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STANLEY'S ACCUSER.

Lieut. Westmark Arrives in the City and Exposes the Faults of the Great African Explorer.

A splendid specimen of manhood, over 6 feet in height, broad-shouldered, erect of frame, yet supple, with a fine earnest countenance, clear gray eyes, honest in expression, entered The World office yesterday and introduced himself as Lieutenant Westmark, a Swedish officer, who had served the King of the Belgians on the Congo, under H. M. Stanley.

Lieut. Westmark has seen much of life in tropical Africa, has been "an instrument of civilization in the dark continent," and he is far from satisfied with the methods pursued in the name of civilization by the whites in their treatment of the blacks. He speaks of nothing he has not seen, but even so he has to tell of the most hideous immorality practised by white officials; of atrocious cruelties systematically carried on by commanders of expeditions and governors; of slave-dealing, not merely slave-holding, but slave buying and slave selling of the worst character by white officers, who are supposed to be working hard to stamp out slavery.

In order to make the impression he desires, Lieut. Westmark frankly declares that he selected the most shining mark as the object of his attack. He declares that Mr. H. M. Stanley, the foremost African leader of his day, is also foremost among those leaders who have been guilty of the crimes which he declares are a disgrace and a hindrance in Africa to civilization.

Of the five years which Lieut. Westmark spent in east tropical Africa, fifteen months were spent as an officer of the Congo Free State, under Mr. H. M. Stanley. For two months he was under Mr. Stanley's personal supervision at his own station, coming into contact with him daily, for the remainder of the time he was at other stations.

His gravest charge against Mr. Stanley is of having allowed his native servant to buy and sell slaves. This servant, while under Mr. Stanley's eye, was guilty of making money out of the sale of a young slave for concubinage. He asserts that Mr. Stanley's "boy" bought a beautiful young African girl, an "Eve noire," on the Upper Congo for a few yards of calico and sold her for immoral purposes to an officer named Vangele for £30 "paid by cheque upon the Bank of London." Lieut. Westmark says that some of the officials of the company were, with the implied consent of the Governor, Mr. Stanley, openly and excessively immoral in their relations with the black women. Mr. Stanley himself was utterly free from this vice, though he tolerated it in others.

Of Sir F. de Winton, aide-de-camp to the Marquis of Lorne, when Governor-General in Canada, who succeeded Mr. Stanley as the Governor of the Congo Free State, Lieut. Westmark speaks in high terms, as he does also of Weismann, whom he knows only by repute.

Lieut. Westmark will lecture on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Liederkranz upon the subject, "Fifteen months with the cannibals of the Upper Congo."

WISHED TO DIE TOGETHER.

Man and Wife Decide To Take Each Other's Life.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 19.—John Benkert and wife, an aged couple residing at Rosedale, Baltimore County, agreed to die together. With a keen-edged razor he severed the arteries of her wrists, and she took the weapon and performed a like deed for him. The wife is dead, and the husband's life hangs by a thread.

Too Many Hotels.

At the meeting of the East York License commissioners a lengthy petition was presented by Rev. J. R. Johnston on behalf of a deputation composed of Reeve Stephenson and B. Morton of East Toronto. The petition stated that there are seven hotels licensed to sell intoxicating liquors in the immediate neighborhood of the village, while in the whole township over which the commissioners have jurisdiction there are only 10, four being practically within the bounds of East Toronto, viz., Empringham's, Hackett's, Bill's and Crow's; two but little removed, about a quarter of a mile from the boundary, Woodruff's and Bates', and one within a mile of the same, viz., Heber's or the Dutch Farm. That the first named four are for the most part where they are in order to take advantage of the close proximity of the citizens of East Toronto, and not for the accommodation or convenience of the municipality granting the license and receiving the fees, which is an injustice and wrong, and acting as a menace to the young men and a constant dread to children and ladies. That if East Toronto's boundaries were extended a very little four of those hotels would have to be removed. The petition also asked that the number of licenses be reduced to a number in accordance with reasonable requirements; and that the remaining licenses be located at points within the township not already provided. The rev. gentleman was patiently listened to, but the commissioners did not appear to be benefited much, as the old licenses were all granted.

