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CURRENT PRICES OF NEW YORK MARKET

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	Previous	High	Low	Close
Am Cop.	71¼	72⅛	71⅝	71⅞
Am Beet Sug.	37	....	....	....
Am C and F.	52¾	....	....	....
Am Loco.	39	....	....	....
Am S and R.	71⅝	72⅛	71⅝	72
Am T and T.	133¼	....	....	....
Am Sug.	35	....	....	....
An Cop.	37	37½	37⅛	37½
Atchison.	104¾	105¼	105	105¼
B and O.	102⅛	102¼	102	102⅛
B R T.	....	90¾	89¾	90¾
C P R.	242¾	242⅞	242½	242¾
C and O.	77½	77⅝	77	77⅝
C and St P.	112½	....	....	....
Col F and I.	33⅞	....	....	....
Chino Cop.	42⅜	43	42¾	43
Con Gas.	137¾	....	....	....
D and H.	166	....	....	....
Erie.	31	31	30¾	31
Gen Elec.	141¾	142	142	142
Gr Nor Pfd.	127⅞	128⅝	127⅞	127⅞
Ill Cent.	124⅝	124⅞	124⅞	124⅞
Int Met.	17⅜	18½	17¾	18⅜
L and N.	138½	139	138¾	138¾
Lehigh Val.	160¾	....	....	....
Nev Con.	....	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
M K and T.	27	....	....	....
Miss Pac.	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼
N Y Cent.	107	107½	107¼	107½
NY, O and W.	31½	....	....	....
Nor Pac.	118½	118⅝	118⅜	118⅝
N and W.	112	....	....	....
Pac Mail.	....	30.	30	30
Penn.	122⅛	122⅛	122⅛	122⅛
Reading.	164½	165⅛	164½	164¾
Rep I and S.	24	....	....	....
Rock Isld.	22⅜	22⅝	22⅜	22⅝
So Pac.	105¼	105⅜	105⅛	105⅜
Soo.	138¼	....	....	....
Sou Ry.	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
Utah Cop.	54⅝	55	54⅞	54⅞
Un Pac.	158⅛	159¼	158½	159¼
U S Rub.	65	65½	65½	65½
U S Stl.	63⅛	63⅞	63¼	63¾
U S Stl Pfd.	109⅜	109½	109⅜	109½
Vir Chem.	37¾	....	....	....
West Union.	72½	....	....	....
West Elec.	74¼	73	72½	72¾

THE BOSTON CURB.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co., St. John, N. B.

	Bid.	Ask.
Zinc	30	⅛
East Butte	13½	14
North Butte	30½	⅞
Lake	20	¼
U. S. Smelting	41¼	¾
Franklin	7½	8
First National	2¼	5-16
Trinity	5	⅛
Davis	1¾	⅞
Isle Royale	28½	29
United Mining	10¼	½
Quincy	73	74
Osceola	96	98
United Fruit	177¾	179
Granby	68½	69

NEW YORK COTTON RANGE.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co., St. John, N. B.

	High	Low	Close.
Jan.	12.76	59	73—75
Mar.	12.41	27	34—35
May	12.26	11	20—21
June	12.02	02	12.05 bid
July	12.14	11.99	12.09—11
Aug.	1200	11.90	11.98—12
Sept.	11.53	53	51—53
Oct.	11.46	34	44—45
Dec.	11.40	38	46—48

Spot—13.05.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co., St. John, N. B.

New York, Jan. 25.—The cotton market ignored the lower Liverpool quotes this morning and developed renewed strength at the outset. Spot houses continued to buy on a liberal scale and while the short interest at large remained stubborn it nevertheless showed signs of real nervousness. Strong interests appear to be behind the market at this level and the spot people in particular appear to be confident in their purchases. A few days more of this sustained buying would likely frighten a good portion of the short interest and cause a substantial advance. We favor buying contracts at this level or on slight reactions.

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CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co., St. John, N. B.

New York, Jan. 25.—A somewhat better feeling prevailed in today's stock market although this did not spread far and the dealings were still confined largely to the professionals. The absence of further unsettling news and the impression that the bear factors which have been persistently harped upon for so long were beginning to get stale, caused a fair volume of cautionary short covering. Many unbiased observers opined that in the event of any definitely favorable happenings the market would enjoy a substantial recovery. The adjournment of the Pujo committee is near at hand and with this relief afforded and a settlement of the Balkan difficulty the market might have a turn for the better.

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DAY'S SALES ON MONTREAL MARKET

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Saturday's Sales.

