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COMMERCIAL

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKETS. Montreal, Aug. 21.—Flour receipts, 400 bbls., patent white, \$3.50 to \$4; patent white, \$4 to \$4.10; straight roller, \$3.60 to \$3.70; strong bakers, \$3.60 to \$3.80; 0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going on in the Business World--The Market News.

Henry Clews, New York: The stock market appears to be in a sound and strong condition. Efforts may be made by minor cliques or speculators to put up prices, but buyers should wait to ascertain the movements of the real leaders, who will probably hide their time for the most favorable opportunities. Until the monetary outlook is more assuring, selling on all the sharp rallies is the most advisable course.

With a single exception, that of the Schwaeschild & Sulzberger company, whose plant in New York is estimated worth \$10,000,000, the "Big Three"--Armour & Co., Nelson Morris & Co., and Swift & Co.--now own all the big packing plants, assuming the monopoly of the meat business of the United States. The next step will be for the three companies to reorganize as some great corporation.

Mr. Mulhassett, the greatest manufacturer of shoddy in the United States, gives the annual consumption of shoddy in the United States at 40,000,000 pounds, displacing 120,000,000 pounds of wool. The National Live Stock Association of America puts the figure for 1900 as follows: Shoddy used in 1900, 74,000,000 pounds, displacing 222,000,000 pounds of wool, or equal to seventy-two per cent. of all the wool in the United States that year. In other words it displaced wool equal in quantity to that clipped from 42,900,000 out of the 61,415,000 sheep owned in the United States. Therefore, but for this shoddy there would have been used 222,000,000 more pounds of wool.

It is announced that Canadian Pacific orders are placed for 116 new engines. This included all orders placed since January 1st. Of these twelve passenger and forty-four freight engines will be ready for the handling of the harvest this fall, both classes of engines being expected to be used. Of the total orders Rogers Locomotive Works gets ten engines, American Locomotive Co., fifty engines, the Hochelaga works at Canadian Pacific, thirty-nine, and the Kingston works, ten. The total of passenger engines ordered is thirty-four, freight, sixty-four, and switching, eighteen. These orders are in pursuance of the intention announced by the company at the time of the issue of new stock, namely to bring the rolling stock up to at least an average point of efficiency.

Returns After Thirty Years.

Robert Carson, who left Hungerford some thirty years ago, gave his relatives a pleasant surprise a few days ago by presenting himself at the old homestead, now occupied by his brother, John Carson, near Stoco. This is his first visit in all these years. For some twelve years his relatives did not know of his whereabouts, and it was some time before his identity was recognized. He will remain in a week's time at his home in Clare county, Michigan, where he is carrying on a successful business. He is also a brother of Rev. Father Carson, of Merrickville.

A Disastrous Storm.

The electrical storm which swept over Kingston at an early hour this morning was one of the fiercest on record. No end of damage was done. The Hochelaga works at Canadian Pacific, thirty-nine, and the Kingston works, ten. The total of passenger engines ordered is thirty-four, freight, sixty-four, and switching, eighteen. These orders are in pursuance of the intention announced by the company at the time of the issue of new stock, namely to bring the rolling stock up to at least an average point of efficiency.

Ears Have They, But Hear Not.

I have with me at McLeod's drug store, a dipper, sonical, conversation tubes, jointed ear trumpet, bugle ear trumpet, hard rubber telescope, trumpets, auricles single or double, cornets, acoustic cones, pocket ear trumpets, audiphones, audiacars, apparatus, etc. Every device imaginable to help the deaf. M. McLeod, Kingston, at McLeod's drug store, Princess and Montreal streets.

May Not Materialize.

It is learned from a reliable authority that the industry a prominent citizen was figuring on locating in Kingston, will not materialize, owing partly to the locomotive works strike and the stand taken by labor unions. The industry, it is said, had to do with sugar refining.

Repaired The Damage.

Queenston, Aug. 21.—The White Star liner Germanic from New York, August 13th, arrived here to-day. The vessel broke down on Sunday night owing to damage to her air pumps and had to be towed to a berth in mid-ocean, while her crew repaired the damage.

Count De la Vaud, Paris, is preparing for an attempt to cross the Mediterranean in a balloon. He proposes to make the trip about September 13th.

Money For Missions.