Opposed to Bicycles.

Editor World: The writer feels impelled by the seriousness of the matter to ask you to publish a few remarks re the bicycle question, from which you will conclude that there are many interested persons who draw totally different conclusions to yours in regard to restricting bylaws.

In many parts of the city, especially along College-street west and other remote well-paved streets where policemen are scarce, serious accidents are very narrowly averted many times a day owing to racing on the "silent steeds," and especially at dusk women and children are in constant danger therefrom at every street crossing.

I therefore think, as do, I am sure, many others, that the absence of bells or gongs will yet bring death to some happy home that the laws of the country are framed to protect.

And should such an accident occur would you not feel in a measure responsible?

Further, in the event of such accident, why should a poor man be obliged to incur heavy (to him) law fees in order to bring a rider of bicycles to justice, the culprit may be worth nothing. I am sure most people will agree that a law should be framed and the careless rider liable to a fine. J. BELL.

The Fee Commission.

Editor World: There seems to be an impression that there is no alternative from appointment of sheriffs and registrars and other officials by Government except to elect them by vote of the people. There is, however, another course free from the objectionable features of both, namely, that the appointments should be made by a council of the judges of the Supreme Court of Judicature of Ontario. The mode of making the selection, judging of qualification and fitness for the office and other details to be regulated by rules to be framed by the judges.

Toronto, April 19, 1894. CIVIS.

If your children are troubled with worms give them Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator—safe, sure and effectual. Try it and mark the improvement in your child.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

There was a short meeting of the Council of Board of Trade yesterday. A communication from the Inland Revenue Department re grain standards was read. Messrs. Frank Rolph, R. J. Hovenden, E. G. Perine and William L. Brock were elected members of the board.

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A telegram from Mr. D. E. Thomson, who is in Ottawa looking after the interest of Toronto with regard to the Insolvency bill, states that a Senate Committee has been organized for the discussion of the proposed measure.

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The Chicago wheat market yesterday was very irregular. There was a good deal of selling around 60c for May, when The Price Current came out with the statement that the injury to the crop was less than had been anticipated. A good feature is the large exports, about 900,000 bushels from three ports. Ontario wheat is very firm, with higher prices yesterday than for some weeks.

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Business failures in Canada are more numerous this week. According to R. G. Dun & Co. there were 45 for the week, as compared with 34 last week and 26 the previous week. The number in Ontario is 26, Quebec 14, N.S. 2, N.B. 2 and B.C. 1.

Drop in Oil and Turpentine.

For the second time since the changes were made in the tariff there has been a decline in the price of both turpentine and linseed oil.

Turpentine is now quoted at 46c Toronto, Hamilton, London and Guelph, with 2c added for delivery at outside points, and linseed oil at 54 1-2c for raw and 57 1-2c for boiled.

While, however, the market here is lower on turpentine prices in the south, from whence Toronto gets her supplies, are advancing. And the reason thereof is reposed in the fact that the naval store factors in Georgia have formed a combination.

Horseshoe Nail Men Organize.

Horseshoe nails have been one of the few staple articles in the hardware trade which have not heretofore been controlled by an association. But it will be so no longer, the manufacturers having met a few days ago and formed themselves into an organization.

The first fruit of the formation of the association is an advance of about 20 per cent. in price.

The advance was unexpected and caught the jobbers with light stocks on hand to fill orders booked.

Frank Losee Sues the City.

Frank Losee, the young man who was arrested in connection with the Williams horse episode, has issued a writ against the city for damages for false arrest.

AMONG THE FLOCKS of people who visit the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N.Y., are many who are sent there, by those who have already, from personal experience, learned of the great

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DIVIDEND NO. 69.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital stock of the company has been declared for the current half year, payable on and after the first day of June next, at the office of the company, corner of Victoria and Adelaide-streets, Toronto.

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to 31st May, inclusive.

Notice is also given that the general annual meeting of the company will be held at 2 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, June the 5th, at the office of the company, for the purpose of receiving the annual report, the election of directors, etc.

By the order of the Board.

S. C. WOOD,
Managing Director.

Toronto, 19th April, 1894.