Cement, 21 @ 28.
Cement Pfd., 10 @ 93, 100 @ 92 3-4, 10 @ 93.
C. P. R., 5 @ 242 1-2, 15 @ 242 3-4, 3 @ 242 7-8.
Detroit, 25 @ 79 3-4, 50 @ 79 7-8, 25 @ 79 3-4, 50 @ 79 7-8, 50 @ 79 3-4, 225 @ 79 7-8, 25 @ 79 3-4.
General Electric, 10 @ 116 1-4.
Canners, 190 @ 76 1-2, 50 @ 76.
Toronto Railway, 1 @ 143 1-2.
Textile, 10 @ 82 1-2, 4 @ 83, 100 @ 82.
C. P. R. Rights, 1-3 @ 20, 1-10 @ 20 1-3 @ 20, 2 1-10 @ 20, 90 @ 19 1-4, 3 1-3 @ 18, 2 2-3 @ 20, 25 @ 18, 1 @ 20, 1 1-3 @ 20, 150 @ 17 1-2, 1 1-3 @ 20 1-2.
Bell Phone Rights, 6 @ 9 1-2, 3 @ 9 3-8, 9 @ 9 1-4, 1 @ 9 1-2, 1 @ 9 3-8, 3 @ 9 3-8, 2 @ 9 1-2, 12 @ 9 3-8, 200 @ 9 1-4, 4 @ 9 3-8, 73 @ 9 1-4, 4 @ 9 1-2.
Illinois Pfd., 5 @ 91.
Textile Pfd., 5 @ 103 1-2.
Tucketts, 25 @ 59.
Crown Reserve, 25 @ 356, 100 @ 358, 60 @ 360, 200 @ 358, 10 @ 360, 110 @ 358, 50 @ 359.
Dominion Steel, 4 @ 56 1-4.
Montreal Power, 485 @ 237.
Bell Tel., 3 @ 155.
Soo Railway, 2 @ 138.
Ogilvie, 1 @ 128.
Ottawa Power, 65 @ 190, 25 @ 190 1-2, 50 @ 191.
Packers, 25 @ 158 1-4, 85 @ 158 1-2 50 @ 159, 25 @ 158 3-8, 25 @ 158 1-2.
Lake of the Woods, 20 @ 142 1-2.
Paint, 6 @ 60 1-2, 25 @ 60.
Paint Pfd., 15 @ 102.
Penman's, 15 @ 57 1-2.
Rich. and Ontario, 10 @ 118, 25 @ 117 3-4, 10 @ 118.
Pulp, 25 @ 232.
Coal Pfd., 55 @ 112.
Winnipeg, 25 @ 216 3-4, 10 @ 216 1-2
Spanish River, 15 @ 69 1-2.
Spanish River Pfd., 6 @ 97, 3 @ 96 1-2.
Twin City, 25 @ 107 1-2.
Tookes Pfd., 5 @ 92.
Dominion Iron Bonds, 1,000 @ 94 1-4 9,000 @ 95.
Molson's Bank, 14 @ 203.
Bank D'Hochelaga, 7 @ 159.
Merchants Bank, 3 @ 196 1-4, 7 @ 197, 35 @ 197 1-2.
Bank of Montreal, 4 @ 244 1-2, 20 @ 245.
Royal Bank of Canada, 5 @ 223.
Bank of New Brunswick, 31 @ 273 1-4.
Bank of Nova Scotia, 6 @ 265, 10 @ 265 1-2.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

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	Ask	Bid
Can. Cement	28	27¾
Can. Pac.	242⅝	242½
Crown Reserve	360	35 5
Detroit United	79⅞	79¾
Dom. Steel	56⅝	56¼
Dom. Textile	82¼	82
Mex. L. and P.	82	80
Minn., St. P. and S.	139	138¾
Mont. Power	237	236⅝
N. S. Steel	86	85
Ogilvie Com.	128	127
Ottawa Power	191	190½
Penman's Com.	58	57½
Porto Rico		70½
Quebec Railway	18	16¼
Rich. and Ont.	117⅞	117½
Shawinigan	146¾	143½
Toronto Railway	144	142
Twin City	107¾	107½

CLOSING LETTER.

Furnished by F. B. McCurdy and Co., Members of Montreal Stock Exchange.

Montreal, Jan. 25.—The local market after showing some hesitancy around the opening improved steadily as the morning went on and as a result the closing was fairly strong. In the early trading orders were confined almost entirely to the power stocks among them being Montreal Power, Detroit United and Brazilian Traction. After the first hour, however, there was more general buying throughout the list and as orders were filled prices advanced very easily. Ottawa Power, which had been off to 189, gained to 191.

Merchants Bank which had been showing considerable activity for some time past showed signs of steady accumulation, gaining from 196 1-4 to 197 1-2. The strength in this stock is thought to indicate an early issue of additional capital but before this is made a higher dividend rate will be announced.

B. C. Packers continued to find an advancing market and made a new high level for the present movement at 159 later selling at 158 1-2. During the past couple of days B. C. Packers preferred Class A. has advanced to the same level as Packers common.

