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STEEL ISSUES STRONGER IN NEW YORK SECURITIES

T. C. I. and Similar Issues Score Advances—Local Stocks Are Quiet But Steady.

World Office,
Friday Evening, Feb. 10.

Business was light again to-day in the local stock market and price changes were as narrow as the business. Specialty movements were suspended; the day's business being principally one of evening up speculative accounts. The smaller volume of business has not dulled bullish sentiment, which is very apparent in street talk. A favorable feature of the day's news was the statement that call money was again offered more freely. From Montreal it was reported that funds were available as low as 4 per cent. The only movement of consequence during the day was in Soo common, but the dealings in the issue were confined almost absolutely to Montreal. In the New York investment shares there was a very light demand with quotations unchanged, except in Bank of Commerce. The price of this issue advanced on several transactions in broken lots. The annual meeting of the Crow's Nest Coal Company was held to-day and a satisfactory statement presented, but the stock stood unchanged, offered at 250 without bid. In the unlisted department a good enquiry was reported to-day for Centre Star.

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Ennis & Stoppani, McKinnon Building, report the close of N.Y. Northern Pacific, bid 150¾, asked 150¾; Mackay, common, bid 67¾, asked 68; do., pref., bid 75½, asked 76½; Boston, Dominion Coal, closed, bid 65½; Dominion Steel, closed, bid 18¼; Granby Smelter, bid 94½; Phila. Lake Superior, common, bid 7¾, asked 8¼; do., pref., bid 14, asked 15½.

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One small failure in London.

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Japanese bonds strong in London.

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Stocks are plentiful on the lean crowd.

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No change is expected in Steel Spring common dividend.

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The railway rate bill passed the house of representatives.

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Good covering of snow is expected to largely benefit winter wheat.

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Full eight per cent. dividend expected on United States Rubber preferred.

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A suit has been brought by the Dutch stockholders to dissolve the Kansas City voting trust before the annual meeting in March.

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Consols in London continue their strength and have advanced almost a point in three days. Now at highest in some time.

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For the third week of January, 44 roads earned in gross $7,491,086, increase $151,676, or 2.06 per cent. For the month of January, 39 roads, $37,161,192, increase $1,117,895, or 3.10 per cent.

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From July 1 to Jan. 31, gross of 39 roads $265,645,504, increase $15,704,195, or 5.42 per cent.

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The New York Stock Exchange and other U.S. exchanges will be closed Monday, Lincoln Day.

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According to the known movement of money the banks have lost $7,000,000 this week.

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About 40 per cent. in dividends have accrued on the preferred stocks of Republic Iron and Steel since payment of dividend was suspended late in 1903. It is understood the management contemplates cancelling this obligation in one lump amount or instalments soon after proceeds of the new bond issue are received.

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The conspicuous feature of the morning trade has been Tennessee Coal and Iron, which advanced over 2 per cent. on heavy and aggressive buying by Moore & Schley and traders, who fell in line with the movement. The stock is closely held and powerful financial interests are back of it, and it is a comparatively easy matter to make a demonstration in it such as that of this morning.—Town Topics.

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We understand that negotiations have been renewed looking towards a closer combination or merger of the Tennessee Coal & Iron, Republic Iron & Steel and Sloss-Sheffield Company. It will be remembered that a similar project nearly reached completion previous to the depression of 1903. It is said on good authority that active progress is making in this new movement for the union of the leading southern iron and steel corporations.—News.

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The annual statement of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company for 1904, made public to-day, shows a proper showing. Net profits amounted to $400,935.56, an increase of $85,557.28 over 1903.

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The increase in coal mined this year over last amounts to 81,000 tons, and the coke exported shows an increase of over 58,000 tons.

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Not that I'm interested particularly, but simply to show I'm on deck, I want to say now—just a little ahead of the band-wagon. Get ready for startling news on Amalgamated Copper by the way of Rogers. Insiders, etc., startling news. P.S.—No. 1.—Very startling news. No. 2.—I am not going to say anything until the news is out, then perhaps—perhaps—I may have something further to say.—T. W. Lawson.

