel, $4.55, wholesale, Windsor to Montreal.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $19.50 to $20, in bags, track, Toronto; shorts, $21 to $21.50; Ontario bran, $19 to $20 in bags; shorts, $22.50.

Manitoba Flour—First patents, $5.30 in jute bags; second patents, $4.80 in jute bags; strong bakers, $4.60 in jute bags. In cotton bags, ten cents more per barrel.

Ontario Flour—Winter wheat flour 90 per cent. patents, $3.90 to $3.95, seaboard.

Country Produce.

Eggs—Cold-storage, 16c to 18c in case lots; fresh eggs are selling at 22c; strictly new-laid at 25c to 26c.

Cheese—Twins, new, 14 3-4c to 15c, and large, new, at 14 1-2c; old cheese, twins, 15c to 15 1-2c; large, 15c.

Butter—Creamery prints, 31 to 32c; do., solids, 29 to 30c; dairy prints, 25 to 27c; inferior (bakers'), 22 to 23c.

Honey—Buckwheat, 9c pound in tins and 8c in barrels; strained clover honey, 12 1-2c a pound in 60-pound tins, 12 3-4c in 30-pound tins; 13c in 5-pound tins; comb honey, No. 1, $2.60 per dozen; extra, $3 per dozen. No. 2, $2.40 per dozen.

Poultry—Fresh killed chickens, 17c to 20c per pound; fowl, 14c to 17c; live chickens, 15c to 18c; live fowl, 14c to 17c; dressed turkeys, 20c to 23c.

Beans—Primes, $2.50 and $2.60 for hand-picked.

Potatoes—Ontario potatoes, 75c per bag, car lots, 70c; New Brunswick, 85c to 90c per bag, out of store; 80c in car lots.

Spanish Onions—Per case, $2.25 to $2.50.

Provisions.

Smoked and Dry Salted Meats—Rolls—Smoked, 15c; hams, medium, 18c to 18 1-2c; hams, 16c to 16 1-2c; breakfast bacon, 19c to 19 1-2c; long clear bacon, tons and cases, 14 1-2c to 14 3-4c; backs (plain), 22c; backs (pea meal), 22 1-2c.

Green Meats—Out of pickle, 1c less than smoked.

Pork—Short cut, $26 to $28 per barrel; mess pork, $21 to $22.

Lard—Tierces, 14 1-4c; tubs, 14 1-2c; pails, 14 3-4c.

Baled Hay and Straw.

Quotations, track, Toronto:—Baled hay, No. 1, $12 to $12.50; No. 2, $9 to $10; No. 3, $8 to $9; Baled straw, $9 to $9.50.

Montreal Markets.

Montreal, March 18.—Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 42c; do., Canadian western, No. 3, 40 1-2c; do., extra, No. 1 feed, 41c; do., No. 2 local white, 38c; do., No. 3, local white, 37c; do., No. 4 local white, 36c. Barley—Manitoba feed, 51c to 53c; do., malting, 73c to 75c. Buckwheat—No. 2, 56c to 58c. Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, $5.40; do., seconds, $4.90; do., strong bakers', $4.70; do., winter patents, choice, $5.25; do., straight rollers, $4.85 to $4.90; do., straight rollers, bags, $2.20 to $2.35. Rolled oats—Barrels, $4.35; do., bags, 90 lbs., $2.05. Bran—$20; shorts, $22; middlings, $25; moullie, $30 to $35. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, $11.50 to $12.50. Cheese—Finest westerns, 13c; do., finest easterns, 12 1-4c to 12 3-4c. Butter—Choicest creamery, 29 1-2c to 30c; do seconds, 24c to 26c; do., fresh, 28c to 30c; do selected, 20c to 22c; do., No. 1 stock, 16c to 18c; do., No. 2 stock, 14c to 15c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 60c to 70c.

United States Markets.