Buying of Crown Reserve which has been on a very large scale for some time past continued throughout the session, the stock gaining from 356 to 360. The stock has been receiving considerable general attention as a result of the information that the old Crown Reserve property itself had as much ore left in it as had been taken out.

Detroit United, as a result of being recommended by some of the older firms again sold up to 80, with most of the trading during the morning at 79 3-4. The annual meeting of the company will be held on February 4th and the opinion on the local street is that at the time the directors will announce an increase in the dividend from a five to a six per cent. rate.

In the unlisted department practically all transactions in Brazilian were at 98 1-2. National Brick ruled strong at 65 3-4 to 66.

F. B. McCURDY & CO.

A Serious Fire.

Trenton, Ont., Jan. 25.—A fire which broke out early this morning in the dry goods store of Sutcliffe, completely destroyed two business buildings and the entire block was for some time in danger of devastation. The damage is estimated at $100,000.

BETTER TONE IN SATURDAY'S MARKET

New York, N. Y., Jan. 25.—A better tone prevailed during today's brief session of the stock exchange. Trading was conducted in a cautious way, but there was none of the depression of yesterday, and such small changes as were recorded were for the most part in the direction of a higher level. The improvement was traceable to the steadier tone in the foreign markets, and consequent lightening of the adverse influences from that source, which yesterday took the form of selling by London and Berlin. Domestic conditions were little changed.

The narrow and hesitating movement at the opening reflected the uncertainty of traders, but as the session advanced the tone hardened. The upward movement in most cases was confined within fractional limits. The local traction issues were the strong features of the list, Interborough Common and Preferred and Brooklyn gaining 1 to 2 points on expectations of a speedy conclusion of the subway negotiations.

Judge Garry's denial of rumors that the Steel Corporation would dissolve voluntarily seemed to relieve the pressure which has been directed recently against steel. The effect of the heavy outflow of gold to France and Argentine was shown in today's bank statement. Although cash continued to come in from the interior during the week in undiminished volume, the gain from this source was almost offset by gold exports, and the actual table showed a cash gain by the banks of $300,000 much the smallest of several weeks. Figures elsewhere were scaled down, the increase in loans and deposits being considerably smaller.

Bonds were firm with the local traction issues higher. Total sales, par value, $1,306,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call for the week.

MARITIME PROVINCE SECURITIES.

Quotations Furnished by F. B. McCurdy & Co., Stock and Bond Brokers 105 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

Miscellaneous.

	Ask	Bid
Acadia Fire	100	98
Acadia Sugar Pfd.	103	100
Acadia Sugar Ord.	70	60
Brand.-Henderson Com.	25	20
C. B. Elec. Com.	80	77
East. Can. Sav. and Loan	140	136
Eastern Trust	150	145
Halifax Fire	100	98
Hewson P. W. Textile Pfd. with bonus of Com. stock	100	98
Mar. Tel. and Tele. Com.	84	80
Mar. Tel and Tele. Pfd.	106	102
North Atlantic Fisheries Pfd. with stock bonus	100	98
N. B. Telephone	110	106
N. S. Car 1st Pfd.	94	90
N. S. Car 2nd Pfd.	72	67
N. S. Car 3rd Pfd.	50	43
N. S. Car Com.	37	30
N. S. Clay Works Pfd.	93½	89
N. S. Clay Works Com.	40	30
N. S. Fire	100	90
Stanfields Ltd., Pfd.	105	102
Stanfields Ltd., Com.	70	68
Trin. Cons. Tel. Com.	40	32
Trin. Electric	73	.....

Bonds.

Brand. Henderson 6's.	96	.....
C. B. Elec. 5's.	95½	93
Chronicle 6's	....	99
Hewson Pure Wool Tex. 6's with bonus.	102	100
Mar. Tele. 6's	108	105
N. S. Stl 1st Mort. 5's.	94½	92½
N. S. Stl Deb. Stock.	105	101
Stanfields Ltd. 6's.	102½	100
Trin Tele. 6's.	100	98
Trin. Elec. 5's.	92	88

N. Y. BANK STATEMENT.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co.

Average—

Loans inc.	$20,230,000
Specie inc.	7,541,000
Legal tenders dec.	1,633,000
Deposits inc.	14,956,000
Reserve inc.	1,470,000

Actual—

Loans inc.	13,334,000
Specie inc.	3,359,000
Legal tenders, inc.	148,000
Deposits inc.	6,436,000
Reserve inc.	361,000

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PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Jan. 25.—OATS—Canadian Western No. 2, 41 1-2 @ 42; No. 3, 40 1-2 @ 41; extra No. 1 feed, 41 @ 41 1-2; No. 2 local white, 38; No. 3 local white, 37; No. 4 local white, 36.

FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, $5.40; seconds, $4.90; strong bakers, $4.70; winter patents choice, $5.35; straight rollers, $4.95; @ $5.00; straight rollers bags, $2.30 @ $2.35.

MILLFEED—Bran $20; shorts $22; middlings, $27; mouillie, $30 @ $35.

HAY No. 2, per ton car lots $13.50 @ $14.50.

POTATOES, 65 @ 70.

THE BOSTON CLOSE.

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	Asked.	Bid.
Arizona Commi	3½	3⅜
Boston Corbin	6	5½
Cal and Ariz	66½	66⅛
Cal and Hecla	500	492
Centennial	17	16½
Daly West	4	3½
East Butte	14	13½
Franklin	8	7½
Granby	69	68½
Greene Cananea	9	8¾
Giroux	3½	3⅜
Hancock	21½	21¼
Helvetia	75	....
Indiana	15	14½
Inspiration	17½	16½
Isle Royale	29	28½
LaSalle Copper	4¾	4⅝
Lake Copper	20¼	20
Michigan	2	1½
Miami	24½	24
Mass Gas Cos	93	92¾
Mass Elec Cos Pfd	76	75½
Nipissing	9	8⅝
North Butte	30⅞	30½
Old Dominion	49	48¾
Osceola	98	96
Quincy	74	73
Sup and Boston	2¾	2⅝
Shoe Machy	49	48
Shoe Machy Pfd	28	27½
Superior Copper	31	30½
Swift	105⅝	105¼
Tamarack	31½	31
Utah Cons	10½	10¼
U. S. M. and Smeltg Pfd	49¾	49
U. Utah Apex	2¼	2
United Fruit	179	177¾
Winona	3¾	3
Wolverine	67¾	67
Alaska	14	13¾

BOSTON CURB STOCKS.

Bay State Gas	22	21
Boston Ely	95	90
Chief	1 9-16	1½
Calaveras	3⅜	3
Castus	10	8
First National	2¾	2 5-16
LaRose	3½	3
Ohio	1 1-16	1

ALBERT NEWS

Albert, Jan. 24—James Wilson, who was struck on the head while working in the woods in New Ireland, is still in an unconscious condition with small hopes of recovery. Dr. J. E. McCarnwath is attending the unfortunate man with Miss Lena Jones as nurse.

The funeral of the late David Oliver took place today at Waterside, Rev. J. M. Love conducting the services.

The Salisbury and Albert Railway time table is expected to change on February 5th, leaving Albert at 10 a. m., returning at 6 p. m. This change is due to the dissatisfaction caused by the present schedule as the long wait at Salisbury is very inconvenient to the travelling public especially commercial travellers.

Mrs. Archibald Downing and daughter, Jessie, have returned from a visit to Moncton.

G. D. Prescott, M. P. P., left this week for a few days' visit to St. John and Eastport, Me.

G. Loggie of Chatham, Bank of Nova Scotia inspector, was in Riverside on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

A carload of iron arrived yesterday to be used in the construction of the new Memel bridge near Hopewell Hill.

The funeral of the late James Bishop took place today at Cape Station. Rev. R. D. McCully of Hillsborough conducted the service. Mr. Bishop was nearly 80 years of age and had been suffering from an attack of grippe. He died at the home of Edmund Bishop. His wife died several years ago. He leaves one son, Alex. Bishop of the I. C. R. works, Moncton.

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GOOD ADVICE.

"I was visiting my married sister in Toledo last week," relates "Buck" Hawes. "She's got a three-year-old kid, and, while I am fairly fond of children, I am a bachelor and somewhat set in my ways. I was rather dismayed, therefore, when my sister proposed leaving me in the house with the child one afternoon. And here's what she said:

"Don't put yourself to a bit of trouble—he can take care of himself. See that he doesn't climb up to the pantry shelves and keep an eye on him so that he won't get into any mischief. He won't annoy you. Don't let him go down the cellar and watch that he doesn't get hold of the books in the library, and he'll amuse himself all right. If he cries, give him a cooky, and if that doesn't stop him, ride him on your back. But don't let him bother you a bit. I'll be home in an hour!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE UNEXPECTED.

"Ezra, the man who saved your life by pulling you out of the water yesterday, is at the door."

"Confound his cheek! He's after money of course. But he hasn't any claim. Did you tell him that? He can't get a cent out of me—not a cent. If he wants to go around diving into rivers for drowning people, that's his business. I didn't ask him to do it. He can sue me if he thinks it worth while. I don't care. Look here. Here's a dollar for him—tell him that's in full of all claims. Maybe you'd better get a receipt."

"He hasn't come for money."

"Eh! He hasn't? What does he want?"

"Why, he just dropped in to say that if he'd known it was you who fell in the river he'd have let you drown."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; of what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eructations of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes, it's promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.