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ARREST DR. GREIL, ANCONA SURVIVOR

Woman Physician Charged With Performing Illegal Operation.

New York, May 22.—Dr. Cecile Greil, 40 years old, of 140 West Sixteenth street, was arrested at her home last night by Detectives Lagrue and Van Twistern of the Second Branch, on a charge of performing an illegal operation. The detectives say she was one of the speakers at the recent birth control meeting in Carnegie Hall which welcomed the release of Emma Goldman from prison. She is even better known as the sole American survivor of the Ancona disaster.

Dr. Greil was locked up in the West Thirtieth street police station. She retained Oscar J. Smith of 42 Broadway as her counsel.

On information supplied by the Lying-In-Hospital the detectives Friday night visited a patient in the hospital, a young woman who said she was Violet French, 19 years old, a private secretary of Tarrytown, N. Y. The young woman was in a critical condition, which the hospital authorities believed to be the result of the operation she had undergone before entering the institution.

The detectives said that after much questioning Miss French told them Dr. Greil had performed the operation on May 16 for $50.

Dr. Greil at the age of 10 was a cash girl in a Grand street department store. When she was 16 she was married, and a few years afterwards went to Italy to work in the Children's Hospital in Florence and the Marine Hospital in Naples. When she was 20 she returned to the United States, saved $2,500 in ten years, and paid for a medical education. For a short time she was medical director of the Manhattan Trade School for Girls, but resigned.

At the outbreak of the war Dr. Greil returned to Italy and entered Red Cross work at Bari. She was aboard the Italian liner Ancona when that vessel was torpedoed by an Austrian submarine on November 7, 1915, off the coast of Tunis. She was the only American survivor, and when she reached this city on December 20, 1915, aboard the French liner Rochambeau she told a graphic story of the sinking of the Ancona.

BULGARIAN ARMY IS RESTING ON ITS ARMS

So Little Fighting That Military Hospitals Have Been Closed.

Sofia, Bulgaria, May 5 (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The closing here recently of three of the largest military hospitals is an indication of how far removed Bulgaria is from the European war. The Saloniki front has been quiet for weeks, and the attack on Avlona is a matter concerning only the Austro-Hungarians. The Bulgarian army is resting on its arms. In a few days several other hospitals will be closed, and that in charge of the Austro-Hungarian mission will be converted into an electro-therapeutic institute for the recovery of damaged limbs.

Calling the Young Men.

Nevertheless, the Bulgarian Government is calling to the colors the young men due to serve in the army. A great deal of reorganization is in progress, co-operation with the German and Austro-Hungarian troops having resulted in many a good lesson to the Bulgarian officers and general staff. Re-equipment has also been undertaken, to what extent is indicated by the fact that the acquisition of German and Austro-Hungarian motor trucks has enabled the Bulgarian Government to furlough 60,000 army drivers and their ox teams and wagons. These men and animals are now back in their villages, tilling the soil for the spring sowing.

Bulgarian officers readily admit that they have learned a great deal from the Germans and Austro-Hungarians. Not a few of them show this in appearance and bearing. Though always accepted as a good soldier, the Bulgarian has hardly had the opportunity to acquire the dash of his northern brothers-in-arms. At present, therefore, there is a general tendency to be as much like the German and Austrian as possible. This has influenced the cut of the Bulgarian officer's uniform, and especially the shape of his cap, which formerly had a decided Russian tendency. Such German and Austrian greetings as "Servus" and "Mahlzeit" are universally used, and it is fashionably now to use the German "bitte"—please—instead of its French equivalent, formerly applied as such.

BACKWARD AT DELMER.

DELMER, May 22.—Spring seeding has been at a complete standstill for a whole week, owing to rainy weather. A few farmers have finished seeding, but many are only about half through. The continued wet weather is discouraging, especially to tenants.

Indications at present are that there will be an abundant crop of hay this year.

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SCORES OF WOMEN ARE NOW FIGHTING IN THE TRENCHES

They Don Masculine Attire and Live the Life of the Soldier.

London, May 23.—From time to time, since the great war began, reports have come through of women taking their places in the firing lines. These reports have been received with more or less incredulity, which has, however, given way before actual reports of women decorated and promoted for bravery on the battlefield.

