

STEEL FEATURE OF WALL STREET

Enormous Volume of Trading in Popular Issue Sends Price Higher.

COPPERS ARE STRONGER

Extensive Liquidation in Anglo-French Bonds—Drop to New Minimum.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The final week of the year on the stock exchange opened with greater breadth and buoyancy than any recent period.

Activity in Great Northern Ore, on its rise of 2 3/8 to 31 3/8, was a material factor in the advance of steel and allied shares.

Other active and strong issues included Mercantile Marine, common and preferred, American Smelting, Anaconda Copper, Colorado Fuel, Baldwin Locomotive and Mexican Petroleum, the latter making a new record.

The one disconcerting feature of the session was the renewal of liquidation in Anglo-French war bonds, which fell to the new minimum of 94.

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DOMESTIC INVESTMENT WHEAT MARKET

Bears Have Advantage Owing to Big Increase in Visible Supply.

CORN IS STRONGER

Liberal Export Clearances Bullish Factor in Oats—Provisions Advance.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Bears had the advantage most of the time in the wheat market today, owing largely to a big increase of the visible supply.

It was evident long before complete figures were announced that the enlargement in the domestic visible supply of wheat would be heavy.

This was especially shown after the opening, when the market had momentarily touched the highest price yet for the 1915 crop.

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Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

Table listing Toronto Stock Exchange transactions including various stocks like Atchison, Canadian National, and others with their respective prices and changes.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table listing New York Stock Exchange transactions including various stocks like Erie, Pennsylvania, and others with their respective prices and changes.

TORONTO SALES.

Table listing Toronto sales for various commodities like wheat, corn, and oats with their respective prices.

STANDARD EXCHANGE.

Table listing standard exchange rates for various currencies and commodities.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Table listing Chicago grain market prices for wheat, corn, and other grains.

CHICAGO COTTON.

Table listing Chicago cotton market prices for various grades of cotton.

CHICAGO CAR LOTS.

Table listing Chicago car lot prices for various commodities.

NORTHWEST CAR RECEIPTS.

Table listing Northwest car receipts for various commodities.

WORLD'S SHIPMENTS.

Table listing world's shipments for various commodities.

STRAWBERRIES ARRIVE FROM SUNNY FLORIDA

First Shipment on Wholesale Brings From Ninety Cents to Dollar a Box.

NEW POTATOES ALSO

They Come From Bermuda and Bring Up to Eleven Dollars Per Barrel.

Strawberries! The first messengers of coming spring arrived on the market from the sunny Florida, yesterday.

New potatoes from Bermuda also put in their appearance for the season, and are selling at \$10 to \$11 per barrel, and \$4 per bushel.

White & Co. had a shipment of Bermuda potatoes, selling at \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.25, \$3.50 and \$3.75 per box.

Wholesale Fruits.

Apples—25 to 30 per quart basket; Snows, 50c per 11-quart basket; Snow apples, \$3 to \$4 per box.

Oranges—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Grapes—10 to 12 per dozen; California, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; Florida, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Limes—\$1.50 per hundred; Florida, \$2 to \$2.50 per hundred; California, \$2.50 to \$3 per hundred.

Peaches—10 to 12 per dozen; California, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; Florida, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Pineapples—10 to 12 per dozen; California, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; Florida, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Watermelons—10 to 12 per dozen; California, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; Florida, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Strawberries—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Potatoes—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Onions—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Garlic—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Peppers—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Tomatoes—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Cucumbers—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Eggplants—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Asparagus—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Spinach—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Broccoli—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Carrots—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Beets—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Turnips—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Radishes—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Onions—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

Potatoes—10 to 12 per dozen; Florida, \$1.50 to \$2 per dozen; California, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen.

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Greenhields & Co. of Montreal in their December circular recommend Nova Scotia common as 101-2 because of its "tremendous business and comparatively conservative capitalization and the resources to command eventual success without the artificial stimulation due to the war."

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

DULUTH GRAIN MARKET. DULUTH, Dec. 27.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.24; No. 1 northern, \$1.21 to \$1.22; No. 2 northern, \$1.17 to \$1.18; No. 3 northern, \$1.14 to \$1.15; No. 4 northern, \$1.11 to \$1.12; No. 5 northern, \$1.08 to \$1.09; No. 6 northern, \$1.05 to \$1.06; No. 7 northern, \$1.02 to \$1.03; No. 8 northern, \$0.99 to \$1.00; No. 9 northern, \$0.96 to \$0.97; No. 10 northern, \$0.93 to \$0.94; No. 11 northern, \$0.90 to \$0.91; No. 12 northern, \$0.87 to \$0.88; No. 13 northern, \$0.84 to \$0.85; No. 14 northern, \$0.81 to \$0.82; No. 15 northern, \$0.78 to \$0.79; No. 16 northern, \$0.75 to \$0.76; No. 17 northern, \$0.72 to \$0.73; No. 18 northern, \$0.69 to \$0.70; No. 19 northern, \$0.66 to \$0.67; No. 20 northern, \$0.63 to \$0.64; No. 21 northern, \$0.60 to \$0.61; No. 22 northern, \$0.57 to \$0.58; No. 23 northern, \$0.54 to \$0.55; No. 24 northern, \$0.51 to \$0.52; No. 25 northern, \$0.48 to \$0.49; No. 26 northern, \$0.45 to \$0.46; No. 27 northern, \$0.42 to \$0.43; No. 28 northern, \$0.39 to \$0.40; No. 29 northern, \$0.36 to \$0.37; No. 30 northern, \$0.33 to \$0.34; No. 31 northern, \$0.30 to \$0.31; No. 32 northern, \$0.27 to \$0.28; No. 33 northern, \$0.24 to \$0.25; No. 34 northern, \$0.21 to \$0.22; No. 35 northern, \$0.18 to \$0.19; No. 36 northern, \$0.15 to \$0.16; No. 37 northern, \$0.12 to \$0.13; No. 38 northern, \$0.09 to \$0.10; No. 39 northern, \$0.06 to \$0.07; No. 40 northern, \$0.03 to \$0.04; No. 41 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 42 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 43 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 44 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 45 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 46 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 47 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 48 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 49 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01; No. 50 northern, \$0.00 to \$0.01.

STROMGER MARKET FOR STOCKS AT MONTREAL

Resumption of Trading—Improvement—Steel Group Leaders.

MONTREAL, Dec. 27.—The resumption of trading on the Montreal Stock Exchange today was marked by a stronger and more active market, in which stocks of the steel group were the leaders.

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