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Considerable Anxiety Over Aus- Toronto Stock Market in the Pretrian Outlook and British Crisis.

### SPECIALTIES RALLY

Heaviness prevailed at the opening of the market, followed by spasmodic rallies in which specialties were most conspicuous. United States Steel and leading rails inclined to lower levels, St. Paul proving the most notable exception on its rise of 1 3-4 to 97 1-9; prior to the publication of November carnings, disclosing a net increase of \$2,000,000. Canadian Pacific unresponsive to that read's remarkable exhibit, a net gain of \$3,-710.000, but Erie first and second preferred nardened on announcement of the terms of the new convertible bond

The fall in Anglo-French 5's to the guoted since the war.

Bords as a whole reflected the shares.

heaviness of the Anglo-French issue.

## Total sales, par value, aggregated OPHIR, REFINANCED,

been refinanced, work is being done at the present to remove the water from 1-8 up for the day. the pit. The unwatering process, it is said, will be completed within a week and active operations will be commenc-

ed immediately.

According to the latest reports. splendid values are being found on the Chambers-Ferland property in followich at the start is

feed, 73½c.
Oats—No. 2 C.W., 39c: No. 3 C.W., 36c: extra No. 1 feed, 35c; No. 2 feed, 34c:
Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., \$1.91; No. 2 C.W.,

## LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL. Dec. 29.—Wheat—Spot. quiet; No. 1 Manitoba, 13s 2d; No. 3 Manitoba, 12s 9d; No. 2 hard winter, new, Corn — Spot, quiet; American mixed, Four-Winter patents, 45s 6d. Hops in London (Pacific coast), 14 to

Pork—Prime mess, western, 117s 6d. Hams—Short sut, 14 to 16 lbs., 93s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 18. Short ribs—16 to 24 lbs.,84s 6d. Clear

Short ribs—16 to 24 ibs., 84s 6d. Clear bellies—14 to 16 lbs., 79s. Long clear middles—Light, 28 to 34 lbs., 85s.; do. heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 83s. Short clear backs—16 to 20 lbs., 79s. Shoulders—Square, 11 to 13 lbs., 82s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, new, 55s 6d; old, 56s 6d; American, refined, 58s; ln 5—lb, boxes. 57s 3d/ in 5-lb. boxes, 57s 3d.

Cheese—Canadian, finest white, new, colored, 93s; Australian in London,

Turpentine-Spirits, 51s 3d. Rosin—Common, 19s. Petroleum—Refined, 101/4d. Linseed oil—30s.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot, 45s

Holiday Stage and Trading is Dull.

There was little doing and no feaure on the Toronto Stock Exchange Storm Also Bearish Factor—
Anglo-French Bonds Touch
New Low.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Increased anxiety over the freign stuation, perticularly the Austrian outlook and the acute political conditions in Great Britain, toge her with a new low quotation for the Angle-French bonds, served as a check to speculation today. Trailing, suffered some curtailment, also, as a result of the storm, which interrupted communication with this centre.

Yesterday. It was a pre-holiday market and will so continue until next week. Any dealings were at steady prices and the only speculative interfect appeared in the stegis and cement. A meeting of the Steel Corporation shareholders is being held at Montval to the storm announcement will be given out after the meeting. N. S. Steel soid at 101; Steel Corporation at 49¼, and Steel of Canada at 40. Cement was fairly active around 39½. Profit-taking still figured in Maple Leaf common and 20 shares sold at 61½, a decline of 2 points. Hollinger was strong at 29 and Smelter was up a point to 132. The unlisted section was investigation was inyesterday. It was a pre-holiday maradverse developments were partly nubified, however, by others of a planty constructive character.

guiet. Steel and Radiation was in-active, but a sale was made at a 2-point advance. The market had a firm undertone, but there is at present an experience of specific to the constructive of the const

### WIDE FLUCTUATIONS IN MONTREAL STOCKS

Market Apathetic, But Has Strong Undertone—Offerings Scarce.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29.—The excay was a point, Canadian Car rising a point at the opening to 89, but later losing all the advantage, while Carriage ranged between 49 and 50. new low price of 93 7-8 occasioned closing the former price. Locomotive much conjecture as to the principal the most active and one of the firmsource of the selling. Offerings over-shadowed all other features of the bond list, one lot of \$795,000 chang-ing hands at 94 immediately before touching the new minimum. Sales of this issue aggregated \$2,000,000.

