CORN MARKETS ARE STRONG

Sharp Advances in Chicago and Liverpool Saturday.

Good Cash Demand Reported—Wheat Futures Declining—Reactions in Chicago and Liverpool on Saturday—Local Grain and Produce—Notes and Gossip.

World Office.
Saturday Evening, March 10.

In Liverpool to-day wheat futures declined ½d to ⅜d per cental. In the same market spot maize advanced ⅜d and futures ½d to ⅝d per cental.

Paris wheat closed unchanged to 10 centimes higher for the day.

Chicago wheat futures declined ¼c per bushel to-day in sympathy with cables and on liberal Northwest receipts. Chicago corn advanced ½c on good cash demand.

English farmers' deliveries the past three days of wheat, 58,700 quarters at an average price of 29s 11d.

Exports of wheat and flour from America this week equalled 4,208,755 bushels, against 3,868,857 bushels last week, 4,368,321 bushels in the corresponding week of 1899. Corn exports for the week aggregate 2,187,824 bushels, against 4,038,130 bushels last week, 3,735,356 bushels in this week a year ago.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices at important wheat centres to-day:

	Cash.	March.	May.	July.
Chicago	.8....	$0 65	$0 65⅞	$0 66⅝
New York	....	0 72¾	0 72⅝	0 72½
Milwaukee	0 66	....	....	....
St. Louis	0 69½	0 69⅝	0 69½	0 66⅝
Toledo	0 71¼	....	0 72½	0 70⅝
Detroit, red	0 72	....	0 72⅛	0 71¼
do., white	0 73	....	....	....
Duluth, No. 1, Northern	0 64⅝	....	0 65⅞	0 66⅞
Duluth, No. 1, hard	0 66⅛	....	....	....
Minneapolis, No. 1 Northern	0 64¼	....	0 63⅝	0 64⅞
Minneapolis, No. 1 hard	0 65⅝	....	....	....

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour—Ontario patents, in bags, $3.45 to $3.65; straight rollers, $3.25 to $3.45; Hungarian patents, $3.85; Manitoba bakers', $3.55, all on track at Toronto.

Wheat—Ontario, red and white, 65c north and west; goose, 70c north and west; No. 1 Manitoba hard, 75c; Toronto, and No. 1 Northern at 76c.

Oats—White oats quoted at 27c west.

Barley—Quoted at 42c for No. 2 west; feed barley, 30c to 37c.

Rye—Quoted at 49c north and west, and 50c east.

Bran—City mills sell bran at $14.50 and shorts at $15.50, in car lots, f.o.b., Toronto.

Buckwheat—Firm; 48c north and east.

Corn—Canadian, 41½c on track in Toronto, American, 42c to 42½c on track.

Oatmeal—Quoted at $3.25 by the bag and $3.35 by the barrel, on track at Toronto, in car lots.

Peas—At 61½c bid, 62c asked, north and west, for immediate shipment.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were large, 2400 bushels of grain, 25 loads of hay, 4 of straw, 100 dressed hogs, with fair deliveries of butter, eggs and poultry.

Wheat steady; 400 bushels sold as follows: White, 68c to 69c; red, 68c to 69c; goose, 70c.

Barley steady, 600 bushels selling at 45c to 47c.

Oats easier; 1200 bushels sold at 31c to 31½c.

Hay steady; 25 loads sold at $11 to $13 per ton.

Straw easier; 4 loads sold at $7.50 to $9 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—For the right kind, weighing 100 to 150 lbs. each, $7 to $7.10 per cwt. was paid, with market firm at these quotations. But on account of the high prices lately paid, farmers have commenced to bring in hogs weighing 90 to 60 lbs. each, which are not wanted; these sell at about $6 per cwt.

Apples—Several lots of apples sold at $2 to $3 per bbl. Very choice Northern Spys would bring more money.

Butter—Prices were firm at 25c to 30c per lb., the latter being for choice creamery or dairy lb. rolls to special customers. The bulk of offerings sold at 27c to 28c per lb.

Eggs—Strictly new laid eggs were plentiful, with prices ranging from 16c to 20c per dozen, with the bulk going at 17c to 18c. The prospects are that these prices for eggs will go still lower.