THE DOMINION BANK.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of Five Per Cent. and a bonus of One Per Cent. upon the Capital Stock of this institution has this day been declared for the current half-year, and that the same will be payable at the Banking House in this city on and after

Tuesday, the 1st Day of May Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th April next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting

of the Shareholders for the election of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House in this city on

Wednesday, the 30th of May Next,

at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.

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Toronto, 28th March, 1894. 5

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CHICAGO WHEAT WEAKER.

NEW YORK STOCKS VERY FIRM IN THE AFTERNOON.

Local Stocks Continue Strong—Money and Exchange is Easy—Small Bank Clearings at Toronto—Provisions at Chicago Heavy at Close—Wheat Cables Steady—Cotton Dull.

THURSDAY EVENING, April 19.

The tone of the stock market continues strong, and fractional gains are reported to-day in several instances.

Bank clearings at Winnipeg this week were $760,139, as against $797,699 last week.

Canadian Pacific very weak, closing in London at 69¾.

Consols are easier, closing at 100⅛ for money and account.

No change was made to-day in Bank of England discount rate, which is 2 per cent. Specie in the bank increased £178,000 during the week.

The regular semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent. has been declared by the Bank of Montreal.

The Freehold Loan Company has declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent.

Bar silver is quoted in New York at 63c per ounce.

The Cincinnati Price Current says that wheat averages are more favorable and the crop less injured by frost than expected.

The exports of wheat and flour from three ports to-day were unusually large, being 863,000 bushels.

Sterling exchange is a little weaker to-day, but it is said that $2,500,000 in gold will be shipped from New York on Saturday.

Toronto Bank Clearings.

The clearings this week are very small, reflecting the dulness of speculation and general trade. Following are the figures, with comparisons:

	Clearings.	Balances.
April 13	$ 864,054	$ 57,797
" 14	733,344	93,994
" 16	572,154	31,571
" 17	934,958	89,616
" 18	911,975	117,697
" 19	869,932	66,085
Totals	$4,884,382	$ 453,030
Last week	5,265,264	776,484
Cor. week, 1893	6,267,281	893,166
Cor. week, 1892	4,911,742	570,076

Money Markets.

Market quiet and rates easy. At Toronto call loans are quoted at 4½ to 5 per cent., at Montreal at 4 1-2, at New York at 1 and at London at 1 to 1¼ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 2 per cent. and the open market rate easier at 1 1-16 per cent.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Securities listed on Toronto, Montreal and New York Stock Exchanges bought and sold for cash or on margin.

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Foreign Exchange.

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BETWEEN BANKS.

	Counter.	Buyers.	Sellers.
New York Funds	⅛ to ¼	1-64 dis. to par	
Sterling, 60 days	9⅞ to 10	9 9-16 to 9⅞	
do. demand	10⅜ to 10⅝	9⅞ to 9 15-16	

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.88	4.87 to 4.87¼
do. demand	4.89½	4.88¼

Toronto Stock Market.

Stocks fairly active to-day, with the tone of the market firm. Toronto, Commerce, Imperial and Hamilton close higher. Incandescent and Telephone very firm.

Morning transactions: Commerce, 10, 70, 50, 170 at 142 1-4. Standard, 10 at 173. Western Assurance, 25 at 151½. Incandescent, 10 at 144½. Telephone, 8 at 151 1-4, 25, 50, 5 at 151 1-2. Canada Permanent (30 p.c.), 100 at 170 1-2.

Afternoon transactions: Hamilton, 25, 15 at 169 1-4. Gas, 30 at 193. Incandescent, 10 at 115. Cable, 25 at 145 5-8, 50 at 145 3-4, 10 at 145 5-8, 7 at 145 7-8, 25 at 145 1-2. Telephone, 25 at 151 3-8.

