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STOCK MARKETS.

Telegraphed specially to the Whig by Norman Binmore, Manager Hartshorne, Bogert & Battelle, Members New York Stock Exchange, 151 St. James Street, Montreal.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Jan. 14th 11.30 a.m.
Amalgamated Copper	75¾
American Locomotive	35¾
American Smelting & Refining	82
American Sugar Refining	142¼
Atchison	87¼
Baltimore & Ohio	103¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	62¼
Canadian Pacific	134
Chesapeake & Ohio	48¾
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	174
Col. Fuel & Iron	46¾
Erie, com.	40¼
Erie, 1st pref.	78¼
Louisville & Nashville	141
Metropolitan Securities	76¾
Metropolitan Street Ry.	117
Minn., St. Paul & S.S.M.	94
Missouri Pacific	106¼
New York Central	143¾
Pennsylvania	137¾
Reading	36¼
Rock Island	36¾
Southern Pacific	67¼
Southern Railway	35¾
Union Pacific	118¾
U. S. Leather	14
U. S. Steel, com.	30¼
U. S. Steel, pref.	93¾
Wabash, pref.	43

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CONGRESSIONAL SPEECH.

But It Wouldn't Go in Punkville Debating Society.

It was the regular session of the Punkville Debating society. G. Watkins Spurling was making an earnest plea on the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved, that man's every act is the result of a selfish motive." "I go further than that, Mr. President," he said. "About three-fourths of the things a man does is because he's envious of what somebody else does. The pin-headed speaker that had the floor last on the other side lied like a pirate when he said —" Here the president of the society rapped on the desk. "The gentleman must not use such language as that," he said. "Why not?" "Because it isn't parliamentary." "It may not be parliamentary, Mr. President," vociferated G. Watkins Spurling, loosening his collar and rolling up his sleeves, "but, by gum, it's congressional!"

The worst cases of rheumatism cured. Wa-Hoo Tonic will do it, 35c. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

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DECISION CONFIRMED.

Dockage May Not Be Charged With Duty.

Judge Hazel, Buffalo, has confirmed the decision of the New York appraisers that dockage may not be charged along with the duty on material used when a boat is repaired at a foreign port. The decision follows the application of the collector of customs at Rochester for a review of the decision made by the New York appraisers and requires the collector to return back dockage charges amounting to several hundred dollars. The three boats on which the charges were made belong to the George Hall Coal company and were repaired at Kingston, Ont. When they arrived at the port of Rochester the collector of customs charged duty on the material used in repairing and also a percentage of the amount of charges used in docking the boats. When the case was brought to the board of appraisers they decided that the dockage charges should be taken out.

On Saturday come to Abernethy's Shoe Store, if you want to save money.

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WAS ACCEPTED.

PULPIT OF COOKE'S CHURCH NOW VACANT.

Rev. Mr. Laird's Resignation Accepted By Presbytery With Regret—Rev. Mr. Peck To Preach The Pulpit Vacant.

The Kingston Presbytery met in Cooke's church on Friday, at two o'clock. Members present: Rev. Mr. Peck, moderator; Principal Gordon, Revs. Drs. Macgillivray and Mackie, and Revs. G. Milligan, A. Laird, and R. Laird, and John Murray, elder.

The special business was the resignation of Rev. A. Laird of the pastorate of Cooke's church. The papers were were read, and commissioners from the congregation received, viz., from the session, Messrs. John Murray, James Adams and Prof. Fowler, from the managers, Messrs. D. A. Shaw, Dr. Sands, S. S. Corbett and James McCulla. These all testified to their personal regret, and that of the congregation, in parting from Mr. Laird as pastor, specially in view of its harmony, progress and good financial position, largely due to the pastor's watchful interest and organizing ability; but in the circumstances, seeing the situation he has accepted is better adapted to his state of health and strength, they would offer no opposition to his resignation. Mr. Laird adhered to his resignation, partly also in the belief that the congregation now required the services of a pastor with greater physical energy than he possessed.

Principal Gordon made a few remarks in the line of the statements uttered, and moved that the resignation be accepted. Dr. Mackie seconded the motion with the expression of similar sentiments. The motion was agreed to, to take effect on Sabbath the 15th inst. the moderator, Rev. Mr. Peck, to preach on that day, and declare the pulpit vacant.