Poultry—Deliveries were not heavy and prices were firm. Chickens sold from 60c to $1 per pair, the bulk going at about 80c to 90c; good heavy, well-dressed chickens would bring 5 per pair quick. Ducks, none offered. Turkeys, 13c to 15c per lb.; old gobblers of poor quality, 10c to 11c per lb.

Spring Lambs—A very few spring lambs are being offered, with a wide range of prices, according to quality. Messrs. G. H. Waller & Sons had a very fine specimen on exhibition, which they killed for their stock market on Friday by W. B. Levack for $9. But there are not many lambs that would command such a price, and we would say that from $5 to $7 each would be about the ruling prices. One farmer brought in three lambs that would have been better left with their mothers two or three weeks longer; for these, however, he was being offered $4 each.

Grain—

Wheat, white, bush	$0 68	$0 69
" red, bush	0 68	0 69
" fife, bush	0 70½	....
" goose, bush	0 70	....
Barley, bush	0 45	0 47
Oats, bush	0 31	0 31½
Rye, bush	0 51½	....
Peas, bush	0 61	....
Buckwheat, bush	0 53½	....
Beans, bush	1 40	1 50

Seeds—

Red clover, bush	$5 00	$5 75
Alsike, choice No. 1	6 25	7 00
Alsike, good No. 2	5 50	6 00
White clover, bush	7 00	8 00
Timothy, seed, bush	1 00	1 35

Hay and Straw—

Hay, per ton	$11 00	to $13 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	9 00	10 00
Straw, sheaf, per ton	7 00	9 00
Straw, loose, per ton	4 00	5 00

Dairy Produce—

Butter, lb. rolls	$0 20	to $0 25
Eggs, new laid	0 16	0 20

Poultry—

Chickens, per pair	$0 60	to $1 00
Turkeys, per lb.	0 13	0 15
Ducks, per pair	0 75	1 00
Geese, per lb.	0 08	0 09

Fruit and Vegetables—

Apples, per bbl.	$2 00	to $3 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 45	0 50
Cabbage, per doz.	0 30	0 50
Onions, per bag	0 90	1 00
Beets, per bush	0 30	0 40
Celery, per doz.	0 40	0 50
Turnips, per bag	0 25	0 30
Carrots, per bag	0 40	0 50

Fresh Meat—

Beef, forequarters, cwt.	$4 00	to $5 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.	7 00	8 00
Lamb, per lb.	0 08	0 10
Mutton, carcass, per lb.	0 07	0 08
Veal, carcase, per lb.	0 08	0 09½
Hogs, dressed, light	6 90	7 10

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Hay, baled, car lots, per ton	$9 00	to $9 50
Straw, baled, car lots, per ton	4 00	4 50
Potatoes, car lots, per bag	0 37½	0 40
Butter, choice, tubs	0 21	0 22
Butter, medium, tubs	0 15	0 16
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0 25	0 26
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 27	0 28
Butter, large rolls, per lb.	0 25	0 26
Butter, creamery, boxes	0 27	0 28
Eggs, held	0 11	0 12
Eggs, new laid	0 14	0 15
Honey, per lb.	0 09½	0 10
Geese, per lb.	0 07	0 07½
Turkeys, per lb.	0 11	0 12
Ducks, per pair	0 40	0 60
Chickens, per pair	0 50	0 75

Hides and Wool.

Price list revised daily by James Hallam & Sons, No. 111 East Front-street, Toronto:

Hides, No. 1 green	$0 09	to $0 09½
Hides, No. 1 green steers	0 09½	0 10
Hides, No. 2 green steers	0 08½	0 09
Hides, No. 2 green	0 08	0 08½
Hides, No. 3 green	0 07	0 07½
Hides, cured	0 09	0 09½
Calfskins, No. 1	0 09	0 11
Calfskins, No. 2	0 08	0 09
Sheepskins, fresh	1 00	1 20
Tallow, rendered	0 04	0 05½
Wool, fleece	0 17	0 20
Wool, unwashed, fleece	0 10	0 11
Wool, pulled, super	0 17	0 22
Wool, pulled, extra	0 19	0 22
Tallow, rough	0 01½	0 03½

Beardmore & Co., report prices as being unchanged for strictly city butchers' hides, as follows:

No. 1 steers, 60 lbs. and up	$0 10½
No. 2 steers	0 09½
No. 1 cows	0 10
No. 2 cows	0 09
No. 1 calf	0 11
No. 2 calf	0 09

Chicago Markets.