Minneapolis, March, 18.—Wheat — May, 84 7-8c to 85c; July, 87 1-4c; September, 87 7-8c; No. 1 hard, 85 1-2c; No. 1 northern, 83 1-2c to 85c; No. 2 northern, 81 1-4c to 82 3-4c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 45 1-2c to 46c. Oats—No. 3 white, 29 1-4c to 29 3-4c. Rye, No. 2, 55c to 56c. Bran, $12 to $17.50. Flour unchanged.

Duluth, March 18.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 84 7-8c to 85 1-8c; No. 2 northern, 79 7-8c to 82 7-8c; May, 79 7-8c to 86c asked; July, 87 1-2c to 87 5-8c asked; September, 87 7-8c bid

Live Stock Markets.

Montreal, March 18.—The top price realized for good steers was $7, but the bulk of sales were made at $6.50 to $6.75, and the lower grades sold from that down. Butchers' cows ranged from $3.50 to $5.50 per 100 pounds. Sheep, $4.25 to $4.50 and lambs, $4.75 to $8 per 100 pounds. Calves ranged from $4.50 to $10 each as to size and quality. Selected lots of hogs sold from $10.30 to $10.40 per 100 pounds, weighed off cars.

Toronto, March 18.—Cattle — Choice butcher, $6.50 to $7.25; good medium, $5.50 to $6.75; commons, $5 to $5.25; cows, $4.75 to $5.50; bulls, $3 to $6. Sheep and Lambs—Ewes, $7 to $7.50; bucks, $5 to $6; yearlings, $8 to $8.25; spring lambs, $11 to $11.50. Calves—Good veal, $8 to $9.25; common, $6 to $7. Hogs—Fed and watered, $9.25 to $9.40; f.o.b., $9.10; weighed off cars, $9.75; f.o.b., $9.60.

FIRED ON POLICE.

Two Burglars Escaped, but One Was Captured.

A despatch from Vancouver says: In a running gun fight with three burglars who blew open the safe of the Diamond Liquor Company early on Monday, the city police captured James W. Hinds, one of the alleged robbers, afterwards identified as an old offender from the States. Police Constable Sinclair heard the explosion and traced it to the safe in the Diamond Liquor store. Three robbers ran out and he gave chase. They ran into a rooming house, and from the second floor opened fire with revolvers on Sinclair and Constable Shields. Two of the burglars escaped through a back window, but Hinds was captured, having in his possession a revolver, a bottle of nitro-glycerine, and seven hundred dollars. Neither of the officers was hurt.

THIRTY PEOPLE INJURED.

Street Car Crashed Into a Pole at Calgary.

A despatch from Calgary says: Crowded with passengers, mostly women, coming into the city to their work on Monday morning, a Tuxedo Park special car, one of the dinky type, broke away from Motorman W. J. Fuson while descending the steep grade at the foot of Fourth Street east, and rushing twenty miles an hour around the sharp curve at the bottom of the hill, left the tracks beyond the turn, smashed into a telephone pole, turned on its side and injured 30 persons. The injuries, however, were in nearly all instances of a minor character. Donald Moberly, 242 Sixteenth Avenue north-west, the most severely hurt, is at the General Hospital suffering from internal injuries.

DR. FREIDMANN'S CURE.

Dr. J. J. Guerin of Montreal Has Not Much Faith In It.

A despatch from Montreal says: Dr. J. J. Guerin, of the Hotel Dieu medical staff, said that Dr. Friedmann's patients were getting along nicely on Monday. While he had a warm appreciation for Dr. Friedmann, Dr. Guerin came out in a strong condemnation of what he called "quack cures." The iodine cure," he said, "was tried years before the present race of doctors was born, and abandoned because it was harmful."

TERMS WERE REFUSED.

Shukri Pasha Wishes to Surrender Adrianople.

A despatch from Sofia says: Shukri Pasha, the heroic commander of the long beleaguered Turkish garrison of Adrianople, has finally given up the fight. He offered to surrender on Monday on the condition that his troops should be awarded the honors of war and be permitted to retain their arms. The Bulgarians, however, refused to accept the surrender on these terms.

FATAL CAVE-IN.

