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COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Cotton futures opened steady; Jan. 8.90, Feb. 8.90, March 8.91, April 8.90, May 8.92, July 8.94, Aug. 8.90 to 8.92, Oct. 8.86.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Wall Street.—Opening prices of stocks were not much changed as a rule from last night, but the tone was very irregular and the trading active. Running sales of 2,600 shares of Consolidated Gas were made at 140 to 138 1/2 and the price subsequently broke to 138 1/2 compared with 141 at the close last night. N. Y. C. advanced 1 1/2 and Penna. a point.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.)

St. John, Jan. 5.

Mon. Tues.

C. O. P. Noon.

Anal. Copper	52 1/2	53	53 1/2
Anacosta	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Am. Smelt and Rfr.	31 1/2	32	32 1/2
Am. Car. Foundry	49	49 1/2	49 1/2
Am. Woolen	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Atchafalpa	106	107	107 1/2
Am. Loco.	56	57	57 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	110 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Brook. Exp. Trst.	69 1/2	70	70 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Can. Pac.	170 1/2	170 1/2	170 1/2
Chi. and Alton	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Chi. and Gt. West.	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Colo. P. and Iron	40	41 1/2	41 1/2
Con. Gas	141	140	140 1/2
Erie	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Erie 1 Pfd.	50 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Erie 2 Pfd.	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Ill. Central	143	143 1/2	143 1/2
Kan. and Texas	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Gr. Northern Pfd.	144 1/2	147	147 1/2
Miss. Pac.	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
N. Y. C.	70	70	70 1/2
Nor. and West.	85 1/2	86	86 1/2
N. Y. Central	128 1/2	130	129 1/2
Ont. and West.	48	48	48 1/2
Reading	141 1/2	141 1/2	141 1/2
St. Paul	158 1/2	159	159 1/2
Southern Pac.	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
Union Pac.	141 1/2	141 1/2	141 1/2
National Lead	74	74	74 1/2
Texas Pac.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
U. S. Steel	181 1/2	181 1/2	181 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
Wabash	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Wabash Pfd.	49	50	50 1/2
Total sales in New York yesterday, 1,640,500 shares.			

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Mon. Tues.

C. O. P. Noon.

May Corn	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Wheat	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Oats	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Pork	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
July Corn	61 1/2	62	62 1/2
Wheat	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Oats	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Sept. Corn	62	62	62 1/2
Wheat	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

C. O. P. Noon.

Dom. Coal	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Dom. I and S.	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Dom. I and S. Pfd.	70	70	70 1/2
S. S. Steel	178	178	178 1/2
C. P. R.	113	113	113 1/2
Twin City	98	98	98 1/2
Montreal Power	113 1/2	114	114 1/2
Rich. and Ont. N. Y.	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Tol. Ry. and L.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Ill. Tr. Pfd.	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Mon. Tues.

C. O. P. Noon.

January	8.92	8.92	8.92
March	8.92	8.91	8.88
May	8.92	8.92	8.90
July	8.91	8.91	8.90

J. M. ROBINSON AND SONS

(Private Wire Telegram.)

Shawing—200000.

Nipissing—100000.

Mohawk—150000.

Woods—100000.

Tele. 250144, 6014.

Bel. Telephone—200000, 20138, 50140.

Dom. Iron—200774, 1078, 500774.

Richfield and Ont.—200774, 1078, 500774.

Textile Bonds—C 250000.

Illinois—Pfd—500000, 910000.

Pave—1210 1/2, 01 1/2, 614 1/2, 04.

Powers—116014, 600115.

Tol. Ry.—200774.

Dom. Cotton Bonds—200000.

Dom. Iron—200134.

MRS. BEISEL ADMITS

SHOOTING CAPT. ERB

MEDIA, Pa., Jan. 5.—Mrs. Catherine Beisel continued direct testimony today in the trial of herself and her sister, Mrs. Florence Erb, who are charged with the murder of J. C. Erb, in her testimony yesterday. Mrs. Beisel corroborated the story of Mrs. Erb, who testified that her husband had treated her cruelly and that the shooting was the outcome of Captain Erb's temper. Mrs. Beisel admits shooting the captain. It is expected the case will go to the jury Wednesday or Thursday.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 4

The body of Father John of Kronstadt, who died two days ago was brought into St. Petersburg this afternoon. Thousands of followers of the noted priest had gathered at Oranienbaum near Kronstadt for the funeral service. The garrison at Kronstadt turned out to honor the dead priest and two regiments were on hand to handle the crowd. The cathedral where the body was exposed was kept open all night and long lines of people filed through to pay their last respects.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4

—An extended advance of four in Missouri Pacific was the feature of the opening trade. Penna. Ont. and Western and Consolidated Gas gained one and one-half each. A large fraction, N. Y. C. fell back 1/4 after its violent advance on Saturday.

WHITE GETS THREE YEARS FOR ESCAPING FROM CHAIN GANG

THE CIRCUIT COURT OPENED THIS MORNING

at 11 o'clock, at the court house. His Honor Mr. Justice Landry presided in the absence of Judge Hamilton who is ill. There was only one criminal case before the court, the King vs. John White. The prisoner was charged in the indictment with having escaped from the chain gang on two occasions, October 12th and December 14th last.

He was found guilty and sentenced to three years in Dorchester penitentiary.

The civil docket consisted of one case, Underfoot Stoker Co. Ltd. vs. James Reedy. This case was over until the 18th instant, at 3 p. m., when it will be tried before Judge Landry with a jury.

The grand jury retired and elected Joseph A. Likely, foreman. His honor read the law relating to the grand jury and the jury retired to consider the case.

He thought that the jury would have no difficulty in finding a true bill, in conclusion his honor wished the members of the grand jury a happy and prosperous New Year. The grand jury then retired and after being out about fifteen minutes, reported that they had found a true bill. Mr. Likely, the foreman, on behalf of the jury, thanked his honor for his good wishes and gratefully returned the compliment.

On motion of Attorney General Hussey for the Crown, the prisoner White was brought into court and arraigned. He pleaded not guilty.

The Attorney General opened for the case, and briefly stated the facts of the case, and quoted the law as to what constitutes an escape from custody.

The Attorney General then suddenly discovered that the court stenographer

GLASGOW MURDER SUSPECT CAUGHT

New York Police Nab Man With a Crooked Nose

A BRUTAL CRIME

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—A murder in Glasgow, Scotland, developed an American chapter yesterday when Oscar Slater was arrested as the liner Lusitania docked. The arrest was made at a warrant issued by United States Commissioner Shields at the instance of Courtney N. Bennett, British consul general in this city. Slater, who sailed under the name of Otto Sando, or Sando, was easily recognized by the British consul. He is a German, 37 years old, and has a prominent nose with a noticeable crook in it. He was accompanied by a tall French woman who he says is his wife. She is detained at Ellis Island.

On December 21st Miss Marjorie Gill, 30 years old, who lived alone with her mother at 15 Queen's terrace, West Princes street, Glasgow, was murdered. She was found lying on the floor of her room, her head broken by a blow from a heavy object. The body was found by a maid who was on duty at the time. The murder was a brutal crime, and the police are doing their best to catch the murderer.

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