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 21.—According to the will of the late John Skinner, who died worth \$7,576.25, after a dark granite monument, valued at \$100, has been erected over the deceased's grave, the income of the estate is bequeathed to Miss Skinner. At her death a farm in Barton, valued at \$1,500, goes to Thomas S. Morris. The executors are directed to invest the remainder of the estate for the benefit of the missionary society of the Methodist church of Canada, so that the same shall not go into the general funds of the society, and thus disappear, but the interest shall be paid as a perpetual annuity to be called the John Skinner annuity, and to be credited to the Centenary Methodist church.

To Fight To The End.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—"A fight to the bitter end" is the way President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America put the situation in the anthracite coal strike. He said he saw nothing for him to do in the strike but to hold his men firm. Even an appeal to the American people for intercession he thought would be of no avail.

President Loubet, of France, has invited the Canadian premier to visit him at Rambouillet.

DOCTORED BILL TOO TRICK

AND IT LANDED ITS MAKER IN JAIL.

Montreal Burglar Stole Sample Bills and Tried to Make Them Negotiable by Pasting Together--He Was Caught.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—A burglar broke into the Hochelaga bank, one night last week, and stole the case containing the samples of the bank's bills from five dollars to one hundred dollars. They are printed on coarser paper than the actual notes, and on one side only.

On Tuesday night a man tried to pass a twenty dollar bill on J. A. Shumick, St. Louis, but he detected that it was too thick. On being questioned the man ran away, but was captured, and arraigned in the police court to-day and remanded.

He had to doctor the sample bill carefully before he tried to pass it. He scraped the paper on the unprinted sides and then pasted two together back and back, thus forming a twenty dollar bill, which might have deceived anyone not so used to handling such bills.

Hon. Joseph Royal, ex-lieutenant-governor of the North-West, whose serious illness, following a surgical operation, was reported a few days ago, is now in a very weak condition, and his physicians will not allow anyone to see him. His recovery is despaired of.

Dominion Steel, common, was again active in the local market to-day, although there was a falling off in the business done. The stock showed a weak streak. The opening price was 77 but almost immediately declined, going down by easy stages to 71, when a stronger feeling was manifested and finally closed at 76 1/2. C. P. R. was active and steady and several blocks changing hands first at 140 and closing at 139 1/2. Twin City was steady at 125 to 127 1/2. One block of 100 shares of Toronto rails was sold at 122.

Lord Dunderland passed through the city to-day, en route for Ottawa. The general officer commanding has been the guest of the governor-general at Quebec.

Marion Irwin, Macon, Ga., who represented the United States attorney-general in the prosecution of the Gaynor-Greene case arrived in the city this morning, and spent some time in consultation with Donald Macmaster, who conducted the case before the Canadian courts for the United States authorities. It has not yet been definitely decided what further action will be taken.

FRONTENAC CHEESE BOARD.

Not a Large Attendance at the Session To-day.

Kingston, Aug. 21.—The offerings at to-day's session of the Frontenac cheese board were the smallest of the season, reaching only 1,435 boxes, of which 469 were white and 975 colored. The buyers were not very active, several being absent. Bidding opened at 9 1/2c, and closed at 9 1/2c. These factories had cheese on sale:

White--Amherst Island, 70; Farmers' Friend, 100; Hartington, 65; Howe Island, 30; Model, 60; Silver Springs, 50; Glendower, 50; Hinchinbrook, 35; Colored--Cold Springs, 50; Emerald, 55; Maple Leaf, Frontenac, Glendower, 100; Granite Hill, 70; Gilt Edge, 35; Rose Hill, 60; Tichborne, 40; Thousand Island, 35; Elginburg, 30; Wolfe Island, 75; Frontenac, 30.

At the leading price these sales were effected: To James Crawford--Glendower, Gilt Edge, Thousand Island, Emerald, To O. C. Bissell--Hartington, Pine Hill, Maple Leaf, Frontenac, Glendower, Hinchinbrook. To L. W. Murphy--Cold Springs, Forest, Model, Elginburg, Wolfe Island.

The secretary announced that the annual fee, for services of inspector and other purposes would be the same as last year, \$4.75 per factory.

WOULD LIKE TO SEE IT.

Scholarships for Englishmen in the United States.

New York, Aug. 21.—Dr. Parkin reached here yesterday from England. He met J. P. Morgan on the ship and had several interviews with him. There were many on board who believed that he has interested the great American financier in his schemes. The financier in commenting on the Rhodes' bequest, said: "I wish we could get some rich American to make the same arrangement for 100 young Englishmen. They would jump over each other in their anxiety to get a chance in some of the great American universities. It is a scheme which we think may be able to carry through, and if we do, it will be a plan of international education which will be a benefit to the whole world, and will make even closer the ties existing between England and the United States."