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It is understood the management of Republic Iron and Steel has decided to ask stockholders to ratify at the next future issue of $10,000,000 five per cent. 30-year first mortgage bonds. Part of which to take up the $6,390,000 notes issued last year. It is possible that only about $7,000,000 or $8,000,000 bonds will be put out in the near future. Prominent New York banking house, it is understood, has agreed to take the entire issue. With the cash which the company has on hand and with the proceeds of the bonds it will be able to pay all obligations and have a surplus of about $3,000,000. It is calculated that the company should make net profits during the present year of from $250,000 to $275,000 a month.—News.

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Joseph says: Buyers of Pennsylvania have nothing to risk. Big prices are predicted for both Pennsylvania and St. Paul. The strength of Great Northern preferred and other Hill-Harriman interests shows what is expected by big financiers. Take hold of the Pacific conservatively. Reading and the soft coalers are certain to go higher. The bank statement to-morrow will be favorable. Specialties—Ontario and Western, Chesapeake and Ohio, Copper and People's Gas.

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New York, Feb. 9.—R. G. Dun and Company's Weekly Review of Trade will say to-morrow: Trade reports from branch offices of R. G. Dun and Company at the leading cities indicate favorable conditions on the whole, altho the weather has been unsatisfactory at several points. Boston reports that storms have interfered with trade and sentiment is conservative. The clothing trade is good throughout New England, supplementary wholesale orders indicating low retail stocks. Manufacturers are generally well engaged at Philadelphia, except for some irregularity in textiles, and paper mills find shipments delayed by bad weather, which also makes some retail prices higher. Bank exchanges exceed the first week of February of any preceding year, tho if allowance is made for the short week two years ago the gain over 1903 is small. Total exchanges this week at all leading cities in the United States, are $2,523,874,364, an increase of 39.7 per cent., compared with the corresponding week last year.

Money Markets.

The Bank of England discount rate is 3 per cent. Money, 2½ to 3 per cent. Short bills, 2⅝ per cent. New York call money, 1⅝ to 2 per cent. Last loan, 1¾ per cent. Call money at Toronto, 4½ to 5 per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

A. J. Glazebrook, Traders' Bank Building (To-day's noon), to-day reports exchange rates as follows:

	Between Banks Buyers	Between Banks Sellers	Counter.
N. Y. Funds..	par	par	1-8 to 1-4
Mont'l Funds..	par	10c prem	14c to 1-4
60 days sight.	9 1-4	9 3-16	9 9-16 to 9 11-16
Demand Stg.	9 25-32	9 27-32	10 1-16 to 10 3-16
Cable Trans.	9 7-8	9 29-32	10 3-16 to 10 5-16

—Rates in New York—

	Actual.	Posted.
Sterling, demand	487.95@489	to ...
Sterling, 60 days	485.60@486½	to ...

Price of Silver.

Bar silver in London, 28¼d per oz.
Bar silver in New York, 61½c per oz.
Mexican dollars, 47½c.

Weekly Bank Clearings.

The aggregate bank clearings in the Dominion for the past week, with the usual comparisons, are as follows:

	1905. Feb. 9.	1903. Feb. 2.	1904. Feb. 11.
Montreal	$22,106,661	$21,657,291	$17,673,774
Toronto	20,852,364	18,709,779	12,639,885
Winnipeg	5,533,219	5,180,170	4,286,834
Halifax	1,939,987	1,394,021	1,526,031
Hamilton	1,820,815	1,245,963	1,475,796
St. John	936,638	757,879	812,514
Vancouver	1,350,740	1,497,045	1,192,793
Victoria	999,672	746,895	680,599
London	931,077	813,318	690,915

Dominion Failures.

Dun's Mercantile Agency reports the number of failures in the Dominion during the past week, in provinces, as compared with those of previous weeks, as follows:

	Ont.	Que.	N.S.	N.B.	P. E. I.	Man.	B.C.	Total.	1904.
Feb. 9	6	6	2	...	...	4	18	26	18
Feb. 2	8	13	1	...	1	6	3	31	25
Jan. 26	14	13	1	...	1	4	1	33	32
Jan. 19	10	8	1	...	1	3	3	24	31
Jan. 12	10	7	2	1	...	4	...	23	37
Jan. 5	5	9	3	2	...	2	...	21	28
Dec. 29	5	7	1	...	...	3	3	19	15

On Wall Street.