McIntyre & Wardwell report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	66	66⅝	65⅝	65⅞
" —July	66⅞	67	66⅝	66⅝
Corn—May	35⅝	36⅛	35⅝	36
Oats—May	23⅝	23⅞	23½	23⅝
Pork—May	10 85	10 87	10 82	10 87
Lard—May	5 95	5 97	5 93	5 93
Ribs—May	5 92	5 95	5 90	5 92

British Markets.

Liverpool, March 10.—(12.30.)—Wheat, No. 1 Northern, spring, 6s 1½d; No. 1 California, no stock; red winter, no stock; corn, old, 3s 9½d; 3s 9¼d new; peas, 5s 7½d; pork, prime western, mess, 45s 3d; ard, prime western, 30s 9d; American refined, 32s 6d; tallow, Australian, 28s 3d; American, good to fine, 29s; bacon, long clear light, 34s 6d; heavy, 33s; short clear, heavy, 33s 6d; cheese, colored, 63s 6d; white, 61s; wheat firm, corn firm.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat, spot firm; No. 1 Northern, spring, stock exhausted; futures quiet; March, 5s 1d; May, 5s 1d; July, 5s 8½d. Maize, spot firm; mixed American, 3s 10d new, 3s 10¾d old; futures firm; May, 3s 11½d; July, 3s 3¾d. Flour, Minn., 1ts 6d.

London—Close—Wheat, off coast, nothing doing; on passage, more inquiry; cargoes about No. 1 Cal., iron, Oct., 30s 6d paid; iron, Nov., 30s 4½d paid; iron, loading, 29s 7½d paid. English country markets quiet. Maize, off coast, nothing doing; on passage, quiet but steady; maize, spot American, mixed, 18s 6d. Flour, spot Minn., 29s 9d.

Antwerp spot wheat steady, No. 2 R.W., 16¾f.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm; March, 19f 80c; May and August, 20f 65c. Flour firm; March, 25f 70c; May and Aug., 26f 75c.

Chicago Gossip.

McIntyre & Warawell say:

Wheat—There has been very little interest in the market to-day. The decline in Liverpool of ¼d to ⅜d and liberal Northwest receipts and favorable weather conditions have continued to give prices a lower tendency and market has declined ¼c. The trade has been very light. Local sentiment continues bearish, also short selling has been held in check by the innuence of strong corn market and reports of a better cash market. The Government report to-day is expected to be bearish in its estimates of the surplus reserves.

Corn—This market has ruled very strong with a large and general trade, advancing ½c over yesterday. The May option has been the strongest and the belief is gaining ground that it will sell at a premium will July, owing to the good cash demand and decreasing stocks. The early buying was on the cable acceptances and higher cables from Liverpool showing ½d advance. Market has been steady and buying by leading local mills. Receiving houses have sold more liberally. Government report expected to be bullish.

Oats—Have shown a little more animation in sympathy with corn and on operations by local traders who were selling corn and buying oats at the increasing difference. No change in general situation.

Provisions—Strong and higher all day on less hogs than expected and buying by one of the packers of lard and ribs. Cash demand continues good. Market closes steady. Estimated receipts of hogs Monday 38,000, next week 185,000.

New York Produce.