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SIX MONTHS' CIRCULATION.

One Essential to Authorization of Text-Books.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 21.—The Ontario minister of education has announced that hereafter no text book will be authorized for use in the schools of Ontario until after it has been published and in general circulation for at least six months. In this way there will be no difficulty in learning the opinions of teachers and experts concerning the books for which authorization is desired.

The stock exchange to-day voted against the resuming of the afternoon sessions. The vote resulted in a tie, which means that the board will continue to close in the afternoon for the present.

The harvesters' excursion promises to be very heavy to-day. Yesterday 2,026 men left for the west, as compared with 1,637 on the corresponding day last year. The second day is usually the heaviest; last year 2,860 went on it and the railway officials to-day are prepared to carry 3,000 people. Ten trains will be sent if necessary, commencing with the regular 1:45 p.m. train, and following up with a series of specials. To-day's excursions all centres in Toronto and all the incoming trains are bringing such heavy loads that they are late. The territory covered to-day is the G. T. R. main line west of Toronto, the C. P. R. main line to Guelph, and the stations between and west of Junction; the Owen Sound train had twelve cars and the Teeswater train eleven cars. The C.P.R. has announced that it will grant a second excursion on August 30th, September 1st and 2nd.

George W. Clark, whose extradition to Massachusetts for procuring money under false pretences is demanded, appeared to-day before Judge Morgan. The papers in the case had not arrived and the case was adjourned for a week, bail being accepted in \$2,000. City Crown Attorney Curry is acting for the state of Massachusetts.

WOLFE ISLAND SUFFERED.

The Storm Created Great Loss to the Farmers.

The fury of this morning's early storm seems to have spent itself on the head of Wolfe Island. Rocks on the island state that hail stones as large as medium apples or hens eggs fell in profusion. A physician who received an early call states that he drove through hail stones that covered the ground to the depth of six inches; the whole earth was mantled in white, such as it would be in mid-winter. There were twenty-eight pieces of glass broken in the home of James Davis, while glass in other dwellings also suffered. Damage. Whole grain fields were destroyed, and rendered unfit for cutting, entailing great loss upon the farms. One farmer found a field of pumpkins destroyed, hail stones having cut their way clear through the unripened vegetables, rendering them unfit for use. Many orchards were literally destroyed, trees being uprooted and others bereft of their limbs. Within a distance of five miles, seventeen uprooted trees were encountered on the roadway, between the village and the head of the island.

Will Be Interesting Details.

These promises to be an interesting lawsuit over the Cohen-Jewson misunderstanding regarding the purchase of the bankrupt stock of the Ontario Rag and Metal company by Meyer. Upon the search warrant taken out by Cohen, papers and goods claimed by him were recovered and taken to the police station. The police magistrate ordered the parties concerned not to disturb the stock of goods in the Ontario street store until to-morrow morning or until such time as the ownership of the goods in dispute had been settled. The order was disobeyed, however, as this afternoon horses were employed in hauling the goods away. The case will be argued before the magistrate to-morrow.

Finds Rare Relics In Egypt.

San Francisco, Aug. 21.—Dr. George Reisner, who in Egypt for archaeological specimens for two years for the Phoebe Hearst museum at the University of California, has reached here. He has obtained many valuable articles, the rarest exhumed being gold jewelry of the time of the first dynasty. These were taken by the Egyptian government for the concession to search for ancient relics in the country.

Four hundred boxes, shipped from Egypt by Dr. Reisner, are now on their way to the university. Many of the articles they contain are, without duplicates in the world.

Arrested For a Crime.

Quebec, Aug. 21.—A young man named Fortin, a joiner, has been arrested and has confessed that while sitting on the Cove fields with a woman, Beauchamp hacked him with a knife. Fortin also used a knife and worsted Beauchamp and left him on the field, but was evidently not aware of having injured his assailant mortally. Fortin has a few knife wounds on his face.

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THE JUDGE WAS OFFENDED

BOARD OF TRADE MEMBERS WERE IN THE WAY.

Vice-President J. De Wolfe Criticized His Lordship, Was Arrested and Lodged in Jail--Matter Afterwards Amicably Settled.