Fred. Rogers Was Killed, and Two Others Injured.

A despatch from Belleville says: A cave-in occurred on Monday morning at the Cross and Wellington Talc Mine in Madoc township, near the village of Madoc, resulting in the death of one employe. Two others were seriously injured. Fred Rogers, aged 36, was killed; William Yong had both legs broken, and S. M. Tindale was seriously injured. It has not been definitely ascertained what caused the accident.

THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL.

Christening by Wife of Governor-General, Lady Denman.

A despatch from Sydney, Australia, says: The foundation stone of the future capital of Australia was laid on Wednesday by Lord Denman, Governor-General of the Commonwealth. Lady Denman christened the new city Canberra, in the presence of great crowds from Melbourne and Sydney. The Australian Ministers also attended the ceremony of inauguration of what is intended to be a model capital. The city is to be built on a site on which the only buildings now existing are scattered dwellings of farmers.

LABORERS ROUT STUDENTS

Militants Call Dockers to Their Aid at a Suffragist Meeting at Glasgow

A despatch from Glasgow, Scotland, says: Students of Glasgow University and three hundred stewards, including fifty dock laborers, came to grips at a suffragette meeting in St. Andrew's Hall on Thursday night. The students fared badly. Many of them were beaten, scores were ejected and the others sat throughout the remainder of the meeting in silence. Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, it was announced early in the day, would address the suffragettes. A large body of students from the university came to St. Andrew's Hall for the express purpose of breaking up the meeting. They got more than they bargained for. When Miss Janie Allan was introducing Mrs. Pankhurst the students, who were in force at the back of the hall, started an uproar. Immediately the detachment of stewards and dock laborers swooped down upon them. A free fight followed, and those who occupied chairs stood on them to watch the scrimmage. The organist started playing, trying to drown the uproar, but without success. After a fierce engagement, which lasted ten minutes, the stewards dragged or carried not less than fifty students into the streets. Those that were left behind, finding themselves outnumbered, did not renew the fighting, but were discreetly well behaved. One student, whose head was severely cut, received surgical attention, while many others bore traces of the fray in the shape of black eyes, bruised faces and torn clothing.

GREAT GERMAN WAR TAXES.

To Be on Capital, Not Income, for Provision of National Fund.

Despatches from Berlin give details of the German Emperor's proposals to tax private fortunes for the provision of a great fund to be used for the increase in German armaments. The salient figures of the semi-official statement issued on the subject are as follows:—

Fortunes up to $50,000, $1.25 in every $500.

Fortunes of $50,000 to $125,000, $1.60 in every $500.

Fortunes of $125,000 to $250,000, $2.50 in every $500.

Fortunes of $250,000 to $2,500,000, $8 in every $500.

Fortunes of $2,500,000 to $5,000,000, $7.50 in every $500.

Fortunes of $5,000,000 to $12,500,000, $10 in every $500.

Fortunes of $12,500,000 to $20,000,000, $12.50 in every $500.

Fortunes of $20,000,000 to $25,000,000, $15 in every $500.

Fortunes of more than $25,000,000, $20 in every $500.

To site a concrete example, Bertha Krupp Von Bohlen, head of the great Krupp works, will have to pay $1,800,000 as her share of the war tax.

When it is remembered this is not a tax on income, but on capital, and that it strikes every bank account of more than $5,000 in the German Empire, it is not hard to see what a vital blow has been struck at German trade expansion. And all Europe will be dragged down with Germany. Every country of Europe will be forced to follow the example of Germany in armament expansion, with a consequent increase of the burden of taxation.

The withdrawal of so large an amount of capital from commercial paths means a corresponding restriction of trade activity and of the power of trade to expand.

WOMEN AT MERCY OF MOB.

Suffragettes Pelted With Clods of Turf and Other Missiles.