New York, March 10.—Flour—Receipts, 23,745 barrels, sales 2300 packages. State and western market was nearly nominal, dull and firmer with grain. Winter straights $3.45 to $3.55. Rye Flour—Quiet, sales 300 barrels. Fair to good, $4.10 to $3.20; choice to fancy, $4.20 to $4.40. Wheat—Receipts 72,000 bushels; sales 625,000 bushels. Opinion market opened easy on cables, but was later favorably influenced by a still advance in corn and scattered local covering. May, 72⅝c to 72⅞c, July 72½c, Sept., 72½c to 72 9-16c. Rye—Firm. State 53c to 56c, c.i.f. New York car lots. No. 2 western 59c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn—Receipts 60,450 bushels, sales 20,000 bushels. Options were firm and higher this morning on light country acceptances, higher cables and covering. May, 41c to 41¼c. Oats—Receipts 19,500 bushels; options firmer with corn. Butter—Receipts 4672 packages. Market steady, at a shade higher for fine. Western creamery 19c to 24c, state creamery 20c to 25c, western creamery 20c to 25c. Cheese—Receipts 4796 packages. Market firm. Eggs—Receipts 4796 packages. Market firm and higher. State and Pennsylvania at mark, 14c to 14½c; western, at mark, 14c to 14½c, southern at mark, 13½c to 14c. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 13-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c. Molasses, sugar 3⅝c, refined, dull but steady. Coffee—Quiet, No. 7 Rio, 8¼c to 8⅜c. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Dull.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, March 10.—Cattle moderate demand, calves good supply, moderate demand: choice to extra, $7.25 to $7.50; good to choice, $7 to $7.25. Sheep and lambs steady, choice to extra lambs, $7.50 to $7.65; good to choice, $7 to $7.50; common to fair, $6 to $7; wethers and yearlings, mixed, $5.75 to $6.25; fat ewes, $5 to $5.25; yearlings, $6 to $6.75. Hogs—Slow, heavy, $5.15; mixed, $5.10 to $5.12½; yorkers, $5 to $5.10; pigs, $4.50 to $4.70; roughs, $4.50 to $4.70; stags, $3.25 to $4.

Chicago Cattle Market.

Chicago March 10.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, $5.10 to $6; poor to medium, $4 to $4.90; selected feeders $4.15 to $4.75; cows and heifers, $3.50 to $5.60; cows, $3.10 to $4.35; heifers $3.10 to $4.65; canners, $2.40 to $3; bulls, $3 to $4.40; calves, $2.75 to $7.75. Texans receipts for week about 2500 head. Texas fed steers steady, $3.90 to $4.90; Texas bulls in good demand, $3.25 to $3.75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers', $4.75 to $4.97½; good to choice, heavy, $4.87½ to $4.97½; rough, heavy, $4.75 to $4.85; light $4.70 to $4.92½; bulk of sales, $4.87½ to $4.95. Sheep—Receipts, 2500. Sheep and lambs about steady; good to choice wethers, $5.50 to $6; fair to choice mixed $4.75 to $5.50; western sheep $5.40 to $5.90; yearlings, $5.90 to $6.60; native lambs, $5.75 to $7.40; western lambs $6 to $7.30.

This week's receipts: Cattle, 40,000; hogs, 159,000; sheep, 61,000. Last week's receipts, Cattle, 41,200; hogs 143,000; sheep, 61,700.

THE MINERAL RAILWAY.

Americans Want to Build a Road on the North Shore to Connect With the C.P.R.

The bill introduced into the Legislature to incorporate "the Mineral Railway Company," deals in a capitalization of $1,000,000. The petitioners are all Americans, Samuel Mather, Henry George Dalton, William Parmelee of Cleveland; Arthur Cornland Ely of Wheaton, Illinois, and James H. Hoyt, Cleveland. Their purpose is to construct and operate a railway from a point near Gros Cap Harbor on the north shore of Lake Superior, to a point on the C. P. R. The line will run thru an unorganized part of the country. The head office of the company will be in Toronto. The company are ready and willing to receive Government and municipal grants of land and money. There is a special clause in the bill recognizing the rights of aliens. The company look to an issue of bonds up to $20,000 to raise money. The powers given either to steam or electric railway will be limited for. Running arrangements with adjacent roads are also mentioned in the bill.

DELAGOA BAY ARBITRATION.

Judgment Pronounced at Berne, But on the Principal Points Only.

Berne, Switzerland, March 10.—The Bund announces that the arbitrators' tribunal has pronounced judgment in the Delagoa Bay arbitration, but on the principal points only. The question of the indemnity to be paid by Portugal remains, and that will shortly be decided. The judgment will then be communicated to the parties concerned.

Contributions to Free Sanitorium.