Marshall, Spader & Co., wired J. G. Beaty, King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market to-day:

The running up of a number of specialties lifted the entire market somewhat. It was apparent that the effect of the departure of Mr. Gates for California and the liquidation of many stocks by his clique has been temporarily discounted. Prices rallied easily under the lead of the Southern Steel group, large amounts of T.C. & I. being taken on the 3 point rise. Colorado Fuel and Republican Steels were also very strong and U.S. Steels showed good rallying power. In connection with the buying of Republic Steel the successful flotation of the new bonds had a good effect. It was reported that back dividends are to be paid by this company. T. C. & I. was under perfect control by the clique that controls it and most of the buying orders seem to have come from them. There is nothing yet to show that a merger of Southern iron interests can be effected. The trouble has been in arriving at a basis of valuation of the several properties. The market as a whole, acted very well, and showed evidence that the big people want to keep prices up.

We would, therefore, buy on moderate recessions, but confine transactions to standard issues.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to L. L. Mitchell, McKinnon Building, to-day:

New York, Feb. 10.—The market to-day has reflected evening-up operations in the railroad list, with sharp improvement in "Soo" common, which, as usual, failed to bring out much stock, and with some striking advances in the industrial section. The buying of steels was good, coming from quarters where we believe very bullish ideas regarding these issues are entertained. The advance in T.C. & I. was accompanied by reports that the company has disposed of its entire capacity for the current year. Talk of a combination of southern iron companies and possible absorption by steel was heard. It is thought that the Republic Steel financing will include payments of the 10 per cent. in back dividends. The general industrial list is attracting more attention and we expect activity in this quarter of the market. B. & O. and B.R.T. were well taken and seem attractive around this level. We continue to favor the long side of the market.

Yates & Ritchie to McMillan & Maguire: The head of an important house which is closely connected with some of the large interests in the market, said to us this afternoon: "While I do not anticipate any great activity in the market the rest of this week, I look for a strong market next week. We are going to see some great activity before the Northern Securities case comes up again. The U.S. Steel issues have rather puzzled me, but from what I hear to-day, I think they will not be hesitating much longer."

The Gates party remains prominent in the market. They were active bidders in a number of groups to-day.

The activity in Amalgamated this afternoon was accompanied by a report that the Lawson factions were covering their shorts in the stock. Sources well-informed on A.C.P. are looking for the stock to work well above the present levels.

Bullish talk is heard this afternoon again in Flower circles on P.O. They were bidders for the stock. More favorable legislation and the good earnings report are the arguments set forth to favor an advance. A large speculative account was reported to have been liquidated in R.I. to-day, those well informed on the stock are bullish on it. A party close to some of the leaders in the Moore clique stated to us that he has been advised not to be without some of the common stock. When the move starts it will be a good one, he is told.

Toronto Stocks.