Hundreds of women, it seems, are fighting in the armies of the czar. Notable among these is Mme. Koudasheva, a woman of culture and refinement, a poet, a writer, a musician, and above all a lover of sport, who enlisted as a volunteer when the war broke out. She distinguished herself to such a degree against the Germans that she was first made lieutenant, then colonel of the regiment in which her husband served years ago.

A High School Girl.

Another Russian heroine is Natalie Tychnini, a high school girl of Kiev, who has received the Order of St. George for distinguished service at the front. She passed as a man in the Russian lines, and was detailed to carry ammunition to the trenches. The Russians were forced to retire, and Natalie Tychnini was left lying wounded on the field near Opatow. The Austrians found her and nursed her back to health. When the Russians again took Opatow, she was still in the hospital, and was sent by them back to Kiev, where she was given her honors.

From Kiev comes the story of another gallant girl officer in a regiment of Cossacks. Alexandra Lagareva, who with a handful of men of her detachment was captured by the Germans. She managed to escape, however, but before doing so secured certain papers which proved of great value to the Russian general she was serving under.

"Yellow Martha," so called from her golden hair, is another of Russia's heroines. During the fighting at Sokatchew she took a Russian flag from the Germans who had captured an advanced line of trenches. As the Russians were making for the second trenches, the standard-bearer was shot in the back. Martha noticed him fall and dashed alone to secure the flag. Two Germans pursued her as she made off with it, but she shot them both dead and returned triumphantly with the flag.

Betrayed By Hands.

Betrayed by the whiteness and smallness of her hands, Signorlana Luiga Clappi, a young schoolmistress living near Florence, would be in the fighting line today had her sex not thus been accidentally discovered. Leaving home under the pretence of going to see a relative, this ardent Italian woman patriot purchased a uniform, obtained a rifle and equipment, and joined a volunteer force. For months she drilled assiduously, and it was not until the final inspection of the regiment, prior to going to the front, that suspicions were aroused and her sex discovered.

One of the most interesting bodies of women warriors is the Serbian organization called the "Legion of Death." It is composed of women who have been trained in the use of firearms and science of war, but who, in war time, follow the army as pack-carriers, camp attendants, and even as trench-diggers and sappers, where necessary. There are numerous expert rifle-shots among them, many, indeed, being quite capable of taking men's places under necessity.

The "Legion of Death" is recruited from all classes of women, from the wives of rich merchants and the wives and daughters of peasants. This Amazon corps had its origin in the patriotic enthusiasm of a woman of 62, whose husband died for Serbia against the Turks. The women handle the regulation rifles, and are held in deadly fear by the Austrians and Germans.

ENTERS STRANGE HOUSES; APPARENTLY NOT WELL

Man In Sarnia Court On Trespass Charge—Other Cases.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

SARNIA, May 22.—A man giving the name of M. E. Alford appeared in police court this morning before Magistrate Gorman, on a charge of unlawfully entering houses. It is reported that he wandered into a certain house, and was arrested as a result. The case was not gone on with this morning, but will come up at Monday's session of next week. The man appeared to be ill, and seemed not to know what he was doing when he went into the houses.

Assault Case Today.

Harry Music, charged with an assault on John Lethbridge, will be tried tomorrow morning. He was in court today, but the case was laid over.

Victor Midland, who was in on a charge of theft, alleged to have taken money to the value of $8.30. His case will again come up tomorrow.

Robert Graham, who was drunk while on the Indian list, was remanded for one week. He may then recall and tell where he got the booze.

Another Indian In Court.

Alex Gray, an Indian, who was drunk Saturday, was allowed to go on suspended sentence this morning by paying costs to the extent of $4.50.

A north ward man, who has a great fondness for liquor, was before the magistrate this morning, and fined $2 and costs. He was picked up on a back street Saturday night, and spent the evening singing hymns and songs in the police station. He has been placed on the restricted list.

BLENHEIM SCHOLARS TO HOLD FIELD DAY

BLENHEIM, May 22.—May 24 is to be a great day with the scholars of the public school. Arrangements are being made for a general field day, and running, jumping, vaulting and many other athletic sports are on the order for the day. Special prizes are on exhibition in one of the store windows in town. The program will be on the grounds of the Harwich Agricultural Society and promises a most interesting day.