Lieut.-Col. Mason acknowledges with thanks the following contributions to the Consumption Sanitorium: Henry Burden, $25; Wm. Perkins, $5; the Misses Windrim, $4; Mrs. McNally, $5, and Mrs. Charlton (wife of Dr. Charlton) of Weston, $5; Mrs. John Ryan $25; Mr. Blaikie, $2; Mrs. E. Norris, $2; Mrs. Archer, $1; Mrs. George E. Challes, $2; Mrs. Wm. Wilson, $1; Misses Caldwell, $1; Mrs. A. E. Harrington, $1; Miss Korman, $1; Mrs. Archer, $1; Mrs. Andrews, $1; Robert Grant, $1; Mrs. Joan Foy, $5; Miss Hoskin, $5; G. P. Magann, $5; Thos. Flynn, $5.

The Demon Dyspepsia—In olden times it was a popular belief that demons moved invisibly through the ambient air seeking to enter into men and trouble them. At the present day the demon, dyspepsia, is at large in the same way, seeking habitation in those who by careless or unwise living invite him. And once he enters, man it is difficult to dislodge him. He that finds himself so possessed should know that a valiant friend to do battle for him with the unseen foe is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, which are ever ready for the trial. ed

STOCK MARKETS OF A WEEK

Dulness Has Characterized Business on All Exchanges.

Industrials Weak on Wall Street—Canadian Mining Stocks More Active Than Canadian Railways and Industrials—Poor Bank Statement—Notes and Gossip.

World Office.
Saturday Evening, March 10.

Canadian issues continue dull. Were it not for the activity shown this week in the mining stocks, one showing would be a poor one, the volume of transactions in other securities being small. The favorable developments as to our foreign trade and the leading industries of the Dominion, which were never in a more prosperous condition, appear to exert little influence on the stock market. Factors such as these would, under ordinary circumstances, unhesitatingly exert an influence on sentiment outside of the mere trading element, and lead to purchases of a substantial character. Payne and Republic are higher, and Virtue and War Eagle lower than a week ago.

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Cables from London to-day quoted Grand Trunk first preferred at 91⅝, second preferred at 66⅝ and third preferred at 26⅝.

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Canadian Pacific earnings for the first week of March were $41,000, a decrease of $40,000. The decrease is attributed to the heavy snowstorms.

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Grand Trunk Railway system earnings, March 1 to 7, 1900, $296,522; same week 1899, $300,503; decrease, $01,193. Chicago and Grand Trunk earnings omitted.

On Wall Street.

The trading in stocks was largely confined to day to operations by board room operators, as has been the case during the whole week but there was some small but significant buying from outside sources, especially manifest in the taking of fractional lots of stocks for investment, which proved the attractiveness of the present level of prices to those who are not dependent upon ordinary money market vicissitudes for holding stocks for the dividend returns, which they yield. The wide distribution of the dealings also added to the healthy appearance of the market. The character of the bank statement was so confidently foreseen that its appearance was not waited for. The traders have been on the short side of the market quite uniformly during the week, so that the closing up of contracts stiffened the market very much. Sugar and People's Gas were notably in demand before the bank statement, but were sold off again, together with local traction stocks. The willingness of the bears to yield on the bank statement drove the bears to cover again. Sugar advanced an extreme 3⅝ and people's Gas 2 and 2½. While list rose to the highest level of the week, with more show of an animation in the dealings than has been evident for several days. The bank return was fully as weak as was expected. The strength of the day's market must be attributed to a faith that, speculative commitments being small, the market is not very vulnerable to a temporary money squeeze. Beyond a temporary stringency, the new currency and refunding law is confidently hoped to for early relief. There is an undercurrent of sentiment also that some of the recent heavy loan expansions would be readily converted or transferable, in case of any urgent need of credits, without doing damage to present borrowers. This would be true of such portion of the recent loan expansion as has gone into Government bonds, with a view to taking out additional note circulation.