	Feb. 9. Ask.	Feb. 9. Bid.	Feb. 10. Ask.	Feb. 10. Bid.
Ontario	132½	135	...	135
Toronto	...	...	236½	...
Commerce	158½	...	158½	...
Imperial	238½	233	240	235
Dominion	251	240½	250	240
Standard	240	...	240	...
Hamilton	218	216	218	217¼
Nova Scotia	...	...	...	...
Ottawa	...	215	...	215
Traders	...	133	...	133½
Imperial Life	...	140	...	140
Can. Gas, xd	211	210	210½	210
Ont. & Qu'Appelle	...	100	...	100
C.N.W.L., pf	...	99	...	99
C. P. R.	134⅝	133⅞	134⅝	134⅛
do., new	133	...	131	130
M. St.P. & S.S., pf	...	...	...	150½
do., com	101	99½	...	102
Tor. Elec. Light	152	151	...	151
Can. Gen. Elec.	176⅝	175	176½	175
Mackay, com	43½	42¾	43	42½
do., pref	76¼	75¾	76¾	75¼
Dom. Tel	120	...	...	120
Bell Telephone	...	159	161	159½
Richelieu	63½	63	...	63
Niagara Nav	114	...	...	...
Northern Navi	70	...	64	...
St. L. & C.	...	...	110	105
Toronto Rail	...	104¼	...	104¼
Twin City	105⅞	105½	106	105½
Wpg. St. Ry.	...	148	140	139
Sao Paulo	117¼	116¾	117	116½
Dom. Steel, com	...	...	19	18
do., pref	...	...	...	63
Dom. Coal, com	66¾	66½	67	66¼
N. S. Steel, com	67½	67	67¼	66¾
Canada Salt	114	...	114	...
Crow's Nest Coal	250	...	350	...
Can. Landed	...	110	...	110
Brit. Canadian	95	92	95	92
N.S., pref	...	...	...	...
Canada Per	...	123	...	123
Can. S. & L.	...	120	...	120
Cent. Can. Loan	...	180	...	170
Dom. S. & I.	...	70	...	70
Hamilton Prov	...	119	...	119
Huron & Erie	...	185	...	185
Landed B. & L.	...	113	...	110
London & Can	100	98½	99½	...
Manitoba Loan	...	95	...	95
Toronto Mort	...	107	...	107
London Loan	...	...	...	...
Ontario L. & D.	...	120	...	121
Toronto Savings	...	130	...	130

Morning sales: Commerce, 4 at 158¾, 8 at 158, 2 at 159½, 20 at 159½, 2 at 159½, 54 at 159⅝; Hamilton, 15 at 218; Canadian General Electric, 25 at 175, 100 at 175½, 25 at 175⅝, 50 at 176; Traders, 2 at 133; Coal, 50 at 66½, 25 at 66, 25 at 65¾; Hamilton, 15 at 218; Traders', 1 at 133; N.S. Steel, 150 at 67, 50 at 67¼; Ottawa, 18 at 215; Mackay, 75 at 42½; Winnipeg, 50 at 139; N.S. Steel, 25, 25, 25, 25 at 67; Ontario, 15 at 135; Niagara, 10 at 114; Sao Paulo, 125 at 116¾; Coal, 10, 50 at 66, 25 at 66¼; St. Lawrence, 20 at 105; Twin City, 20 at 105¾.

Montreal Stocks.

Montreal Feb. 10.—Closing quotations to-day:

	Ask.	Bid.
C. P. R.	134¼	...
Toledo Railway	22⅝	22½
Montreal Railway	212	...
Halifax Railway	110	...
Toronto Railway	...	104⅞
Detroit Railway	78¼	78
Dominion Steel	18⅝	18¼
do. pref.	...	63¼
Twin City	106	105⅞
Richelieu	63½	63
Montreal L., H. & P.	79⅝	79⅜
Bell Telephone	161	159½
Nova Scotia	67½	67
Dominion Coal	...	66½
Dominion Steel bonds	81½	81
Quebec Bank	...	...
Montreal Bank	...	...
Hochelaga	...	...
Commerce	...	...
Mackay common	42½	42½
do. pref.	76½	75¾
Molsons	...	...
Union Bank	...	...
Winnipeg Railway bonds	...	...
Merchants	...	...
Dominion Cotton	76	71½

Morning sales: Bank of Commerce, 2 at 158, 30 at 158½, 21 at 158¾, 9 at 159, 1 at 159, 20 at 159; Switch, 15, 25, 4, 18, 2, 5, 10 at 80, 25, 25, 25 at 79¾, 1 at 79½; Switch pref., 25 at 107; Union Bank, 5, 1 at 140; Dominion Steel, 75 at 18¼; Dominion Steel pref., 25 at 63½; Twin City, 5 at 105½; Mackay pref., 50, 50 at 75¾; Richelieu & Ontario, 25 at 63; Montreal Power, xd., 25, 25, 75, 25, 5 at 78, 25, 25, 25, 100 at 79¼, 25, 25 at 79⅝, 25, 50 at 79⅝, 25, 25, 25, 75, 125 at 78½, 18 at 78¼, 25 at 78⅜; Canadian Pacific, 15 at 133¾; Mackay, 10 at 43½, 12 at 43, 25 at 43¼; Toledo Ral., 50 at 22½; Soo, 25, 25 at 109¼, 25, 50 at 109½, 25 at 109¾, 25 at 109⅞; N.S. Steel, 25 at 67¼, 10 at 67; Dominion Steel bonds, $5000 at 81; Winnipeg bonds, $4000, $1000 at 104¾.