Demond bills on Lordon rose to between 19 1-4 and 49 1-2 and Demond bills on Lordon rose to
4.73 3-4, with steadness in francs,
but Austrian and Russian remittances again apprached lowest rates

for the full day forted up only 2002. for the full day footed up only 3024

The main characteristic of the market, apart from its apathy, was the maintenance of a strong undertone. Stock was in scant supply all thru the list; that what little was offered found ready absorption was indicated WILL RESUME WORK by the general firmness of prices.
Canadian war loan bends were fair-Landed Banking
London & Canadian
Toronto Gen. Trusts
Toronto Mortgage
—Bonds.
Canada Bread
Province of Ontario
Steel Co. of Canada. Now that the Ophir Company has ly active at 97 3-4 to 97 5-8; with last

### LONDON SILVER MARKET.

Pixley & Abell, in their circular dated The Ophir property has a promising location, being only one-half a mile from the Timiskaming mine and is in a direct line of the rich veins extending from the Beaver property south to Timiskaming.

The main shaft is at present down 300 feet, and sinking will be carried on down to the contact of the keewating and this combined with weakness from China and freer sales by America, caused a reaction of 14d daily, until 267-16d was reached. On the 5th inst. large orders from the Indian bazars raised the quotation to 271-16d, the scarcity of supplies on that day being very marked Yesterday and today self-the scarcity of supplies on that day being very marked Vesterday and today self-the scarcity of supplies on that day being very marked Vesterday and today self-the scarcity of supplies are larger than usual, the undertone is good, as a continuance of the demand for comage is looked for.

Pixley & Abell, in their circular dated London, Dec. 8, say:
Silver.—Altho today's price of 2634d is 14d easier on the week, as high as 271-16d was quoted on the 6th inst. The rapid was quoted on the 6th inst. The rapid desays of November to 273-16d induced some profit-taking, and this, combined with weakness from China and free sales by America, caused a reaction of 14d daily, until 267-16d was reached. On the 5th inst, large orders from the Indian bazars raised the quotation to 271-16d, do, pref. 66

Maple Leaf com. 61

do, pref. 97

N. S. Steel 101

Rogers pref. 99

Steel Corp. 4914 49 4914

These should be more continuous as the contact is neared.

CHAMBERS-FERLAND 

The annual statement of the Bank ing up the vein which was struck a short time ago. It is believed that in 36, which has just been issued, furnishof Hamilton for the year ended Nov. drifting to the north an extension es another indication of the manner in the famous Meyer veln on the in which our best banks have fortified Nipissing property has been struck. themselves in strong positions since This section of the country has never themselves in strong positions since before been explored, so that it may the outbreak of the war. Compared The vein on the Chambers-Ferland property which was thought to be so a half millions, or over 10 per cent., rich at the start is said to be "improving" as the drift is extended, and it is
now four inches wide of high-grade
ere. The whole drift is also shot full
of leaf silver. There is said to be no nearly half a million dollars, against which they had \$400,000 in the Central Gold Reserves. The total assets now amount to forty-eight and a quarter millions, and it is evident that all the gair, in deposits and a little more has on the property. This property has never been worked, and in order to locate the best values in ore diamond drilling will be carried on extensively.

Inearly half a million dollars, against which they had \$400,000 in the Central Gold Reserves. The total assets now amount to forty-eight and a quarter millions, and it is evident that all the gair, in deposits and a little more has gone into readily available assets.