Speculation in the Stock Market winds up this week small and principally of a professional character. There has been an absence of any stirring news of a character calculated to revive outside speculation, and none of the large market interests have been inclined to take an active part in the market. With the professional traders in control, there has been no concerted movement, and what net changes show have simply been the result of operations of the trading element. Sentiment of the Stock Exchange, the industrial barometer, has been against the bulls, and that labor is the absence of inside support to them, and the recent bad effect of the Sugar trade war and the enforced cut in the dividend, but most of the leading stocks show a scattered short interest. The Traction group have also been oversold, on the Third Avenue Company's bad financial condition, particularly Metropolitan, which will be assessed under the franchise tax law, while People's Gas has been made vulnerable to bear target, and unduly depressed on rumors of disagreement among the directors. The general Railroad list has shown slight declines, but there is no outside pressure to liquidate the holdings in that direction. Attendance to-day was the worst since last fall, showing a decrease in surplus of nearly $5,000,000, and an increase in loans of over $8,000,000. This bad statement, however, did not cause any depression in the market, because it had been generally anticipated, and no apprehension is felt over the money market, in view of the extremely favorable condition of the Foreign Exchange market and assurance that the currency bill will be passed early next week. Most of the shorts were short of the market, and inclined to even up over Sunday, and the demand from this source, together with some small scattered buying orders, imparted a sharp rumors from London, closed the market steady, and some fractional advances all around.

Notes by Cable.

Consols advanced 3-16 in London to-day.

In London American securities opened above parity level and remained firm to the close. Arbitrage was very restricted. Spanish fours closed at 70½.

The amount of bullion taken into the Bank of England on balance to-day was £40,000.

Good premiums are quoted: Buenos Ayres, 127.40; Madrid, 31.02; Lisbon, 43; Rome 0.05.

New York Bank Statement.

Surplus reserves decreased $1,065,175, loans increased $8,127,000, specie decreased $5,448,500, legal tenders decreased $2,630,400, deposits decreased $491,300, circulation increased $357,000. The banks now hold $5,016,875 in excess of the legal requirements.

Money Markets.

The local money market is unchanged. Money on call, 3½ to 6 per cent.

The Bank of England discount rate is 4 per cent. Open market discount rate is 4 per cent.

Money on call in New York at 3 to 3½ per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

Buchanan & Jones, 27 Jordan-street, Toronto, brokers, to day report closing exchange rates as follows:

	Between Banks. Buyers.	Sellers.	Counter. Buyers.	Sellers.
N.Y. Funds	1-32 pre	1-16 pre	1-8 to 1-4	
Mont'l Funds	10 dis	par	1-4 to 1-2	
Demand Sterl	9 3-8	9 7-16	9 3-4 to 9 7-8	
60 days Sight	8 1-2	8 9-16	8 1-2 to 8 5-8	
Cable Trans's	9 1-2	9 9-16	9 7-8 to 10	

—Rates in New York.—

	Posted.	Actual.
Demand, sterling	4.87	4.86
Sixty days	4.83½	4.82¼
		4.85¼ to 4.85½

Toronto Stocks.