Afternoon sales: C.P.R., 50, 25 at 134; Switch pref., 4 at 107⅞, 10 at 108; Soo, 10 at 101½, 100 at 101¾, 50 at 101¼, 25 at 102¼; Coal, 25 at 66; new C.P.R., 50, 25 at 130¾; Switch, 25 at 79½; Montreal Power, 105, 75, 15, 10, 100 at 79¼, 25 at 79⅝, 50, 75, 20 at 79¾, 50, 55, 25 at 79⅞, 50, 50 at 79⅝; Trinidad, 100 at 85; Montreal, 25 at 235; Detroit Railway, 25 at 78, 25, 25, 75 at 78⅛, 10 at 78¼; Steel, 25 at 18, 25, 25, 75 at 18¼; Dominion Steel bonds, $1000 at 81; Twin City, 25, 25 at 105¾; Steel, 100 at 18⅛; pref., 25 at 63¼.

London Stocks.

	Feb. 9. Last Quo.	Feb. 10. Last Quo.
Consols, account, ex-int.	89⅛	89 5-16
Consols, money, ex-int.	89¾	89 7-16
Atchison	91	90½
do. pref.	105⅜	105½
Chesapeake & Ohio	53¼	52½
Anaconda	38⅝	38⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	109⅝	107¼
Denver & Rio Grande	33¾	33⅝
C. P. R.	137¾	137½
Chicago Gt. Western	24¼	24
St. Paul	181¼	180½
Erie	45⅛	44⅞
do. 1st pref.	82½	81⅞
do. 2nd pref.	67	66½
Louisville & Nashville	142¼	140½
Illinois Central	161½	161½
Kansas & Texas	33⅝	32⅞
Norfolk & Western	85¼	84⅞
do. pref.	95	95
New York Central	152½	152½
Pennsylvania	72¼	71⅞
Ontario & Western	50½	50⅛
Reading	49	48⅞
do. 1st pref.	47½	47½
do. 2nd pref.	46½	46½
Southern Pacific	68⅛	68½
Southern Railway	36	35⅞
do. pref.	90⅝	90⅝
Wabash common	23½	23¼
do. pref.	46¼	46
Union Pacific	125½	124¾
do. pref.	90½	90⅜
United States Steel	31⅝	31⅜
do. pref.	96⅞	96⅞

*ex-dividend.