STOCKS.	1 P.M. Asked	1 P.M. Bid	4 P.M. Asked	4 P.M. Bid
Montreal	230	227	230	227
Ontario	115	113½	115	113½
Molsons	....	....	....	....
Toronto	256	251	....	251¼
Merchants'	170	164	....	164
Commerce	143	142¾	143	142¾
Imperial	190	188	190	188¾
Dominion	283¼	282¼	283¼	282
Standard	174	173½	173½	173½
Hamilton	169½	169	171	169¼
British America	115	112	115	112½
Western Assurance	152	151¼	152½	151¼
Consumers' Gas	193	191	194	193
Dominion Telegraph	....	109	....	109
Northwest Land Co.	70	....	70	....
" " common	....	11	....	....
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	69	68½	69	68
Toronto Electric Light	180	....	180	....
Incand. Light	115	114	116	114¾
General Electric	95	....	95	....
Commercial Cable	145¾	145¼	145¼	145
Bell Tel. Co.	151½	151¼	151½	151¼
Richelieu & Ont. Nav.	....	98	....	97
Montreal Street Ry.	146	144¾	145	143
Duluth Common	9	7	9	7
" Preferred	19	16	19	16
British-Canadian L & L	....	116	....	....
B. & Loan As.	....	100	....	....
Can. L. & N. In.	126½	124½	....	....
Canada Permanent	....	180	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	171½	170	....	....
Can. S. & Loan	....	121¼	....	....
Central Canada Loan	127	125	....	....
Dom. Loan & Invest.	84	83½	....	....
Farmers' L. & S.	....	....	....	....
Freehold L. & S.	....	139	....	....
" "	130	128	....	....
Huron & Erie L. & S.	....	160	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	....	150	....	....
Imperial L. & Invest.	....	118	....	....
Landed Banking & Loan	....	113	....	....
Land Security Co.	165	....	....	....
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	127	125½	....	....
London & Ontario	....	113	....	....
Manitoba Loan	106	....	....	....
Ontario Industrial L.	100	....	....	....
Ontario Loan & Deb.	153¾	150	....	....
People's Loan	90	....	....	....
Real Estate, L. & D.	....	65	....	....
Toronto S. & L.	124	121	....	....
W. Can. L. & S.	....	170	....	....
" " 25 p.c.	156	156	....	....

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Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, April 19, close.—Montreal, 229 and 230; Ontario, 116 and 113½; Toronto, 250 bid; Molsons, 170 asked; People's, 125 asked; Merchants', 156 and 163; Commerce, 143 and 142¾; Montreal Telegraph, 159 and 149¾; Richelieu, 80 and 78; Street Railway, 144½ and 143¾; Montreal Gas, 183 and 182¾; Cable, 145 and 144¾; Bell Telephone, 153 and 151; Duluth, 8 and 7; Duluth pref., 18½ and 16; C.P.R., 69 and 68.

Morning sales: Telegraph, 180 at 149, 150 at 149¾, 200 at 149 1-2, 250 at 149 1-4, 240 at 150; Telephone, 8 at 150; Street Railway rights, 50 at 135 3-8; Ontario, 4 at 115.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 25 at 145; Telegraph 22 at 150¼, 58 at 150¾, 50 at 150¼, 50 at 149¾; Street Railway, 25 at 144¾, 25 at 144½, 25 at 144¼, 25 at 144; Gas, 25 at 183 1-4, 25 at 183; Merchants', 4 at 164½; Commerce, 22 at 142.

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Tips From Wall-street.

The market closed strong. Total sales 113,913 shares.

Earnings of L. & N. the second week of April decreased $88,895.

Wabash earnings for second week of April decreased $28,000.

Ryan & Co.'s gossip: London did nothing. Moore & Schley bought Union Pacific and Schepp took Gas. Clews sold 1000 Mo. P. Keene brokers reduced prices of supporting orders in Distillers. A large speculative account has been liquidated in St. Paul. The demand for Sugar is to cover shorts.

Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Hubbard, Price & Co., New York:

While the drop in sterling exchange has doubtless largely curtailed proposed shipments of gold the announcement was made this morning that a prominent house would export a quantity of yellow metal on Saturday, the amount depending upon circumstances. Railroad earnings show no improvement, and the reports of rate cutting and stock have added to the bearish sentiment. The industrial stocks are the strong feature of the market. Distillers' appears to have frizzled out, the reason given being dissatisfaction at the incompleteness of the annual report. Sugar rallied smartly on the covering of shorts, losing the advance on the withdrawal of this support. The selling of St. Paul is said to be in anticipation of the showing of net earnings to be made for the month of March, which in connection with heavy decreases in gross being weekly reported are expected to again create a doubt as to the ability of the company to maintain the 4 per cent. dividend rate. B. Q. was also sold for the same reasons, and there is talk of a pool having been formed to bear the stock, but the price yielded less than St. Paul. N.Y.C. was again under pressure, and lost over half a point up to noon. Reported poor business is the cause assigned for the attack upon this stock. The statement of net earnings for the month of March by St. Paul during the afternoon was a surprise to the bears, and the stock rose 1 per cent. promptly after its publication, showing a gain of over 15,000.