Sydney, N.S., Aug. 21.—Judge Meagher of the supreme court, Halifax, holding court here, caused the arrest of J. E. De Wolfe, vice-president of the Canada board of trade. The judge, on coming out of the courtroom, found his exit blocked by the 100 delegates to the convention of the Maritime board of trade, who had assembled on the courthouse steps to have their pictures taken.

The judge ordered Sheriff Inerham to clear a passage for him. The sheriff complied with the order, and the judge passed through the crowd, but some of the delegates resented the interruption, and as the judge and sheriff started to walk away there were murmurs among the crowd, which sounded like hissing. The judge immediately returned and demanded the name of the man who hissed, declaring he would hand him over to the sheriff.

The delegates were shocked at the judge's action and at the first session gave vent to their feelings. J. E. De Wolfe called upon the meeting to resent the unwarranted insult, and he moved a resolution to the effect, which was passed. Some of the delegates stated that the board should pass a resolution asking the government to remove Judge Meagher from the bench.

Mr. De Wolfe met the judge later and the latter asked Mr. De Wolfe how he was feeling. Mr. De Wolfe replied: "Not any too well over your conduct." The judge said that if he repeated the remark he would hand him over to the sheriff. Mr. De Wolfe repeated the remark and the judge forthwith handed him over to the custody of the sheriff.

As De Wolfe marched off with the sheriff the delegates loudly cheered him. The matter afterwards was amicably settled and Mr. De Wolfe was released.

A PECULIAR CUSTOM.

Followed by Polish Jews in Their Burial Services.

One branch of the orthodox Jews still keeps up the custom which seems more than thirty centuries old, says the New York Evening Post. It is the laying of a dead man's head upon a pillow filled with earth, and placing upon his face an earthen plate or saucer broken into three pieces, one for the nose and one for each eye. When a family is very wealthy the earth is brought from the Holy Land, and the mortuary plate from a potter's kiln not far from Jerusalem. It is made of a reddish clay, and is similar to those now dug up by the Palestine exploration fund laborers. To make the pillow and to break the plate into the three conventional pieces demanded considerable practice.

How the Polish rabbi breaks the plate is a secret which has come down to him through many generations. It formerly was done by a sword, afterward by a trowel, but to-day by a hammer. When the blow is struck the fractured pieces should not be of the same size. Two should be small and somewhat circular in outline so as to cover the optic orbit, while the third should be rather long and reach at least from the eyebrows to the end of the nose. The first part of the ceremony is easily understood. It expresses the traditional saying, "Thy pillow shall be earth, but what the meaning or origin of the three pieces of plate is not known to the official himself. He says "It is the law of our fathers, and I follow the law."

According to one of their scholars there was a superstition once that the pieces of earthenware protected the soul when it made its final exit from the body, and was supposed to occur within a short period after physical death, but there seems more reason for believing that the custom was of the same nature as the practice still extant among some people of laying coins upon a dead man's eyes.

Good Life--Long Life.

He liveth long who liveth well; All else is life, but flung away; He liveth longest who can tell Of true things truly done each day.

Then fill each hour with what will last; Buy up the moments as they go; The life which ends when this is read, Is the ripe fruit of life below.

Sustained Serious Injury.

Mrs. McDonald, a middle aged woman, fell on Collingwood avenue last evening and sustained serious injury. She struck her nose on the sidewalk, injuring that important member, and received what the physicians deem internal injuries. Corbett's ambulance conveyed her to the General Hospital.

Has No Intention Of Retiring.

Chief Justice McGuire of the North-West Territories, has arrived in Kingston for two weeks' vacation in his old home. He was both warmly welcomed and congratulated on his promotion. There is no truth in the report of his intended retirement.

Peaches, Peaches, Peaches.

Fancy Tokay grapes, Bartlett pears and large yellow egg plums, from California at Carnovsky's.

A special cable from Wellington, New Zealand, to the London Times, says: "Representatives of the press have been excluded from the inquiry into the alleged overcrowding of the troopship Britannic."

The White Star vessel Cedric, the largest in the world, was launched to-day at Belfast. The Cedric is a vessel of 21,000 tons. King Edward, on the Royal Yacht Victoria and Albert left Cowes to-day for a cruise toward Scotland. Miss Laura Carroll, New York, saved a lad from drowning, but could not rescue another boy. R. H. Field, Brockville, is in the city on a business trip.

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