SOLDIER LOSES DAUGHTER.

TILLSONBURG, May 22. — Minnie Marguerite, aged 8 year 2 months, oldest daughter of Pte. and Mrs. Nelson Crossett, was buried in the town cemetery Sunday afternoon. The officers and men of C Company, 168th Battalion, marched in a body to the cemetery, and the drummers of the bugle band acted as pallbearers. Mr. Crossett is a favorite among the men and officers of C Company, and has the entire sympathy of the community. The floral offerings were numerous, including a beautiful wreath from C Company. Rev. J. H. McBain of the Methodist Church conducted the funeral services.

GREAT REDUCTION OF DRINK EVIL IN THE BRITISH ISLES

Number of Convictions Show Falling Off in All Parts.

[Canadian Press.]

London, May 17.—Correspondence of the Associated Press.—The astonishing success of the central control board in reducing the drink evil in England, Scotland and Wales since the board's inauguration in June, 1915, is strikingly shown in the second report made by its chairman, Lord D'Abernon.

The report shows that the efforts of the board have resulted in a reduction of the average weekly number of convictions for drunkenness in England and Wales from 2,034 in 1914, to an average of 940 for last March, the latest month for which figures are available. In Scotland, the average has been reduced from 1,424 in 1914 to 794 for March.

Reduced at London.

The figures for London, where a "no treating" order went into effect on October 11, 1915, are of particular interest. The weekly average of convictions for the metropolitan district in 1914 was 1,301. This was reduced to 1,008 for the four weeks prior to October 11, and in the succeeding month dropped to 718. Reductions on a similar scale were shown in the great industrial centres of Liverpool, Birmingham and Manchester.

Looking After Workers.

The board has been especially active in looking after the great army of workers who are employed in the munitions industry. To offset the evil influence of the drinking places usually patronized by the workers' industrial canteens, where substantial and well-cooked meals with light refreshments can be obtained at reasonable prices were established. In addition the law was enforced which requires public houses to supply food as well as liquor. Lord D'Abernon reports that the canteens have proved a great success and have contributed materially to the checking of excessive drinking and the improvement of the health of the workers.

COTTON EXCHANGE FOR ROTTERDAM LIKELY

Bremen Will Have a Competitor When War Concludes.

ROTTERDAM, Netherlands, May 10—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The Bremen cotton market is promised a serious competitor in Rotterdam after the war as a result of the decision to establish a cotton exchange here. The enormous extent of Rotterdam's transit trade in cotton at the opening of the war, in consequence of the severance of Bremen's maritime communications, opened the eyes of Dutchmen to the potentialities of the position. Last spring the Twente (Eastern Holland) Chambers of Commerce invited the Rotterdam Chamber to take the initiative in the matter, promising the support of the Twente spinners, and the establishment of a cotton market is now assured by the formation of a cotton corporation and an association for trade in cotton.

Several important factors favor the new venture's success. There are some fourteen spinning manufactories in Holland itself with an annual consumption of about 150,000 bales of cotton. Moreover, Belgium and a great part of Western Germany can be reached by railroad—to say nothing of the Dutch port's fine water communications—at less cost from Rotterdam than from Bremen. A comparison of railroad rates shows that Gladbach, Rheidt, Gronau, Bocholt, Cologne, and a number of other important German centres, using altogether over 400,000 bales yearly, are thus situated, while neighboring Belgium takes another 250,000 bales.

Rotterdam can therefore, it is pointed out, compete without difficulty for the delivery of about 800,000 bales of cotton per year. Germany may be reckoned on to do everything possible, by railway tariffs, etc., to preserve Bremen's position, while Bremen firms have the advantage of a direct interest in many German spinning concerns. Nevertheless, Rotterdam has high hopes of more than recovering its lost cotton trade of forty years ago.

FATHER ACQUITTED OF SERIOUS CHARGE

CHATHAM, May 22.—In the county judges criminal court this afternoon Thomas Galloway was acquitted of a serious charge preferred by his daughter, Eliza, who will be 14 years of age in August next. On account of the unsatisfactory nature of the girl's evidence, the charge could not be substantiated, which if proved, would have rendered the prisoner liable to fourteen years in prison and a whipping. Her evidence showed that she had been associated with Abbie Chrysler, a well-known local character. Judge Stanworth stated that he had never listened to evidence of such a crude and sordid nature and severely censored the prisoner for the manner in which he had allowed his child to grow up.