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T If rich ore is struck shafts will be sunk and development commenced on a larger scale. The property is well located and should prove valuable.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 29.—After a fairly active morning. Winnipeg closed today \( \frac{1}{2} \) out of every \( \frac{1}{2} \) out of all liabilities to the public. This has been effected without any appreciable reduction in the funds available for sound commerty. It looked at one time as if the market would follow the weaker cables, but interest developed at the low points, and there was considerable trade. At the close May showed a carrying charge of 3%c.

Export trade was not very active, while as little was worked for London, Liveragainst 35 per cent. last year. Of this

who understands the condition expected the banks to make large profits during the past year, and these repres for Tuesday amounted to sight, 600. Cash:

1 northern, \$1.13½; No. 2 however, quite sufficient to pay the dividend at the rate of 12 per cent.

1 northern, \$1.06; No. 6, 393½c; No. 6, 83½c; per annum \$360,000 and put \$19,000 to the Pension Fund, meet war tax on Bank Note Circulation \$26,526 and carry forward \$18,900 more than the year began with, or a total of \$175,821 carried forward.

In order to make full provision for depreciation in securities held for limiter 29,00

In order to make full provision for depreciation in securities held for debts and for contingencies, the sum of \$300,000 has been taken from the Reserve Fund. It has been found that since the outbreak of the war securities of all kinds are not worth what they were a year ago, and we feel surbate this course will commend itself to the shareholders and the public as the proper and prudent thing to do. Later on, should values return to normal, the bank will reap the benefit, and in the meantime the Reserve Fund stands at \$3,300,000, or 110 per cent. of the paid-up capital, which is larger than is deemed necessary by many of the largest banks. the largest banks. 

## THE PARIS BOURSE.

PARIS, Dec. 29 .- Trading was quiet on the bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 63 francs 75 centimes for cash. Exchange on London, 27 francs 81½ centimes.

PRICE OF SILVER. silver is up 4c at 54%c.

# Record of Yesterday's Markets

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STANDARD EXCHANGE.

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STANDARD SALES.

High. Low. Close. Sales.

Cobalt Stocks

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MONEY RATES. Glazebrook & Cronyn, exchange and bond brokers, report exchange rates as

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CHICAGO GRAIN.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, report fluctuations on the Chi-cago Grain Exchange as follows: Prev. Open. High. Low. Close, Close. 19 May . 7578 7614 74% 7614 7532 122% 123% 123% 16512 July . 7612 77 7554 77 7616 Dec. . 72 7254 7114 7256 7178 May ... 471/4 471/4 461/2 471/6 47 Dec. ... 431/8 431/2 423/4 431/4 423/ Pork— May ... 18.85 18.85 18.55 18.57 18.75 Jan. ... 18.35 18.35 18.25 18.25 18.50 Lard-rd— ..10.00 10.05 9.95 9.95 10.00 ... 9.70 9.75 9.67 9.67 9.70 CHICAGO CAR LOTS.

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PRIMARY MOVEMENT. Yest'dy. Last wk. Last yr Wheat-Oats-2,300 Receipts ....1,247,000 1,045,000

.. 895,000 865,000 LONDON METAL MARKET, 1,000 1,000 3,000 2,100 17s 6d: up 2s 6d. Futures, £86, up 5s. 800 Electrolytic, £108, up £1. 8,500 Lead, £29 17s 6d, up 7s 6d. Futures,

1.500 | Speiter, spot, £90, unchanged. Futures, £82, up £4. DELAWARE & HUDSON DIVIDEND. NEW YORK, Dec. 29 -The directors of the Delaware & Hudson Company today declared an annual dividend for 1916 of nine per cent. The disbursement is payable in instalments of two and one quarable in instalments of ter per cent., on March 20, June 20, Sept 20 and Dec. 20.

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# WHEAT PRICES LOWER

Cables From Liverpool Market.

### CORN SHOWS STRENGTH

Higher Cable Quotations Largely Responsible — Pork is Weaker.

shade advance.