	March 9. Close. Ask.	Bid.	March 10. Close. Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	...	253	...	250
Ontario	...	...	127	127
Toronto	240	236¼	...	237
Merchants'	162	158	162	158
Commerce	147	...	147¼	147¼
Imperial	214	208	212	208½
Dominion	268¼	264¼	268½	267½
Standard	...	196	...	195
Hamilton	162	155	...	155
Nova Scotia	227	220	227	...
Traders'	...	111	...	111
British America	121	117	122	117
West. Assurance	160	150	162	159
Imperial Life	...	147	...	147
National Trust	...	130¼	...	131
Toronto Gen. Trusts	...	147	...	146
do., part paid	...	141	...	141
Canada Landed	215	208	213	200
Montreal Gas	189	188	190	188
Ont. & Qu'Appelle	63	...	65	...
Northwest Land, pf	53	52½	54	52½
C. P. R.	94⅞	94⅝	95¼	95¼
Toronto Electric	135	134	135	134⅝
do. new	...	133	...	133
General Electric	180	178	181	180
do. pref.	...	106	...	...
London Electric	...	113	115	113¼
Cons. Gas Co.	168	167⅝	169	167½
do. coupon bonds	104	103½	104	103½
do. reg. bonds	104½	103½	104	103⅞
Dom. Telegraph	...	120	...	120
Bell Telephone	155	150	151	150
Rich & Ont Nav.	110	108½	109¼	108⅞
Ham. Steamboat	...	...	...	85
Toronto Railway	100½	100⅛	100½	100
London Street Ry.	...	120	...	170
Halifax Tramway	100	94¼	100	...
Ottawa St. Ry.	200	...	200	...
Twin City Ry.	64½	63¾	64	63½
Luxfer Prism, pref	...	111½	...	111
Cycle and Motor	83	82	90	84½
Carter-Crume	104	102¾	104	102½
Dunlop Tire, pref.	102½	101¾	102¼	101⅞
War Eagle	130¼	130½	131½	131
Republic	98⅞	98¾	100	99
Payne Mining	130	128	132	128½
Cariboo (McK)	80	75	79	76¼
Golden Star	20	18	20	18
Virtue	90¼	86¾	92	90¾
Crow's Nest Coal	145	135	145	139¾
Ham. Cataract	95	93	95	93½
Brit. Can. L & I.	100	...	100	...
Can. L. & N.I.	90	131	95	130
Canada Perm.	132	...	135	128
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	128	...	114
Canadian S. & L.	...	113½	...	75¼
Dom. Savings	...	75	...	...
Freehold Loan	...	85	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	75	...	75	...
Ham. Provident	112½	109¾	112½	109¾
Huron & Erie	...	177	...	177
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	167	...	168
Imperial L. & Inv.	90	...	100	...
London & Canadian	60	54½	60	50
London Loan	109	106	109	106
London & Ontario	100	...	98	87
Manitoba Loan	47	45	48	...
Ontario Loan & D.	...	121	...	121
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	111	...	111
People's Loan	30	...	30	...
Real Estate	63	...	...	62½
Toronto S & L.	126	...	...	126
Toronto Mortgage	85	78	85	78
West. Can. 20 p.c.	...	...	95	50

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Bank of Commerce, 15 at 147¼; Dominion Bank, 20 at 267½; Standard Bank, 10 at 195¾; C.P.R., 50, 25 at 95¼; Toronto Electric, 7 at 135; General Electric, 2 at 180; Dominion Telegraph, 20 at 120; Twin City, 25 at 63¾; Cycle, 25 at 84; Carter-Crume, 25 at 102½; Dunlop Tire, pref., 2 at 102; War Eagle, 500 at 130¾, 150, 500, 500, 500, 500, 500, 1,000, 500, 1000, 2500, 500, 500, 500 at 131; Republic, 1000 at 99½; Virtue, 500, 500, 500, 1000 at 90¾; Crow's Nest Coal, 50 at 138½.

Montreal Stocks.

Montreal, March 10.—Closing quotations: C.P.R., 95 and 94⅞; Duluth, 5 and 5½; do., pref., 17 and 16; Cable, 178 and 176½; Richelieu, xd., n.s., 110½ and 108¾; Montreal Railway, 301⅞ and 301½; St. John Railway, 150 and 125; Toronto Railway, 100½ and 100; Halifax Railway, 100 and 94; Twin City, 64 and 63½; Montreal Gas, 189½ and 188¾; Royal, xd., 194½ and 194; Montreal Telegraph, 170 and 168; Bell Telephone, 151 and 150½; Dominion Coal, 45 and 43; do., pref., 116 offered; Montreal Cotton, xd., 148 and 145; Canada Cotton, 80 and 75; Dominion Cotton, 105 and 102½; War Eagle, 130½ and 130; Montreal-London, 31 and 29; Payne, 130 and 129; Republic, 101 and 99; Virtue, 91½ and 91; Bank of Montreal, 260 and 256; Merchants' Bank, 182 and 180; Molsons, 190 offered.

To-day's sales: C.P.R., 75 at 95, 25 at 95¼; Montreal Railway, 25 at 302½, 2 at 304, 50 at 302½, 25 at 302; Montreal Gas, 75 at 189; Royal Electric, xd., 25 at 194½; Bell Telephone, 25 at 150½; Montreal Cotton, xd., 15 at 148; War Eagle, 500 at 130½, 50 at 130, 1000 at 130½; Montreal-London, 200 at 30; Payne, 3500 at 130; Virtue, 4000 at 91½, 250 at 92, 400 at 92, 50 at 91½, 2000 at 92, 1000 at 91; Bank of Montreal, 2 at 256½; Merchants' Bank, 2 at 162.