A despatch from London says: A mob of 10,000, principally men and boys, mobbed the Suffragette speakers in Hyde Park on Sunday. Armed with trumpets, mouth-organs and bells, they prevented the speakers from talking, and when they descended mobbed them. The trouble began when "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond mounted a wagon and started to speak to the great assemblage. For half an hour the crowds shouted, sang and pelted the Suffragette commander-in-chief, whose clothes were a mass of mud. At last, Mrs. Drummond's speech, of which not a word was audible, came to an end, and a younger woman took her place. She fared no better and the police, realizing the danger the women were in, called upon the chairman to close the meeting. A large force of police, mounted and afoot, drew in about the Suffragette wagon, and under this escort the women were led out of the park followed by a jeering crowd, which continued to pelt them with missiles over the heads and through the lines of constables. The police endeavored to pilot the women to the tube station, but the crowd brushed them aside and dragged the women up and down the street. In the melee one woman had her eye blackened and all of them had their clothes torn and dishevelled.

PROPERTY UNCLAIMED.

Memorandum of Goods Recovered From Titanic Victims' Bodies.

A despatch from Halifax says: Attached to the report of the Provincial Secretary, which was brought down in the Legislature on Thursday night, was a long memorandum giving details of the property found on the bodies of the Titanic victims brought to Halifax. The property has been claimed in many instances, but that belonging to about 30 victims of the tragedy still remains in the vaults.

NAVAL INVENTOR RETIRES.

Admiral Sir Percy Scott Leaves to Make Way for Juniors.

A despatch from London says: Speaking at the banquet of the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday night, Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Scott said:—"At the end of this week I will be out of the navy. There is no reason for me to remain when I only block the path to promotion of those my junior." The Admiral added that the British navy was never more efficient than at the present time. In the last two months the Admiralty had made greater strides in gunnery efficiency than in five years previously.

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When John D. Ate Cherry Pie.

Of late years we have come to feel that John D. Rockefeller is really a rather human sort of person. Instead of a fearful ogre, shut up in his stronghold and defying the world, he is a mild-mannered old gentleman with a well-developed sense of humor, and he enjoys food and recreation just as much as the rest of us. Add to this that he loves pie, and we may feel a true fellowship with him. To illustrate: Here is a little tale, hitherto unpublished, of a happening at the Forest Hill home in Ohio:

Almost everybody thinks that the Rockefeller stomach cannot endure pie. And it is a fact that pie is not permitted on the Rockefeller table, by strictest order of Mrs. Rockefeller, who, it might as well be understood, is the real boss in the "richest man's" household.

Employes of the household, however, have their ifs, and it was one of these pies, baked for the housekeeper, that fell under Mr. Rockefeller's eye as it sat cooling on a window ledge of the Forest Hill home one afternoon.

To site a concrete example, Bertha Krupp Von Bohlen, head of the great Krupp works, will have to pay $1,800,000 as her share of the war tax.

The moment the Rockefeller eye glanced upon that pie, the Rockefeller face underwent a change. It grew boyishly ravenous. It might be said that the Rockefeller mouth

Mr. John D. Rockefeller.

watered. It was a cherry pie the crust was flaky, and the rich cherry juice had oozed out a little around the edge.

"Can't I have some of that pie?" begged the "richest man."

The housekeeper didn't know. She'd have to see Mrs. Rockefeller.

"Say—fix it up for me," pleaded Mr. Rockefeller.

The housekeeper did her best, with the result that Mrs. Rockefeller finally consented to have the cherry pie for dessert that evening, and it is a matter of household record that the "richest man" did it full justice.

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INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC.

Half a Million Cases in the Austrian Capital.

A despatch from Vienna, Austria, says: The worst epidemic of influenza on record is afflicting the Austrian capital. Half a million cases have been reported during the past three months, according to the statistics of the City Health Department, and the epidemic is still raging so severely as to tax the capacity of the private doctors, public hospitals and nursing institutions. Whole families appear to be attacked simultaneously, and persons of all ages are affected. The disease on this occasion is of a peculiarly virulent type, with serious after effects, such as inflammation of the lungs, bronchitis, indigestion and general debility. The doctors hope the setting in of milder weather will dinfinish the outbreak.