On motion of Mr. Murray, Mr. Laird was appointed moderator of the session. The moderator and Dr. Macgillivray were appointed to prepare suitable minutes relating to Mr. Laird's retirement from the pastorate of Cooke's church. His name is retained in the appendix to the roll of presbytery, while application is proposed to be made to the general assembly, for leave to grant him his full standing as a member of the presbytery.

Back To The People.

Out of a total expenditure of $113,191,872 since 1871, the liberal governments of Ontario have returned to the people $92,685,876, divided among education, hospitals and charities, maintenance of asylums and public institutions, agriculture and arts, railway subsidies, administration of justice, colonization roads and construction of public buildings.

UPRISING IN CHINA.

Powers Are Warned Of Imminent Trouble.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.—Russia's formal notification to the powers of the imminent danger of a general uprising in China as the result of a Japanese propaganda, which will threaten all foreign interests, coupled with general protest against China's repeated violation of neutrality in connection with Japanese operations, is really a warning to the powers that Russia regards the situation as extremely serious and considers that the time has come for joint action by the powers for the protection of their own interests.

For herself, Russia considers that Japan has broken the pledges she made with respect to Secretary Hay's note at the beginning of the war, and further persistence in the course will, she considers, absolve her from further observance and leave her free to act for her own protection.

Should Gen. Ma and Chinese troops now move Russia will feel free herself to cross the Liao river into the neutral zone.

NOTORIOUS CROOK CAUGHT.

Taken At Point Of Pistol By Constable.

Cobourg, Ont., Jan. 14.—A clever capture was made by Police Constable Roorke, in Cobourg last Thursday night. While on his beat on Division street the constable saw a man in the rear of J. N. Campbell's general dry goods store. Hurrying to the back entrance he forced his way in, and at the point of the revolver made his man throw up his hands. On being conveyed to the police station the culprit was discovered to be "Pud" Agnew, a notorious crook, who has already served several times in the Central for similar offences in different parts of the province.

Wholesale Cattle Thief.

Orillia, Ont., Jan. 14.—A sensation has been caused here by the disappearance of Alexander McGrimman, cattle dealer, and manager of the Dalton Cattle company. His books show a shortage of $15,000 to $20,000. McGrimman was the most expert buyer in the district and was believed by everyone to be thoroughly trustworthy. For twenty years he has done business very honorably. During the last year he became loose in his methods.

"Fresh Extracts of Beef," for beef tea. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Dr. Fox of New Jersey advises women not to marry a man till they know his past. This is the hottest argument for race suicide we have observed.

There is no doubt of the verdict of the people who have investigated the record of the government. The liberal administration has been a good one.

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It is unequalled as a morning bracer.

FASHION'S FORM.

One Of The Latest Styles Just Out.

A stylish evening bodice of light blue French mousseline, draped over white China silk. The sleeves and yoke are trimmed with white lace and white ribbon brocaded with floral design in blue velvet ribbon edges the ribbon bands.

LATE SOCIAL NEWS.

Miss Chalmers, of Kingston, is a guest at the home of her uncle, Mr. Simon Chalmers, Smith's Falls.

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The engagement is announced of Miss May Pennock, youngest daughter of Mr. J. T. Pennock, to Lieut.-Col. Hurdman, both of Ottawa.

The engagement is announced of Miss Lilah Hewson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hewson, Baldwin street, to Dr. Horace Rutherford Livengood, only son of Dr. T. F. and Mrs. Livengood, of Elizabeth, New Jersey.

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Tennyson's "Dream of Fair Women" was capitally put on by the Levana Society of Queen's on Thursday afternoon. Miss Lois Saunders read the poem till the dreamer heard the thrilling voice of the Trojan Helen, and Miss Bryson, as the lady tall, and most divinely fair whose beauty brought calamity where'er she came, stepped on the scene, followed by Miss McFarlane, as Iphigenia, whose "youth was blasted with a curse."

Miss Florence O'Donnell, as Egypt's queen, enquiring for Mark Antony, came next, and then the "daughter of the warrior Gileadite." Miss Tesky. Fair Rosamond, quailing beneath the "dragon eyes of angered Eleanor" was represented by Miss Rees, and the queen herself by Miss Solmes. Philippa and Joan of Arc, were represented by Miss Odell, and Miss Elsie Saunders.

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There was a jolly curling game, this morning, between mixed rinks—members of the Ladies' Curling Club and Queen's students. There will be a repetition of the contest on Monday afternoon. On Tuesday morning, the point matches, for Mrs. Hooper's prize will be begun by the ladies, and on Thursday morning, the rink matches for the club prizes start.