New York Stocks.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, report the following fluctuations on the New York Stock Exchange to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Hocking Valley	90⅝	92⅝	90⅝	92⅝
Chesapeake	51⅝	51⅝	50⅝	51⅛
Norfolk	85	83½	82⅝	83
Reading	95½	95⅝	95⅛	95⅝
do. 1st pref.	...	...	...	...
do. 2nd pref.	...	...	...	...
O. & W.	48⅞	49¼	48⅝	48⅝
Erie	43⅝	43⅞	43⅝	43⅞
do. 1st pref.	80	80⅞	80	80
do. 2nd pref.	65	65¼	65	65
N. Y. C.	147	147⅞	147	147⅝
Penn. Central	140⅝	140½	140	140⅛
B. & O.	106⅝	106⅞	106	106⅝
D. & H.	192	192⅝	192	192⅝
Atchison	88¼	88⅝	87⅞	88⅝
do. pref.	102⅝	102⅝	102	102½
C. G. W.	22⅛	23⅛	22½	22⅝
C. P. R.	134	134½	133½	134½
S. S. Marie	100½	103	100½	103
do. pref.	159½	160	159½	160
Union	121⅝	122⅝	121½	122⅛
do. convert.	121⅝	121⅞	121⅝	121⅞
Denver pref.	88⅝	88⅝	88	88
Mo. Pacific	107⅛	107⅝	107	107⅝
R. I.	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝
do. pref.	81	81½	80⅝	81½
St. Paul	175⅝	176½	175½	176⅝
South. Pacific	66⅝	67	66½	66⅞
Southern Ry.	34⅝	35	34½	34⅞
do. pref.	...	...	...	...
Ill. & N. W.	137	137⅝	137	137½
Ill. Central	158	158	157½	158
Alton	42	42	42	42
S. L. S. W.	26⅝	26⅝	26¼	26⅝
do. pref.	63½	63½	63	63¼
Texas Pacific	36⅛	36⅝	36	36
Wabash	23	23	23	23
do. pref.	44⅝	44⅝	44½	44½
M., K. & T.	...	...	...	...
do. pref.	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝
S. F. S. 2nds	73	73	73	73
Mex. Central	22⅝	22⅝	22½	22⅝
Am. St Fders	...	...	...	...
Amal. Copper	38	38⅛	38	38⅛
Car Fd Dry	33¼	33¼	33⅛	33⅛
Pressed Car	38	38⅛	38	38⅛
Locomotive	36½	37	36½	37
Sugar	143⅝	144⅛	143⅝	144⅛
Nor. American	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
C. F. & I.	47⅝	49⅝	47¼	49⅛
T. C. & I.	76⅝	81⅞	76⅝	81⅞
Sloss	65	66⅝	65	66¼
Republic Steel	16½	18½	16½	18½

SCALPING OPERATIONS GOVERNING CHICAGO

Fluctuations in Futures Are Very Narrow—Argentine and Other Weekly Shipments.

World Office,
Friday Evening, Feb. 10.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ¼d lower than yesterday and corn futures ¾d higher.

At Chicago May wheat closed ⅛c higher than yesterday, May corn ⅛c lower and May oats ⅜c higher.

The Chicago Board of Trade will be closed on Monday, Lincoln Day.

Indian wheat shipments this week 1,208,000 bushels.

Northwest receipts to-day 206 cars, week ago 229, year ago holiday.

Argentine wheat shipments this week 1,968,000 bushels, corn shipments 212,000 bushels.

Car lots at Chicago to-day: Wheat 10 cars, contract 0, estimated 11; corn 235, 1, 213; oats 67, 11, 57.

Primary receipts: Wheat 368,000 bushels, against 193,000 bushels; corn 517,000 bushels, against 302,000 bushels. Export clearances wheat 42,000 bushels.

Puts and calls, as reported by Ennis & Stoppani, McKinnon Building, Toronto: Milwaukee May wheat, puts 1-16¼, calls $1.16⅞; Milwaukee July wheat, puts $1.00½, calls $1.01.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 1600 bushels of grain, 30 loads of hay, 5 loads of straw, a liberal supply of dressed hogs, with a few lots of potatoes and apples.

Wheat—Five hundred bushels of wheat sold as follows: White, 200 bushels sold at $1.06 to $1.08; red, 200 bushels sold at $1.08 to $1.08; goose, 100 bushels sold at 91c to 92c.

Barley—Eight hundred bushels sold at 51½c to 52c.

Oats—Three hundred bushels sold at 42c to 42½c.

Hay—Thirty loads sold at $9 to $11 per ton for timothy and $8 for mixed.

Dressed hogs—Deliveries large, prices generally easier at $7.25 to $7.50, the bulk going at $7.40 per cwt. One small load of extra choice well-dressed hogs brought $7.75 per cwt.

Apples—Prices ranged from $1.25 to $2.50 per barrel for the bulk of offerings, with an occasional extra fine lot of spys at $3 per barrel.

Potatoes—Prices unchanged from quotations given in table.

Poultry—Prices firm, but unchanged. See table.

Eggs—Strictly new-laid eggs are plentiful at the retail stores, which causes lowering prices at the basket market, at 27c to 30c per dozen.