CYCLONE AT PROVENCAL.

A Negro Boy Killed and Fifteen Persons Injured.

A despatch from Alexandria, Louisiana, says: The town of Provencal, La., 52 miles west of here, was practically wiped out by a cyclone, which struck there on Thursday morning. A negro boy was killed and fifteen persons were injured. Two churches, a number of mercantile houses and twenty-five buildings were demolished. The storm swept everything before it in a path between three hundred and five hundred yards wide. A report reached here late Thursday that the town of Many, La., has also suffered from the storm, but owing to interrupted wire communications no details were obtainable.

BIG NEWFOUNDLAND FIRE.

Reid Machine Shops Destroyed, Involving Heavy Loss.

A despatch from North Sydney, C. B., says: A cable from St. John's, Nfld., states that the Reid-Newfoundland Company's machine shops were destroyed by fire on Friday. No details have been received, but the loss, it is believed, will reach several hundred thousand dollars.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

A Barber of Goshen, Alberta, Drank Carbolic Acid.

A despatch from Prince Albert says: Thomas Boyce, a barber in Goshen, in the east end section of this city, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid on Sunday morning. He was 31 years old and came from the Muskoka district. He leaves a widow and children here. No motive is given for the act.

OUR LETTER FROM TORONTO

WHAT IS INTERESTING THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY AT THE PRESENT TIME.

The New Candidate for North York—Dr. Ross to Investigate Freidmann Cure—Women's Police Court.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, at present a resident of this city, and who has just been nominated as the Liberal candidate in North York, has seen more of the limelight of public life than perhaps any other man of his years in Canada and unless all signs fail he will continue to attract attention for a good many years to come. Mr. King is a grandson of William Lyon Mackenzie, his mother, who is the wife of Mr. John King, K. C., one of the lecturers at Osgoode Hall, and a particular authority on the law of libel, being the daughter of the "patriot" of 1837. There is no doubt that Mr. King inherits some of the qualities of his famous grandfather. He has, for example, undoubted ambition for public service. He has spent all his life in public positions.

First he was in academic work, where he made a special study of industrial conditions. This seemed to give him qualifications for the Department of Labor, which was at that time being established at Ottawa by Sir William Mulock. To this field he was therefore transferred, later resigning the position of Deputy Minister of Labor to enter the hurly burly of active politics and to become a member, as it turned out, of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Cabinet. The defeat of the Government in 1911 and his own personal defeat left Mr. King without employment.

Will Stay in Politics.

For the present he has decided to stay in the political life. He has a reputation as a public speaker and as a writer and as he has no family it is comparatively easy for him to follow his inclinations.

In the graces of public speaking Mackenzie King has few equals in the country. He has a splendid voice and excellent delivery which cannot help but be impressive. He is perhaps lacking in the lighter elements of humor on which many political leaders have based great successes. While he has great ability, there are those who maintain that he has the faults that often go with ability of this type. They tell a story of his campaign in 1911 in North Waterloo, which is probably not true, but which indicates the nature of the criticism that is made of him. He was speaking at one of his evening meetings before a friendly audience and was denouncing in round terms some act of one of his political opponents. His audience was being carried away with him and one enthusiast burst out, "Who done that?" It is related that Mr. King paused to say, "I presume my friend meant to say who did that." As intimated, the story is probably untrue.

In North York.

The other day the Canadian Club had Mr. King address it on the Navy question. As evidence of the interest in the subject and in the speaker, one of the largest crowds in the history of the Club turned out to the meeting. The speech was frankly partisan and was eagerly criticized according to the convictions of the individual listener. The speech illustrated Mr. King's strength and his weakness. In other words, he was in sports effective in other spots unconcerning. North York in which Mr. King now has raised his standard has been a historic fighting ground between political parties for generations. It has been often represented by a man prominent in the councils of his party. This and the fact that Mr. King's grandfather used to represent the constituency almost a century ago may help his candidature, though it must be pointed out that generally North York is one of those constituencies that shows a partiality for a member who supports the party in power.