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New York Stocks.

The fluctuations in the New York Stock Exchange to-day were as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	98⅛	99	97⅛	98
Am. Tobacco	85¾	87	85	86⅛
Cotton Oil.	....	....	....	....
Atchison	15	15¼	14⅞	15¼
Chi., Burlington & Q.	81¼	81⅝	80¾	81¼
Chicago Gas Trust	66¼	67⅞	66¼	67⅞
Canada Southern	51¾	51¾	51½	51¾
C.C.C. & I.	38⅝	38⅝	37⅛	38¼
Del. & Hudson	139	139	137½	139
Del., Lac. & W.	....	....	....	....
Erie	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
Lake Shore	128⅝	128⅝	128½	128⅝
Louisville & Nashville	50⅝	50⅝	50⅛	50⅝
Manhattan	....	....	....	....
Missouri Pacific	30	30⅛	29⅝	30
Nat. Cordage Co.	21⅛	23¼	21⅛	23¼
N.Y. & New England	10⅞	10⅞	10¼	10⅝
N.Y. Central & Hud.	99¼	99¼	98⅛	99¼
Northern Pacific Pref.	30⅛	30⅛	29⅞	30⅛
Northwestern	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
General Electric Co.	41	41	40¼	41
Rock Island & Pac.	69⅝	70	69⅝	70
Omaha	39⅛	39⅝	39⅛	39⅝
Ontario & Western	16⅛	16⅞	16⅛	16⅛
Phila. & Reading	20⅝	20⅝	20	20⅛
St. Paul	62⅝	64⅝	61⅝	63⅛
Union Pacific	20⅛	20⅝	20⅛	20⅛
Western Union	84¼	84¼	83⅞	84
Distillers	25⅝	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛
Jersey Central	113	113	112	112
National Lead	39⅝	40	39¼	39⅞
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	....
Wabash Pref.	17⅝	17⅝	16⅞	17¼

Sales: W U 4800, N W 1000, R I 29,400, St. Paul 22,500, Erie 200, L S 1100, Central 2900, D & H 1100, J C 700, N Q 800, Mo P 3500, L & N 1900, B Q 3500, C C C 700, N E 600, C Gas 20,100, Atchison 1000, Distillers 5600, G E 1000, Sugar 20,600.

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Oil closed at 85½c bid.

Cheese 6d higher at Liverpool.

Cash wheat at Chicago 59c.

Puts on May wheat 59½c, calls 60c.

Puts on July wheat 61c, calls 61⅞c.

Puts on May corn 38⅝c, calls 39c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.60 for cash and April and at $4.90 for Oct.

Calls on May wheat offer at 63¾c, good for all next week.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago Thursday: Wheat 71, corn 224, oats 135.

Exports at New York to-day: Wheat 163,116 bushels, flour 925 barrels and 45,416 sacks.

Cattle receipts at Chicago Thursday 14,000; market steady; sheep 7000, market steady.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago Thursday 27,000, official Wednesday 34,491; left over 7000. Market, 5c higher at opening, after which advance was lost. Heavy shippers $5.10 to $5.45. Estimated for Friday 22,000.

The week's hog packing in the west is 240,000, as against 170,000 the same week last year.

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Outside Wheat Markets.

At New York May closed at 62⅝c.

At Milwaukee May closed at 57⅝c.

At St. Louis May closed at 55¼c.

At Duluth No. 1 hard closed at 63c for May.

At Toledo May closed at 58¾c.

At Detroit May closed at 59⅝c.

Breadstuffs.

Flour—There is a limited trade, with straight rollers quoted at $2.65 to $2.75.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices very firm. A car is reported sold at $18 on track.