New York Stocks.

Thompson & Heron, 16 West King-street, report the following fluctuations on Wall-street to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	98	100½	98	100½
Tobacco	104	104½	103	104
Con. Tobacco	29	29⅝	29	29⅝
Lead	23	23⅝	23	23⅝
Anaconda	47	47½	46⅝	47¼
Leather, pref.	73½	72	73½	72
do. common	11¼	11½	11¼	11¼
Rubber	29	29	29	29
Federal Steel	48	49½	48	49½
do. pref.	72½	73	72½	73
Steel and Wire	54½	55⅝	54½	55⅝
St. Paul	121½	121½	120⅞	121⅝
Burlington	123½	123⅝	122	122½
Rock Island	106⅝	107½	106⅝	107½
Chi. Great West.	13⅝	13⅝	13½	13½
Northern Pacific	52½	52½	52½	52½
do. pref.	74½	74½	74½	74½
Union Pacific	48½	49¼	48½	49
do. pref.	74	74	73½	74
Missouri Pacific	45½	46⅞	45½	46¼
Southern Pacific	36⅝	37⅞	36⅝	37⅝
Atchison	22⅝	22⅞	22⅝	22⅞
do. pref.	65⅝	66¼	65⅝	66¼
Texas Pacific	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼
Louis. & Nashville	81¼	81⅝	81¼	81⅝
Southern Ry.	13½	13¼	13½	13¼
do. pref.	57½	58	57½	58
N. Y. Central	132¾	134	132¾	133¾
Lake Shore	134¾	135½	134¾	135½
Reading	17⅝	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞
Delt. & Ohio	61½	62¼	61⅝	62¼
Pennsylvania	134	134½	134	134½
Pullman	205	205	205	205
Wabash, pref.	20	20	20	20
Reading, pref.	57½	58	57½	58
N.Y., O. & W.	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
People's Gas	93½	93⅞	93½	93⅞
Manhattan	93½	94⅝	93½	93⅝
Metropolitan	163	164½	162½	164½
Brooklyn R. T.	66¼	67½	66¼	67½
N. Y. & Texas	32½	32½	32½	32½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	92	92	92	92
Western Union	88	83½	82⅝	82⅝
Third-avenue	56	57¼	55½	56½

London Stock Market.

	March 9. Close.	March 10. Close.
Consols, account	101⅛	101 7-16
Consols, money	100 13-16	101⅛
Atchison	16⅝	16½
New York Central	137	136⅝
Pennsylvania Central	69	69
Illinois Central	116	116
Erie	12⅞	12⅞
Louisville	83½	83½
Union Pacific, com.	49¼	49⅝
Union Pacific, pref.	75⅝	76
Erie	13	13
Erie, pref.	38⅝	38⅝
Northern Pacific, pref.	76	76
Reading	9¼	9¼
Atchison	20⅝	20⅝
Wabash, pref.	20⅝	20⅝
Ontario & Western	23⅞	24⅝

Cotton Markets.

Liverpool, March 10.—(1. p.m.)—Cotton—spot, moderate business, prices 1-32d higher; American middling, fair, 5 27-32d; middling, 5 21-32d; good ordinary, 5 5-16d; low middling, 5 15-32d; good ordinary, 5 9-32d; ordinary, 5 3-32d. The sales of the day were 7000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6700 American. Receipts 22,000 bales, including 20,000 American. Futures—Opened firm and closed steady, with a fair demand, prices unchanged.

New York, March 10.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet, ¼c higher; middling uplands, 7 11-16; middling gulf, 9 15-16; sales 275 bales. Futures closed very steady. March, 9.50, April 9.47, May 9.46, June 9.39, July 9.39, August 9.27, Sept. 8.40, Oct. 8.08, Nov. 7.94, Dec. 7.92, Jan. 7.93.

Bradstreet's Trade Review.

Business circles at Montreal have shown increased activity the past week. Many buyers have been in the market buying millinery and spring and summer dry goods, and the orders left with the wholesale trade have