HARWICH TP. LOSES TWO OLD CITIZENS

Chas. Mallory Sen. and Mrs. Katherine Campbell Pass Away.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

BLENHEIM, May 22.—Two of the old residents of Harwich Township and of this vicinity have passed away within the last few days, namely, Charles Mallory Sr. of Erieau, and Mrs. Katherine Campbell of Blenheim.

Mr. Mallory formerly came from Mallorytown, was a resident of Blenheim and afterwards for years the customs officer at the port of landing at Erieau. Since he retired from office he has spent the remainder of his days at this port on the Erie shore. He was 85 years of age. A son, Charles, survives him. Brothers and sisters also survive him: William of this town, being a brother.

The funeral was held on Saturday. The remains were brought here by P. M. Ry. and interment took place at Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Campbell lived for many years at Huffman's Corners in Harwich, after which she moved to this town. She died at the age of 72 years, the end coming at the hospital, where she had been for some time. She leaves three sons and two daughters—William, foreman of a section on the P. M. Ry.; James, of Chatham; and another son who is a sailor; Mrs. D. Martin, of town; and Mrs. Ed Cundle, of Fargo, are daughters. The funeral is arranged for Tuesday at 2 o'clock, Rev. D. N. McCamus to conduct the service.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Those who expected that there would be a good market today, as tomorrow is a holiday, were disappointed. The market was one of the poorest for several weeks. Only a few loads of hay were offered, and the demand was fair. Hay brought from $17 to $20 per ton. A scattering of farmers were in with vegetables, but butter and eggs were conspicuous by their absence. The demand for dairy produce was steady. Flowers of all kinds were plentiful, and many people took the opportunity to purchase plants and roots for their gardens.

Prices, on the whole, have been firm since Saturday. A slight rise has been registered in wheat, which is now quoted at 95c to $1 per bushel. Straw is higher, selling at $8 to $9 per ton. There is a good demand for straw and the supply is only fair, which tends to raise the price.

A decided raise in butchers' meats is noticeable. Heifer beef is quoted at $14 per cwt., and cow beef at from $10 to $12 per cwt. Hogs are easier, and it is thought that they will continue to fall until they reach their usual price. Today dressed hogs were quoted at $14 to $14.50 per cwt., which is a slight drop from Monday's quotation. Live hogs are selling at $10.25 per cwt.