HOUR OF VICTORY

Is Striking For Russia, Says The Czar.

Special to the Whig.

Nagasaki, Jan. 14.—The Japanese transport, Kamakuru, from Port Dalny, January 11th, with Gen. Stoessel and others on board, arrived, here, this morning. The Russian general looked well, and walked with a stately step. Preceded by a few police officers, and followed by his retinue, Gen. Stoessel slowly wended his way to a prettily-situated bungalow on Inasa Hill, where he will be quartered.

The Czar's Message.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.—Czar Nicholas, to-day, issued an order of the day to the army in praise of the heroic defence of Port Arthur, by Gen. Stoessel and his garrison. The order says: "Our enemy is brave and strong and it is extremely difficult to sustain a struggle at a distance of 10,000 versts, but Russia is great and powerful. We are greatly grieved by the lack of success, and the painful losses, but let us not abandon courage. It is in sorrowful times such as these that the power of Russia renews itself. I am confident as is every Russian that the hour of victory is striking. God bless my dear army and fleet, in their efforts to crush the enemy, and sustain the honor and the glory of the fatherland."

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Storrington agricultural society was held at Inverary on the 11th inst. Officers elected: John Taylor, president; T. Thompson, first vice-president; John Gibson, second vice-president; Alexander Ritchie, secretary-treasurer; directors, Robert Shannon, William McGarvey, C. W. Sleth, P. Edwards, W. G. Bruce, J. A. Sherman, James Shepherd, George Aykroyd, M. B. Traves; auditors, S. A. Lyon, G. W. Leatherland.

Has He Resigned?

Special to the Whig.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 14.—It is stated in railway and financial circles, both in New York and in Detroit, that President Ledyard, of the Michigan Central railway, had resigned, and that his resignation had been accepted, Mr. Ledyard, however, denies this, although he does not go into any detailed statement. If Mr. Ledyard has resigned it is because of the announced intention of the Vanderbilts to bring all three roads under one head.

DISTRICT NEWS.

SPICE OF THE ARTICLES IN VICINITY NEWSPAPERS.

The News Put Into Condensed Shape—The Episodes That Create Talk In The Country And Hereabouts.

Renfrew voted to instal a sewer system and carried the by-law by eighty-seven majority.

Mortimer William Clark, Lanark, died on Thursday, aged eighty-nine. A widow and eight children survive.

Ice races are to be held in Picton on Monday, January 23rd, and 24th. Purses aggregating $600 are hung up.

H. B. R. Dryden, editor of the Despatch, was elected a member of the board of education at Campbellford.

Matthew Soper, Nakusp, B.C., son of the late Alonzo Soper, Kitley, is dead, aged fifty-six. He leaves a widow.

Dr. Edward Richardson, Sturgeon Falls, a Queen's graduate, was married to Miss Mary Elizabeth Behan, of Pembroke.

Mrs. Elizabeth Slater, wife of Captain Slater, Belleville, is dead, as the result of an attack of pneumonia last year. A husband, and three children survive.

Napanee council on Monday night re-appointed J. P. Hanley one of its representatives on the board of education, and W. S. Herrington, K. C., town solicitor.

Mrs. George Gurney died at Watertown, N.Y., on January 10th. She was a sister-in-law of Mrs. William Osborne, Napanee, and also of Mrs. L. Moore and Mrs. William Gallagher, Dorland.

William R. McCallum, born in Lanark, in 1801, who went with his parents when four years old to Minneapolis, is dead at Grand Forks, from heart trouble, resulting in partial paralysis.

Since going to the far western states C. A. Crawford, Deseronto, has been prospering. He is now general auditor and bank examiner for the Marcus Daly estate, with headquarters in Butte, Mont.

Samuel Brown, at one time in the Tribune office, Deseronto, but now a successful telegrapher in the great North-West Territories, is in town on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Brown, Deseronto.

On Sunday Samuel Russel announced in the Presbyterian Sunday school that owing to his early departure from Deseronto to reside in Belleville, he desired to resign his position as superintendent of the school.

Miss Jane M. Dowsley, Brockville, suddenly expired on Thursday while sitting in her room. She had been a sufferer from heart disease for some time. Deceased was a prominent member of the W. C. T. U. and an active member of the First Presbyterian church.