To Investigate Friedmann's Cure.

With characteristic enterprise the Toronto General Hospital has delegated Dr. G. W. Ross to spend several weeks in New York investigating the Friedmann cure for tuberculosis and making observations on the progress of the tests now being carried on there. Immediately on his return Dr. Ross will make a report for the institution. The hospital authorities and the Province generally are to be congratulated on being able to secure the services of Dr. Ross, who has made a specialty of the new treatment for diseases in which the Dr. Friedmann's cure seems to follow. Dr. Ross' report may therefore be expected to be authoritative and give the Province the very last word on the subject. From the latest information obtainable there is a disposition to believe that there is a good deal in Dr. Friedmann's cure, and that while it may not accomplish all that has been claimed for it it may mark a great step forward in conquering the "white plague." Final conclusions must, however, be delayed until there has been an opportunity to observe the treatment and make a report on it.

Ontario Club in Now Home.

The Ontario Club has gone into its magnificent new quarters at the corner of Jordan and Wellington streets. The Ontario Club is the Liberal Club, organized two or three years ago with a twofold purpose: First, as a rendezvous similar to other clubs, and, second, as a home for Liberalism in a city in which Liberalism is in need of care and attention, and such as the Albany Club has furnished Conservatives.

The Ontario Club started out by taking over the premises formerly occupied by the National Club, but when this property was needed for other purposes the institution had to move into a flat of an office building while new quarters were prepared. These are now ready, and furnish a club home which compares very favorably with anything in the city. The old Standard Bank building has been entirely renovated and as far as the interior is concerned, practically rebuilt, and no expense has been spared in the furnishing. Carpets and curtains have been made abroad specially for the Club, and this, with the other fittings, give an air of considerable luxuriousness. Attendants in knee breeches are on guard in the hall and an occasional critic might be found who would say that the atmosphere was not entirely democratic. However, those in charge have believed that whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing right and they have spared no pains. There are some twenty bedrooms available for out-of-town members.

Women in Police Court.

As a result of the activity of the Local Council of Women and other Women's organizations, women's police court cases are now heard separately and in private. The males who have to attend police court are grumbling because the women's cases are disposed of first, and that keeps the men waiting. It is also claimed by critics of the innovation that the lack of publicity which was aimed at for the women is not being accomplished, because, while the cases are heard in private, there is more publicity than ever while going to and from the court. The women's organizations who secured the experiment seem to be well pleased. Most of the female offenders in the police court are not deserving of much consideration, but occasionally a case comes to light which they claim amply justifies any trouble the separate court causes.

PANIC IN A CHURCH.

Waters of St. Lawrence Covered Floors of Edifice.

A despatch from Montreal says: During the service in Ste. Cloth-ilde Church at Cote St. Paul on Sunday the congregation was thrown into a panic by a sudden rush of water into the building, due to the floods in the neighborhood of the banks of the St. Lawrence. The water rose to a height of several feet. The people were compelled to wade out of the church and to their homes.

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Items of News by Wire

Notes of Interest as to What is Going on All Over the World

Canada.

Much country around Montreal is suffering from floods.

There is less ice in the great lakes than a year ago.

The hoteliers of Canada will organize a protective association.

New docks planned for the R. & O. Navigation Co. at Toronto are likely to cost a million dollars.

Petrolea and Wyoming Fruit Growers' Associations have been formed.

G. L. McMillan, C. E., and N. O. geologist, reports that Nelson Bay is navigable for five months in the year at least.

Frank McMullin, formerly of Ingersoll, was instantly killed by a train as he walked in front of another.

The York Highways commission plans to build fifty miles of good roads this coming summer.

The Keystorm, which sank at Brockville last October after striking a shoal in a fog, has been raised.

Changes are to be made at the Toronto Observatory, which it is probable the weather will be forecast a week in advance.

Revolting conditions at Peterboro's slaughterhouses were revealed in the sanitary inspector's report.