Wheat—Trade fair, with Ontario grades firm and Manitoba weak. White sold at 59c west and at 60c on the Northern, while two cars of red sold at 61c on the C.P.R. Spring is quoted at 62c on the Midland. Car lots of No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 73c west, and No. 2 at 71c west.

Barley—The demand is moderate and prices unchanged. No. 1 quoted at 42c outside and feed at 36½c to 37½c.

Oats—The market is steady, with sales outside at 33c. Cars on track 36½c bid and 37c asked.

Peas—There is a fair demand; 10,000 bushels sold on the C.P.R. at 54c, and a car of choice on the G.T.R. at 55c.

Rye—The market is dull, with none offering.

Buckwheat—There is little doing, and quotations are nominal at 40c outside.

Corn—No sales reported, but cases quoted at 48c on track.

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THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

This market was dull to-day, with very little produce in.

Grain and Seeds.

There was no grain on the street to-day and prices in consequence are purely nominal. White wheat is quoted at 62c, red at 61c and goose at 58c. Barly nominal at 42c, oats at 41c and peas at 55c to 63½c.

Seeds are steady. Alsike sells out choice. Red clover firm at $6 to $6.50, the latter for choice. Timothy from $2.50 to $2.75.

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Hay and Straw.

Receipts of hay 10 loads. The market is firm, with sales of timothy at $10 to $12, and clover at $8 to $9. Baled hay $9 to $9.50. Straw nominal at $8.00 to $8.50 for bundled and at $5 to $6 for loose. Baled straw $5.50 to $6 by car lot.

Dairy Produce.

Commission prices: Choice tub 20c, bakers 14c to 16c. Rolls, fresh, 18c to 20c and creamery 22c to 25c. Eggs, new, 11c per doz. in case lots, limed 6c to 7c. Cheese firm at 11c to 11½c.

Poultry and Provisions.

Jobbing prices: Chickens, fresh, 50c to 60c per pair and turkeys 9½c to 10½c per lb.

Dressed hogs steady. Selected weights quoted at $5.85 to $6.00, and heavy $5.50 to $5.75. Butchers' hogs $6.00 to $6.25. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 11c; bacon, long clear 7½c to 7¾c; breakfast bacon 11½c, rolls 8½c; Canadian mess pork $15.25 to $15.50 per bbl., short cut $16.25 to $16.50; lard, in pails 9½c, in tubs 9c, and tierces 8½c.

Beef, forequarters, 4c to 5½c; hind, 6c to 7½c; mutton, 5½c to 6c; veal, 7c to 8c; lamb, 8c to 7½c per lb.

Chicago Markets.

John J. Dixon & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open'g	High'st	L'w't	Close.
Wheat—May	59⅞	60⅛	59⅛	59⅛
" —July	61⅝	62⅛	61⅛	61⅛
" —Sept.	63¼	63⅝	63⅛	63⅛
Corn—May	39	39⅛	38⅝	39
" —July	40	40	39⅝	39⅝
Oats—May	32¼	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛
" —July	29¼	29⅝	29⅛	29¼
Pork—May	13 10	13 15	12 72	12 72
" —July	13 17	13 25	12 87	12 87
Lard—May	7 75	7 75	7 65	7 65
" —July	7 32	7 37	7 22	7 27
Short Ribs—May	6 60	6 65	6 55	6 55
" —July	6 60	6 65	6 45	6 47

BUILDING SALE

Owing to the extensive alterations I am making to my store I will offer for one week only:

Pettijohn's Food	10c
Quaker Oats	10c
C. & B. Pickles	25c
Shoe Dressing, 2 for	25c
7 lb. Tin Marmalade	90c
California Plums, 2 lbs. for	25c

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Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Logan & Co.:

CHICAGO, April 19.—With continuation of fine crop weather the market has been inclined to weakness to-day, and was becoming quite soft when the advices of heavy clearances in wheat and flour checked the decline and turned the market upwards. But the advance was not material and only temporary, the market relapsing into the weakish feeling which characterized early part of session. Cables did not show important changes either way. Liverpool steady, Berlin a little higher, Paris slightly over. For the near feature the weather will be the leading factor. Corn was weak early on sales by belated holders, and firm to strong latterly on buying of May by shipping houses, then turned back on weakness in wheat. Fine weather and fair receipts for to-morrow.

