

SPECULATION TO FORE... AMERICAN STOCKS

Trading Active on New York Exchange, But Lacked in Extent.

RAILWAYS FAVORITES

Bethlehem Steel Dropped Sharply on Selling Minus Quarterly Dividend.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Speculation was a more pronounced feature of today's market public interest, except in a few stocks, being negligible.

Some specialties, notably Crucible Steel, Baldwin Locomotive and American Car were under restraint, as were also such miscellaneous issues as the obscure group among the rails.

WESTINGHOUSE AND GENERAL ELECTRIC

Westinghouse and General Electric led the registered securities. Motions in Chicago stocks, besides, there appeared to be a disposition to regard them as too low-priced compared with other grain stocks.

GAINS SENSATIONAL FOR SCOTIA AT MONTREAL

Further Five and a Half Point Rise Registered on Heavy Selling.

MONTREAL, March 15.—The rise in the stock market gained fresh momentum today, buying proceeding with more aggressiveness throughout the day than at any time since the bull market of last October.

MONEY RATES

Glazebrook & Cronyn, Exchange and Bond Brokers, report exchange rates as follows:

THE PARIS BOURSE

PARIS, March 15.—Trading was quick on the bourse today, and was quick on the bourse today, and was quick on the bourse today.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, March 15.—The stock market was fairly active, with a confident undertone today, and was confident undertone today, and was confident undertone today.

WINNIPEG MARKET

WINNIPEG, March 15.—What showed a gain of 1/2c to 1c for wheat today, and was 1/2c to 1c for wheat today.

CROP DAMAGE REPORTS RAISE WHEAT MARKET

Sharp Breaks in Quotations at Liverpool Little Affected Chicago.

MORE GAINS IN OATS

Prospect of Big Reduction in Stocks Stiffened Values Considerably.

CHICAGO, March 15.—Serious crop damage reports from the soft winter wheat have decided strength today in the wheat market here.

Missouri and Illinois in particular flooded the wheat trade with dispatches telling of winter killed crops. According to some reports the destruction amounted to as much as 20 to 30 per cent.

MINES INACTIVE WITH STRONG UNDERTONE

Dome Extension in Demand—Vipond Scores Further Gain.

Despite the inactivity of the market for mining issues at the Standard Exchange yesterday there was a strong undertone and practically all of the big leaders held very firm all day.

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE

Apex Asked. Bid. Dome Extension 38 1/2 38 1/2. Dome Lake 27 1/2 27 1/2.

NORTHWEST CAR RECEIPTS

Year. Last wk. Last yr. Minneapolis 344 326 117. Duluth 92 104 189.

CHICAGO CAR LOTS

Wheat. Rpts. Cont. Est. Lt. yr. Corn 173 16 179 112.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS

Wheat. Year. Last wk. Last yr. Receipts 1,117,000 1,215,000 612,000.

CHICAGO GRAIN

J. P. Bickell & Co., 802-7 Standard Bank Building, Toronto, report Chicago Grain Exchange fluctuations as follows:

NOVA SCOTIA STEEL DECIDEDLY STRONG

Advances Five Points for the Day—Other Stocks Also Firm and Higher.

NOVA SCOTIA STEEL was again the most buoyant issue on the Toronto stock market. Opening up unchanged overnight at 103 3/4, the price steadily advanced five points and near the close the price reacted about a point.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes Am. Cyanamid, Am. Steel, B. & O., etc.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes Erie, N.Y. C., P. & N., etc.

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes Apex, Dome Extension, Dome Lake, etc.

NORTHWEST CAR RECEIPTS

Table with columns: Location, Year, Last wk, Last yr. Includes Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg.

CHICAGO CAR LOTS

Table with columns: Commodity, Rpts, Cont, Est, Lt. yr. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS

Table with columns: Commodity, Year, Last wk, Last yr. Includes Wheat, Shipments, Receipts.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats.

NOVA SCOTIA STEEL DECIDEDLY STRONG

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NEW YORK COTTON

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Includes Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS

LIVERPOOL, March 15.—Closing: Liverpool, spot, 10 1/2; futures, 10 1/2.

FLORIDA TOMATOES ARE PLENTIFUL ON MARKET

But Cold Weather Has Put Damp on Demand and Sale is Slow.

AMERICAN ONIONS EASIER

Sweet Potatoes Are Selling at One Dollar and Forty Cents Per Bag.

Florida tomatoes are arriving freely, and as the cold weather dampens the demand for them, they are being sold at \$3.75 to \$4.25 for choice quality, and \$3.50 to \$3.75 for fancy, in six-basket crates.

WHOLESALE FRUITS

Apples—2 1/2 to 3 1/2 per bushel; Grapes—\$1.50 to \$2.00 per bushel; Oranges—\$1.50 to \$2.00 per bushel.

WHOLESALE VEGETABLES

Beans—\$1.50 to \$2.00 per bushel; Carrots—\$1.50 to \$2.00 per bushel; Celery—\$1.50 to \$2.00 per bushel.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET

There were seven loads of hay and one of straw brought in, selling at unchanged quotations.

LONDON METAL MARKET

LONDON, March 15.—Spot copper, 210 1/2; futures, 210 1/2; unchanged.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

MONTREAL GRAIN MARKET

MONTREAL, March 15.—There was demand for Manitoba wheat today and business was quiet.

MORTGAGE SALES

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, the following will be offered for public auction at the auction rooms of Charles M. Henderson and Company, 125 King Street East, Toronto, on Tuesday the twenty-first day of March, 1916.

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