Grain, Per Cwt.			
Oats, per cwt	$1 55	to	$1 60
Barley, per cwt	1 15	to	1 20
Wheat, per cwt	1 40	to	1 50
Grain, Per Bushel.			
Oats, per bu	49	to	52
Wheat, per bu	95	to	1 00
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, wholesale	1 85	to	2 00
Potatoes, retail	2 00	to	2 10
Potatoes, per peck	40	to	40
Beets, per bu	50	to	50
Cabbages, per doz	40	to	1 00
Green onions, doz	20	to	20
Dry onions, bu	90	to	1 00
Rhubarb, per doz	25	to	30
Green onions, doz	30	to	30
Lettuce, per doz	40	to	40
Celery, per doz	40	to	50
Celery, 3 heads	15	to	20
Parsley, per doz	30	to	40
Beans, per bu	3 50	to	3 50
Asparagus, per doz	75	to	90
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	17 00	to	20 00
Straw, per ton	8 00	to	9 00
Dairy Produce ,Wholesale.			
Butter, creamery, lb.	34	to	35
Butter, dairy, lb rolls.	30	to	31
Butter, crocks, lb	28	to	29
Eggs, per doz	24	to	25
Honey, 10 lbs	1 40	to	1 50
Maple syrup, gallon	1 50	to	1 60
Dairy Produce ,Wholesale.			
Butter, ceramery, lb.	28	to	29
Butter, rolls, lb	27	to	27
Butter, store lots, lb.	24	to	25
Eggs, crate, doz	23	to	23
Poultry, Alive, Wholesale.			
Young chickens, lb	16	to	19
Old fowl, lb	17	to	17
Wholesalers to Farmers.			
Butter, dairy, lb	22	to	23
Butter, crocks, lb	22	to	23
Eggs, basket, doz	22	to	22
Eggs, crate, doz	22	to	23
Chickens, per lb	16	to	19
Old fowl, per lb	13	to	15
Live fowl, per lb	13	to	15
Live Stock.			
Hogs, per cwt	10 25	to	10 25
Fat sows, cwt	8 00	to	8 00
Small pigs, pair	12 00	to	15 00
Export cattle, cwt	8 00	to	8 50
Milch cows, each	75 00	to	90 00
Poultry, Dressed, Retail.			
Chickens, per pair	1 55	to	1 75
Geese, each	1 50	to	2 00
Ducks, per lb	18	to	21
Turkeys, per lb	23	to	25
Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale.			
Chickens, per lb	22	to	24
Old fowl, per lb	17	to	19
Ducks, per lb	16	to	18
Geese, per lb	13	to	16
Fruit.			
Apples, per bu	75	to	1 00
Butchers' Meats.			
Dressed hogs, cwt	14 00	to	14 50
Veal, per cwt	13 00	to	14 50
Beef, per cwt	14 00	to	14 00
Mutton, per cwt	13 00	to	16 00
Cow beef, cwt	10 00	to	12 00
Spring lamb, lb	18	to	19
Hides and Skins.			
Cow hides, No. 1	16	to	17
Cow hides, No. 2	15	to	16
Lambskins, per lb	35	to	35
Calfskins, per lb	23	to	25

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, May 22.—May wheat closed 2c lower, July 2¼c down and October, ⅞c lower on the local grain market today. All day the bears squeezed and pounded with great effect. Oats dropped ⅜c for May, ¼c for July, and ¼c for October. Barley was unchanged, while flax slumped 5¾c to 6¾c.

The market saw some more liquidation, and in the middle of the day the selling was particularly aggressive.

In coarse grains oats were off a little, chiefly in sympathy with wheat. The good demand in the cash markets helped to steady this grain somewhat, but was offset by some liquidation. Flax was hit hard and often. At one time May flax was 10c under Saturday's high point. The selling was chiefly in sympathy with the American markets.

Cash grain: Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.13; No. 2 northern, $1.11½; No. 3 northern, $1.07¾; No. 4, $1.02½; No. 5, 96½c; No. 6, 91c; feed, 85c.

Oats—No. 2 Canadian western, 46¾c; No. 3 Canadian western, 45½c; extra No. 1 feed, 45½c; No. 1 feed, 44¾c; No. 2 feed, 42¾c.

Barley—No. 3, 69¼c.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., $1.69¼; No. 2 Canadian western, $1.65.

Chicago, May 23.—Lower quotations from Liverpool, with favorable weather in this country, brought about fresh declines today in the wheat market. Bears attributed the weakness at Liverpool, in part at least, to the change in underwriters' rates, indicating better peace prospects. A substantial increase of the European visible supply tended also to handicap the bulls.

Opening prices, which ranged from ⅛c to ¼c to 1¾c lower, with July at $1 08 to $1 08⅜, and September at $1 08½ to $1 08⅞, were followed by rallies, but then additional declines.

Liverpool, May 23.—Wheat—Spot was weak; No. 1 Manitoba, 12s; No. 3, 11s 8d; No. 1 northern spring, 11s 10d; No. 2 red western winter, 11s 4d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 11s.

FLOUR.

Liverpool, May 23.—Flour—Winter patents, 47s.

HOPS.

Liverpool, May 23.—Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, £4 15s to £5 15s.

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, May 23.—Hams—Short cut, 87s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 82s 6d; short ribs, 85s; clear bellies, 88s; long clear middles, light, 86s; do, heavy, 84s; short clear backs, 81s; shoulders, square, 69s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, new, 77s 6d; do, old, 78s 6d; American refined, in pails, 81s 6d.

DAIRY.

Liverpool, May 23.—Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, nominal, 111s; do, colored, new, nominal, 111s.

OILS.

Liverpool, May 23.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 49s 3d.

Rosin—Common, 20s.