Bears in wheat appeared to regard the setback shown by Liverpool quotations as decidedly significant this connection, a leading authority this connection, a leading authority said that United States exports up to Jan. 1, would be 50.000,000 bushels less than at the corresponding time last year, whereas the primary arrivals had overtaken those of a year ago and the outlook is for a steady increase of the domestic visible supply total. There were advices also that the Argentine harvest is turning out better than ex-pected and that a large yield in Aus-

caused one of the temporary rallies in wheat. Another transient upturn 200 was due more or less to word that an embargo on shipments of grain to Philadelphia had been removed. State-ments, however, that foreigners were fying increase in the volume of busiselling futures and that no vessel could be obtained for January and February shipment at the Gulf of Mexico gave an advantage to the bears ber of shares for the day being 187. until just before the close, when a 790. sharp upturn took place on account of covering by shorts.

## Official Market Quotations

No. 3 northern, \$1.224, all rais Manitoba Oats. No. 2 C.W., 50c, all rail. No. 3 C.W., 48c, all rail. Extra No. 1 feed, 48c, all rail. No. 1 feed, 47c, all rail. American Corn.

Yellow, No. 3, new, 79c, track, To No. 2 yellow, old, nominal,

sample, \$1 to \$103.
Sprouted, smutty and tough, according a sample, 90c to 96c.

Peas.

No. 2, nominal, per car lots, \$1.90, according to freights outside. Malting barley. 57c to 60c, according to York for it.

reights, outside.

Feed barley, 50c to 58c, according to leights, outside.

Persistent large buying continued in Jupiter yesterday, sending the price up to 22. It weakened on profit-tak-Buckwheat.

New winter, \$4.89, according to sample, seaboard, or Toronto freights, in bags. prompt shipment.

Milifeed (Car Lots, Delivered).
Bran. per ton, \$24, Montreal freights.
Shorts, per ton, \$25, Montreal freights.
Middlings, per ten, \$26, Montreal freights.
Started for Porcupine last night to freights.

Goose wheat—92c to 95c per bushel.

according to sample.

Hay—Timothy, No. 1, \$17 to \$22 per ton; mixed and clover, \$13 to \$16 per Straw-Bundled, \$14 per ton; loose, nominal, \$8.50 per ton.

## SUGAR PRICES.

per cwt., are now as follows: Beaver, St. Lawrence ...... Extra S. C. Acadia, granulated .... 

## BRITISH GOLD MOVEMENTS.

(Cor. Wilton Ave.)

# IN SPITE OF RALLY

Setback Caused by Unfavorable

CHICAGO Dec. 29.—Despite numerous rallies, wheat today averaged lower, influenced largely by a decline at Liverpool. The close was unsettled,

tralia is assured.

Bullish crop estimates from Kansas

Packers selling more than counter-balanced in the provision market the effect of a falling-off in slaughterings of hogs. Pork showed greater weak-New York are low, local brokers are of hogs. Pork showed greater weak-

# BOARD OF TRADE

Manitoba Wheat (New Crop.) No. 1 northern, \$1.29%, all rail. No. 2 northern, \$1.26%, all rail. No. 3 northern, \$1.22%, all rail.

Ontario Oats. No. 3 white, 37c to 39c, according to reights, outside.
Commercial oats, 36c to 38c.