Supplementary estimates tabled in the House by the Minister of Finance bring the total expenditure for the year ending March 31st, 1914, to $174,618,874.

Robert Pichin, a well-known engineer of Montreal, was killed as the result of an accident while engaging in a motor boat party in celebration of Victoria Day.

A conference took place in Ottawa between a committee of representatives of the Ontario paper industry and the Ontario Government regarding the proposed [illegible] of pulp wood from Crown lands.

Great Britain.

[illegible] made a tariff reform speech at Hanley on Friday.

Admiral [illegible] was buried at Portland.

Five [illegible] were sentenced to penal servitude for life for their part in the Sidney Street outrage, and were sent to jail.

The Russian government has decided to erect a memorial to the late Czar Alexander III. in connection with the [illegible] of the Russian Empire. The memorial is to consist of a permanent museum of the reign of the late Czar, and a memorial to the Russian soldiers who fell in the Russo-Japanese war.

United States.

Patrolman John Hartigan of New York was shot and killed by Gaston Kellar of Staten Island, who had been discharged from the police force.

Fierce storms swept portions of the United States on Friday. Many lives were lost.

The Supreme Court of Illinois declined to grant a writ of mandamus to compel the Illinois Central Railway Company to build a viaduct over the tracks at Fifty-first street, Chicago.

The Supreme Court of Illinois has declared unconstitutional the law passed by the last legislature providing for the election of Railway Commissioners.

Alexander Young Scammell, Chief Constable of Alexandria, Ont., died in the Montreal General Hospital on Wednesday.

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THE UNSINKABLE SHIP.

An Inner Shell Has Been Added to the Olympic.

A Belfast despatch to the London Evening News says: "One of the most wonderful engineering feats ever known has just been finished on the White Star liner Olympic." The naval architect thus fully has been kept in the dark, now we are able to say that Harland & Wolff are adding an enormous steel shell inside. It extends nearly the full length of the ship, from No. 3 boiler room forward to the rear of the turbine room aft. If the collision bergs as her sister ship, the Titanic, did, and her hull were ripped by a slanting blow she would not sink. The inner shell would float almost as if nothing had happened. Harland & Wolff's naval architects believe they have solved the problem of the unsinkable ship."

MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR.

Two Men Trailed by Police Into Car of Wine.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: During the [illegible] One man was shot and killed, another wounded and a third escaped through the [illegible] dangerously wounded [illegible] night in the Canadian Pacific Railway yards. The dead man is Macdonald, the man injured is W. Johnson, both of [illegible]. Constables William [illegible] Alex. Young noticed two men acting suspiciously and trailed them until the pair were seen to break into a car, when they arrested and declared the men under arrest. According to [illegible] obtainable, the men resisted arrest, and [illegible] the two men were shot.

THE N. T. RAILROAD.

Quebec to Winnipeg To Be Ready By End of Year.

A despatch from Ottawa says: According to a statement made by Mr. M. J. O'Brien, chief contractor for the construction of the Transcontinental Railway from Quebec and Winnipeg, the section of the road will be completed by the end of this year. If nothing unexpected happens to delay it, during the course of an interview with a Canadian Press representative Mr. O'Brien stated that he expected to have an army of 4,000 men on the 750 miles yet to be completed, that is, if he can get the men. He anticipates some trouble in this respect.

WIND CREATES HAVOC.

Sixty Street Cars Derailed in Sydney, Australia.

A despatch from Sydney, Australia, says: A 60-mile gale swept over Sydney on Tuesday, causing severe damage to properties and doing great damage to shipping and afloat. Sixty street cars were derailed by the wind, many small yachts were wrecked, and trees were toppled over throughout the city. A deluge accompanied the gale. One man was electrocuted and ten horses killed by falling wire, and three men were drowned in the harbor.

THE HORRORS OF WAR.

Frozen Soldiers Found on the Field of Thrace.

A despatch from Constantinople says: It is reported here that the Turkish troops have found four hundred frozen corpses of Bulgarian soldiers on the field of Thrace.

CYCLONE AT BUENOS AYRES.

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