Grain—	
Wheat, white, bush	$1 06 to $1 08
Wheat, red, bush	1 06 ... 1 08
Wheat, spring, bush	1 02 ... .
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91 ... 0 92
Beans, bush	1 00 ... 1 10
Barley, bush	0 51½ ... 0 52
Oats, bush	0 42 ... .
Rye, bush	0 75 ... .
Peas, bush	0 70 ... .
Buckwheat, bush	0 54 ... .
Seeds—	
Alsike, No. 1, bush	$4 75 to $5 25
Alsike, No. 2, bush	4 00 ... 4 50
Alsike, No. 3, bush	3 00 ... 3 60
Timothy, No. 1, bush	1 10 ... 1 20
Timothy, No. 2, bush	0 90 ... 1 00
Red clover, No. 1, bush	7 00 ... 7 25
Red clover, No. 2, bush	6 25 ... 6 60
Hay and Straw—	
Hay, per ton	$7 00 to $11 00
Straw, per ton	10 00 ... .
Straw, loose, per ton	6 00 ... 7 00
Fruits and Vegetables—	
Apples, per bbl	$1 25 to $3 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 80 ... 0 90
Cabbage, per doz	0 40 ... 0 75
Cabbage, red, each	0 05 ... 0 10
Beets, per peck	0 10 ... .
Cauliflower, per doz	0 60 ... 0 75
Red carrots, per bag	0 60 ... 0 70
Celery, per doz	0 50 ... 1 00
Parsnips, per bag	0 75 ... .
Onions, per bag	2 00 ... .
Poultry—	
Spring chickens, per lb	$0 12 to $0 15
Chickens, last year's, lb	0 08 ... 0 09
Turkeys, per lb	0 18 ... 0 20
Ducks, per lb	0 13 ... 0 15
Geese, per lb	0 12 ... 0 15
Dairy Produce—	
Butter, lb. rolls	$0 22 to $0 25
Eggs, new laid, doz	0 27 ... 0 30
Fresh Meats—	
Beef, forequarters, cwt	$4 50 to $ 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	7 50 ... 7 50
Spring lambs, d'd, cwt	9 00 ... 10 00
Mutton, light, cwt	7 00 ... 8 00
Veals, carcasses, each	8 00 ... 9 50
Dressed hogs, cwt	7 25 ... 7 50

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Potatoes, car lots, bag	$0 70 to $0 80
Hay, baled, car lots, ton	7 75 ... 8 00
Straw, baled, car lots, ton	6 25 ... 6 50
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0 19 ... 0 20
Butter, tubs, lb.	0 17 ... 0 18
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 24 ... 0 25
Butter, creamery, boxes	0 22 ... 0 23
Butter, bakers' lub	0 15 ... 0 16
Eggs, stored, doz	0 21 ... 0 22
Eggs, new laid, doz	0 25 ... .
Honey, per lb.	0 08 ... 0 09
Turkeys, per lb.	0 15 ... 0 16
Geese, per lb.	0 11 ... 0 12
Ducks, per lb.	0 10 ... 0 12
Chickens, young, lb.	0 09 ... 0 11
Chickens, old, per lb.	0 07 ... 0 08

These quotations are for choice quality only.

Hides and Tallow.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealers in Wool, Hides, Calf and Sheep Skins, Tallow, etc.:

Hides, No. 1, steers, ins	$0 09½ to $....
Hides, No. 2, steers, ins	0 08½ ... .
Hides, No. 1, inspected	0 08 ... .
Hides, No. 2, inspected	0 08 ... .
Calfskins, No. 1, selected	0 12 ... .
Sheepskins	1 25 ... 1 50
Wool, fleece	0 22 ... 0 23
Rejections	0 16 ... 0 17
Wool, unwashed	0 13 ... 0 14
Tallow, rendered	0 04 ... 0 04½

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour—Manitoba, first patents, $5.70; Manitoba, second patents, $5.40, and $5.30 for strong bakers', bags included, on track at Toronto; 90 per cent. patents, in buyers' bags, east or middle freight, $4.30; Manitoba bran, sacks, $18 per ton; shorts, sacked, $20 per ton, in Toronto.