Nominal, car lots, 76c to 78c, according to 21. Rye. al, 87c to 88c, according

Manitoba Flour.
First patents, in jute bags, \$6.80, To Second patents, in jute bags, \$6.30, To-

Straw.
Car lots, per ton, \$6.50 to \$7, track,
Toronto.
Farmers' Market.
Fall wheat—Cereal, new, \$1.03 to \$1.05
per bushel; milling, new, 90c to \$1 per

Goose wheat—92c to 95c per bushel.
Barley—Feed, 48c to 53c per bushel;
maiting, 58c to 60c per bushel.
Oats—New, 40c to 43c per bushel.
Buckwheat—76c to 78c per bushel.
Rye—30c to 85c per bushel, according e sample. Peas—Sample, \$1.50 to \$1.75, per bushel,

## Local wholesale quotations on sugar,

do. gunnies, 10 lbs. 6 8
do. gunnies, 20 lbs. 6 8
do. Brilliant yeliow 6 3

LONDON, Dec. 29.—The Bank of Eng. land today bought £615,000 in bar gold, shipped £100,000 in sovereigns to Spain, and earmarked £200,000 for miscellaneous purposes.

# MINING SHARES BOUGHT AND SOLD HERON & CO.

Members Toronto Stock Exchange. 16 King Street West, Toronto

# THE DOMINION PERMANENT LOAN COMPANY

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DIVIDEND NOTICE ous rallies, wheat today averaged lower, influenced largely by a decline at Liverpool. The close was unsettled, varying from 1 1-8 off to 5-8c up, with May at 1.24 7-8 to 1.25 and July 1.16-7-8. Corn gained 1-2 to 3-4c and oats 1-8 to 1-2c. In provisions the outcome ranged from 25c decline to a closed from the 23rd to the 31st inst. both days inclusive.

closed from the 23rd to the 31st inst., both days inclusive F. M. HOLLAND, Toronto, December 28th, 1915. General Manager.

# MATERIAL REACTION

Profit-Taking Causes Slight Declines in Some Leading Stocks.

In spite of the fact that it is still

On the whole the strength which Notwithstanding that corn at times has characterized trading at the local showed sympathy with the wheat mining exchange for some time past showed sympathy with the wheat weakness, prices during the greater part of the day were inclined to advance. Higher cable quotations tended to help the bulls and so too did diminished estimates of the Kansas to a greater public interest in tradiug. crop.

Oats was dominated by the strength of corn. Besides, some export business was said to be in progress.

Packers selling more than counterbalanced in the provision market the police of the working along on limited supplies of the white metals and as supplies. of the opinion that a much greater activity in silver stocks will be

Of the Forcupine stocks Apex was stronger, opening at 7 7-8 and advancing to 8 1-4, at which point it closed. It is reported that 10 cents a share has been offered for the treasury stock of this company, and the only difference between the parties interested seems to be in regard to the financing. This high title said will be cleared away in a few days.

and active development commenced on the property.

A slight reaction took place in A slight reaction took place in Dome Extension, which opened at 37 1-2 and sold off to 36, closing a little stronger at 36 1-4. There is a good deal of backing and filling going on in this stock, and inside interests are said to have accumulated his blocks of the stock at higher prices than the present market, so that the indications are for higher prices. The statement which is to be presented to the shareholders of Hollinger with in a few days is said to be so favorable that stock in this company is Ontario Wheat.

No. 2, winter, per car lot, \$1.05 to \$1.06, ecording to freights, outside.

Sligh.ly sprouted and tough, according making a net daily profit of \$6000. making a net daily profit of \$6000 will be increased with the adwhich ditional facilities which are being installed. It is rumored on the street that with the increase in earnings the shareholders will be well looked af-Sample peas, according to sample, \$1.25 ter in the way of increased dividends. Big Dome was inactive on the local

market, but \$28.50 was bid at Nev Persistent large buying continued ing to 20 1-2, and rallied at the close

McIntyre suffered a severe set-back No. 1 commercial, 87c to 88c, according a freights, outside.

Rejected, 70c to 80c, according to sam
Rejected, 70c to 80c, according to samweakness is regarded as a natural reaction from the strength which has prevailed in this stock recently.

When done is the stock of the stock recently. Porc. Vipond opened at 65, the previous close, sold up to 66, and sold onto.

Strong bakers', in jute bags, \$6.10, To
Strong bakers', in jute bags, \$6.10, To
Teck Hughes closed easier at 16 1-2, the high point for the day being

reights.

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