Petroleum—Refined, 11¼d.

Linseed Oil—41s 6d.

Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot, 46s 3d.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, May 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; market steady; beeves, $9 15 to $10 40; stockers and feeders, $6 to $8 90; cows and heifers, $4 50 to $9 70; calves, $8 to $11 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market weak; light, $9 35 to $9 90; mixed, $9 35 to $10; heavy, $9 45 to $10 05; roughs, $9 45 to $9 60; pigs, $7 40 to $9 35; bulk of sales at $9 70 to $9 95.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market weak; wethers, $9 15 to $9 50; lambs, native, $9 to $12 90; spring lambs, $11 to $13 50.

East Buffalo, N.Y., May 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 75; active and strong.

Veals—Receipts, 150; active and steady, $4 50 to $12.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,200 head; slow; heavy, $10 20 to $10 25; mixed, $10 15 to $10 20; yorkers, $9 75 to $10 20; pigs, $9 50 to $9 75; roughs, $8 90 to $9; stags, $6 50 to $7 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,000; active; prices unchanged.

NEW YORK COTTON

Prices Go Lower Due to Discouraging Reports in Connection With Peace Overtures.

(Reported by Thomson & McKinnon).

New York, May 22.—

Prices ran off on discouraging reports in the newspapers as to the likelihood of an early peace, heavy rains in southern Texas and Georgia, where rain fell also, more or less rain in South Carolina where drought has prevailed, and finally selling of the list by Wall Street and the south as well as local traders, in which there was considerable pressure for a time on July.

But on the decline Liverpool, and spot interests were pretty good buyers as the day wore on it was found that selling pressure had veered, and Wall Street and local traders bought. On the decline there is influential buying, and it looks as though every time the market drops this buying will appear.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	13 02	13 02	12 85	12 94
July	13 10	13 10	12 91	13 05
Sept.	....	....	....	13 10
Oct.	13 08	13 09	12 97	13 07
Dec.	13 23	13 24	13 10	13 21
Jan.	13 28	13 28	13 16	13 25
March	13 39	13 39	13 28	13 39

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, May 22.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady; May, 8.35d; May and June, 8.27½d; June and July, 8.23d; July and August, 8.20d; August and September, 8.13d; September and October, 8.01½d; October and November, 7.92d; November and December, 7.87d; December and January, 7.83½d; January and February, 7.81d; February and March, 7.79½d; March and April, 7.78½; April and May, 7.76½d; May and June, 7.75d.

Cotton—Spot, in fair demand; prices easy; American middling, fair, 9.41d; good middling, 8.83d; middling, 8.67d; 8.11d; ordinary, 7.81d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 6,900 American. Receipts were 3,000 bales, including 2,200 American.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, May 23.