Brockville fears the removal of Geo. McKay, the popular teller of the Bank of Toronto there, whose transfer is spoken of unofficially. He is one of the strongest forwards on the Federal Hockey team. The man named to succeed him is "Bobby" Gray, also prominent in hockey circles.

Latimer Locals.

Latimer, Jan. 12.—A load of young people attended the pie social at J. Darling's, Inverary, on Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. William Mustard, Pamelia, N.Y., spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor. Miss Ethel O'Connor, Murvale, having spent a few days with Miss Sadie Sherman, has returned home. Miss Pearl Taylor, having taught school at Ardoch the past term, is spending her holidays at her parents' home, as also is little Miss May, who has been attending high school at Sydenham. Mr. and Mrs. R. Lyon and daughter, Edna, spent a few days at Opinicon. Mr. and Mrs. E. Caresly of Cataraqui, spent Sunday at P. Edward's. The newly elected councillors are: John Taylor, J. E. Anglin, S. Makins, and A. Ritchie; reeve, J. Sherman.

Hinchinbrook Council.

Piccadilly, Jan. 9.—Reeve, C. D. Godfrey; councillors, R. A. Hamilton, T. J. Duffy, and James Jeffrey qualified; P. Dwire, not present. On motion, Duffy-Jeffrey, $20 granted to Kingston General Hospital. On motion Jeffrey-Duffy, J. Hamilton and C. Godfrey, appointed auditors and J. McMahon appointed assessor, at $40. J. E. Campbell appointed member of board of health for three years, and Dr. Genge appointed medical officer for 1905. Adjourned to meet at Parham, February 25th.

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Nine Persons Out of Ten Have Kidney Trouble—Warner's Safe Cure is the Only Positive Cure.

There are thousands of men and women going about the world today with kidney trouble, who are apt to die at any moment of Bright's disease, diabetes or blood poison.

They evidently enjoy being sick and subject to sudden death, because they don't or won't even take the trouble to find out what's the matter with them.

Some of them don't suffer enough—they think it's "nothing much and will wear off of itself." Kidney disease never cures itself.

Others have doctored so much and are so completely discouraged that they have made up their minds there is no hope for them anyway; the doctor has told them they must die, and at last they believe him.

And yet thousands upon thousands every year, even in the most advanced stages of kidney trouble, when too sick and weak to move in bed, even when the shades of death are hovering near, have been cured—literally snatched from the grave — by Warner Safe Cure.

LOOK TO YOUR KIDNEYS.

If the morning urine becomes cloudy, containing a brick dust sediment, or if particles float about in it when it stands in a glass or bottle 24 hours, it is absolutely certain evidence that your kidneys have been diseased for months. You need Warner Safe Cure, and need it quickly. It will purify, tone-up and strengthen the kidneys, so that they will do their work properly, and then you will feel and look well all through.

Don't tamper with your kidneys by delay; don't snuff out the last chance of permanent cure by taking the dangerous, useless doctrines sold as "kidney cures." Warner Safe Cure is the only scientific, certain cure. It's recommended by doctors, and sold by druggists everywhere at $1.00 a bottle. You should have our medical booklet; it's free.

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To convince every sufferer from diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and blood, that Warner's Safe Cure will cure them, a trial bottle will be sent absolutely free, postpaid to any address. Also free doctor's advice, and a medical booklet which tells all about these diseases, with a prescription for each, and contains many of the thousands of testimonials received daily from grateful patients who have been cured by Safe Cure. All you have to do is write Warner's Safe Cure Co., 44 Lombard St., Toronto, Ont., and mention name of this paper. The genuineness of this offer is guaranteed by the publisher.

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When you feel sick, tired and run-down do not, as you value your future health, dose yourself with some liquid preparation, the alcohol and drugs in which act like a whip upon a tired and run-down horse. It keeps him going but does not improve his condition. The horse needs condition powders, not a whip. You need a medicine to build up your system, not a stimulant.

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MASSACRE IN CONGO.

Whites Said To Have Been Murdered.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—According to private advices received by the Tagliische Bundschau from missionary sources, an uprising of natives has occurred in the Congo Free State. The locus of the trouble is in the Mongolia district in the upper reaches of the Congo river, where, it is reported, all the whites have been murdered. Catholic missionaries and missions are said to have suffered especially.

The A-Babua tribe of native troops is said to have mutinied and killed its officers, the American mission has been stormed and the posts of the Kasai company destroyed.

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