Wheat—Red and white are worth $1.06, middle freight; spring, $1, middle freight; goose, 92c; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, $1.15½, grinding in transit; No. 1 northern, $1.12.

Oats—Oats are quoted at 36c, high freights, and 37c for No. 1 east.

Corn—American, new, 51c for No. 3 yellow, on track at Toronto.

Peas—Peas, 65c to 66c, high freight, for milling.

Rye—Quoted at about 76c, outside.

Buckwheat—At 54c, eastern milling.

Bran—City mills sell bran at $18 and shorts at $0 per ton, f.o.b., at Toronto.

Barley—No. 2 at 47c; No. 3 X, 44c.

Oatmeal—At $3.90 in bags and $4.15 in barrels, carlots, on track at Toronto; local lots 25c higher.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $5.73, and No. 1 yellow, $5.23. These prices are for delivery here; car lots, 5c less.

Foreign Markets.

London, Feb. 10.—Close—Corn — Parcels mixed American, 20s 1½d. Flour—Spot quotations, Minneapolis patents, 31s. Wheat—On passage, quiet but steady. Corn—On passage, firm but not active.

Mark Lane Miller market: Wheat—Foreign and English, firm and rather dearer, with an advance of 3d. Corn—American firm and rather dearer; Danubian, nominally unchanged. Flour—American and English, steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat—Tone steady; February, 23f 30c; May and August, 24f. Flour—Tone firm; February, 30f 15c; May and August, 31f 5c.

Chicago Markets.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	$1 16⅝	$1 16⅝	$1 16¼	$1 16¼
July	1 00⅝	1 00⅝	1 00¼	1 00⅜
Sept.	92½	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
Corn—				
May	45⅝	45⅞	45⅝	45⅝
July	46¼	46½	46¼	46⅜
Sept.	46⅝	46⅞	46⅝	46⅝
Oats—				
May	30½	30⅞	30⅝	30⅞
July	30⅝	30½	30⅛	30⅝
Sept.	29⅛	29¼	29⅛	29⅛
Pork—				
May	12 92	12 95	12 87	12 87
July	13 00	13 00	12 97	13 00
Ribs—				
May	6 90	6 92	6 87	6 87
July	7 05	7 05	7 00	7 00
Lard—				
May	6 95	6 95	6 92	6 92
July	7 02	7 02	7 02	7 02

Chicago Gossip.

Ennis & Stoppani, wired to J. L. Mitchell (McKinnon Building):

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Wheat—A summary of to-day's wheat trade gives nothing but a narrow scalping market, with price changes within ½c and closing prices showing moderate firmness. Commission business was light, and what there was was chiefly confined to the buying side. Argentine shipments were about 300,000 bushels under last year and about a million bushels more than last week. Primary receipts were light at 368,000 bushels. Liverpool came weak and ¼d lower. Berlin and Buda-Pest closed ½c higher. The Modern Miller was moderately bullish, and reported some damage was to be expected from lack snow covering. Snow in his summary was also bullish, and said winter damage was inevitable, but to what extent was not yet obtainable.

We still advise purchases of July and May wheat.

Corn—The strong tone of yesterday was intensified this morning by the Liverpool Corn Trade News, estimating that the Argentine exportable corn surplus would be only 48,000,000 bushels, against 100,000,000 bushels shipped last year. There was good buying early by large houses, but the market met free offerings of May around 45⅞c, and sold off fractionally. We look for much higher prices for May and July corn.

Oats—The feature in the oats pit was good buying by the northwest crowd, giving color to the rumor that Minneapolis had sold 2,000,000 bushels of oats to go to Japan.

Provisions opened somewhat higher, on the light run of hogs. Packers tried to sell but found few bids.

New York Dairy Market.

New York, Feb. 10.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 6173; held creamery, common to extra, 22c to 30c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 293; state full cream, small, colored and white, fancy, 12⅜c; do., fine, 12¼c