	Asked.	Bid.
American Cyanamid, com.	47	45
American Cyanamid, pfd.	72	70
Ames-Holden, com.	28½	27½
Ames-Holden, pfd.	..	76½
Barcelona Traction	13	12½
Brazilian T., L. & P.	60¾	60½
B. C. Fishing	62	..
Burt, com.	76	74
Burt, pfd.	95	94
Canada Bread, com.	..	25¼
Canada Bread, pfd.	..	97
Canada Steamships, com.	26½	26¼
Canada Steamships, pfd.	83	82¼
Canadian Gen. Electric	115	114
Can. Locomotive, com.	67¼	66½
Canadian Salt	..	110
City Dairy, pfd.	..	98
Coniagas Mines	580	540
Consolidated Smelters	40½	40¼
Consumers' Gas	..	168
Crown Reserve Mines	57	52
Detroit United	114	..
Dome Mines	..	2750
Dominion Canners, com.	18	..
Dominion Canners, pfd.	75	..
Dominion Coal, pfd.	101	..
Dom. Steel Corporation	55	54½
Dominion Telegraph	100	..
Duluth-Superior	..	40½
Hollinger Mines	3000	2970
La Rose Mines	..	70
Mackay, com.	84⅞	84¾
Mackay, pfd.	..	68½
Maple Leaf, com.	..	92
Maple Leaf, pfd.	..	96¾
Montreal Power	242	..
Monarch, com.	..	30
Monarch, pfd.	..	80
Nipissing Mines	800	790
Nova Scotia Steel	133	130
Pacific Burt, com.	..	25
Pacific Burt, pfd.	..	80
Penmans, pfd.	..	82
Porto Rico Railway	40	37
Rogers, com.	..	85
Rogers, pfd.	..	96
Russell, com.	65	..
Russell, pfd.	95	..
Sawyer-Massel, pfd.	75	..
Shredded Wheat, com.	116	115
Shredded Wheat, pfd.	..	98
Spanish River, com.	..	9⅛
Spanish River, pfd.	..	31
Steel of Canada, com.	63	62¾
Steel of Canada, pfd.	90	89½
Toronto Railway	165	..
Trethewey Mines	30	28
Tucketts, com.	29	..
Tucketts, pfd.	90	..
Twni City, com.	98¼	98
Bank of Commerce	203	..
Dominion Bank	227	..
Bank of Hamilton	201	..
Imperial Bank	210	..
Merchants' Bank	180	..
Bank of Nova Scotia	261	..
Ottawa Bank	207	..
Royal Bank	226	..
Standard Bank	215	..
Bank of Toronto	211	..
Union Bank	140	..
Canada Landed	..	157½
Canada Permanent	178	176
Hamilton Provident	..	140
Huron & Erie	213	210
Landed Banking	..	148
Toronto General Trust	208	207
Toronto Mortgage	..	134
Canada Bread bonds	93	..
Can. Locomotive bonds	..	88½
Dominion Canners bonds	90	..
Porto Rico bonds	..	84½
Province of Ontario bonds	..	85
Steel of Canada bonds	..	93

Morning Sales: Maple Leaf, 105 at 92¼ to 93; do pfd., 2 at 97; City Dairy, 1 at 89; do, pfd., 13 at 100; Barcelona, 10 at 13; N. S. Steel, 100 at 130⅛ to 130½; Steel Corporation, 75 at 55; Russell, 1 at 65; do, pfd., 5 at 93; Pacific Burt, 10 at 25; Steamships, 25 at 26¼ to 26½; do, pfd., 385 at 82½ to 83; Canada Car and Foundry, pfd., 10 at 90; Canada Bread, 280 at 25 to 25½; Cement, 210 at 68 to 68½; Twin City, 3 at 98; Steel of Canada, 200 at 62½ to 62⅞; C. P. R., 25 at 152½; Locomotive, 1 at 66¼; General Electric, 180 at 114⅛ to 114½; Smelters, 130 at 40½; Hollinger, 70 at $29 95; Canada Permanent, 150 at 177 to 178; Mackay, 206 at 84 to 84⅞.

Unlisted—Canadian Cottons, 15 at 50; Dome Lake, 400 at 29; McIntyre, 16,500 at 183 to 192; Apex, 10,500 at 8 to 8½; Peterson Lake, 300 at 29½ to 30; Temiskaming, 1,500 at 68 to 70; West Dome Consolidated, 13,500 at 35½ to 37½; McIntyre Extension, 100 at 37½; War Loan, $500 at 98¾ to 98½; Dominion Steel Foundry, pfd., 50 at 82.

WALL STREET.

New York, May 23—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Reading continued its spectacular movement to higher levels on the resumption of trading today, opening with a block of 6,000 shares at 110½ to 110¼, against the previous record price of 109¾, made on the preceding day, then making a further gain at 110¾. From this price it fell back over a point, but soon rallied. There were heavy dealings also in Union Pacific, St. Paul, Wabash issues, United States Steel and some of the war shares, all at variable gains. Mercantile Marine, preferred, Baldwin Locomotive, Mexican Petroleum and Industrial Alcohol reflected the heaviness of special stocks.

Noon.—The broad and general advance of the first hour, which embraced all rails of prominence, invited heavy profit-taking, with reactions of 1 to 2 points. Reading fell back to 108⅝, and became relatively inactive. Mexicans strengthened materially later, with a rise of 2 points for American Smelting. Among specialties, however, the movement continued somewhat mixed. New high records were made by Chandler Motors and Underwood Typewriter at par and 106 respectively. United States Steel continued backward, and the munitions group was exceedingly irregular. Bonds were firm.

1:30 p.m.—Re