Schwartz, Dupee & Co. wired Dixon: There was a feeble sort of a rally to wheat early on very large seaboard clearances, over 800,000 bushels. That announcement exhausted the bull helps and until the close prices acted weak. Business was very small and altogether professional. Furthermore, it was largely local. There seemed to be some liquidation of long wheat. The buying was by the principal local shorts. The Price Current was bearish, declaring that the recent rains had improved the prospects. The weather everywhere west of the Rockies was favorable. No break was reported in the drought on the coast. Cables were barely steady. Northwestern cars, 183, were considerably less than the last year. Provisions firm early, although not active. Local operators were buying ribs and shorts covering lard. During the last hour there was a sharp break under the unloading of a large line of long pork, which closed the market at the low point of the day. After the bell tap lard and ribs were in demand at higher figures. We think the market is a purchase.

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British Markets.

LIVERPOOL, April 19.—Wheat, red, 4s 10½d to 5s 1d; do. No. 1 Cal., 5s 1d to 5s 2d; corn, 3s 11d; peas, 4s 11d; pork, 70s 0d; lard, 40s 0d; bacon, heavy, 33s 6d; light, 35s 6d; tallow, 25s 6d; cheese, 50s.

LONDON, April 19.—Beerbohm says: Floating cargoes of wheat quiet and steady, maize nil. Cargoes on passage—Wheat, not much demand; maize quiet and steady. Good cargoes 1 Cal. wheat, off coast, 24s 9d, was 24s 3d. Australian wheat, off coast, 24s 9d, was 24s 3d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat, more disposition to buy. Maize, with increased arrivals, buyers hold off.

Weather in England cold.

4.30 p.m.—Liverpool wheat futures steady; red winter 4s 10¾d for May. Maize steady at 3s 9¾d for May and July and at 3s 10d for August. Paris—Wheat quiet and flour rather easier, at 43f, was 42f for May. Antwerp spot wheat steady, red winter 13f 75c, was 13f 87½c.

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New York Markets.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Cotton spots dull, uplands 7 9-16, gulf 7 13-16, futures steady, sales 106,200 bales; April 7.37, May 7.39, June 7.45, July 7.51, Aug. 7.56, Sept. 7.58. Flour dull; rye dull, western 48c to 77c; barley nominal. No. 2 Milwaukee 65c to 67c; barley malt quiet; city made, Canada, 95c to $1; peas, Canada, 70c. Wheat—Receipts 18,000 bushels, exports 168,000, sales 970,000 futures, 90,000 spot; spots lower; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 62c to 62⅝c; No. 1 Northern, 69½c to 69¾c. Options dull, No. 2 red April 62c, May 62⅝c, July 64⅝c. Corn—Receipts 17,000, exports 155,000, sales 530,000 futures, 51,000 spot; spots dull, No. 2 44½c to 44⅝c elevator; steamer mixed 44⅜c to 44⅞c. Options dull, April 44⅝c, May 44½c, July 45 3-8c. Oats—Receipts 56,000, exports none, sales 250,000 futures, 47,000 spot; spots quiet. Options firm, April 37 3-4c, May 37½c, July 36 1-8c. Spot, No. 2 38½c, No. 2 white 40½c, No. 2 Chicago 39 1-2c, No. 3 37½c, No. 3 white 39 1-2c; mixed western 36 1-2c to 39 1-2, white do. 39 1-2c to 44 1-2c. Lard—Weak; western steam $8.10. Pork—Steady; $14.25 to $14.50, extra prime $13 to $13.50. Butter—Weaker; state dairy new 16c to 21½c, creamery new 22c to 23 1-2c. Eggs—Weaker; state and Pennsylvania 11 1-2c, western, fresh, 11c to 11½c. Rice—Steady; domestic 3 3-4c to 5 1-4. Molasses 35c to 38c, steady. Coffee—Options dull, sales 4000 bags, including April $16 to $16.05, July $15.50 to $15.60. Spot—Rio steady; No. 7 17½c. Sug