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Charles Head & Co. to R. R. Bongard:
In the afternoon there were general reactions due to profit-taking and some short selling by traders who believed that long stock had been fed out on the advance. There was but little increase in outside interest, the trading remaining largely professional. Sentiment is much mixed and it is a difficult matter to form any conclusion as to the probable course of prices, but the disposition at the moment is to expect further manipulation in the direction of higher prices, with a view to working off some long stocks. Purchases on the reactions will probably show moderate profits, but we should also be inclined to sell on the railors.

King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market to-day:

The general stock market situation and outlook remains substantially as outlined in our market letter of last night. Recent developments have inspired greater condidence in the stability of the market on the belief that they indicate an extension of unincition of interests in U.P. and affiliated lines rather than-yany contest for control.

The Standard Oil people have practically controlled the St. Paul for some time, and they have a very large if not to say a dominating interest in the control of Union Pacific with the liferinan and Krim-Loeb people and they have been adding heavily to their holdings in the stock since the aniouncement of U.S. Supreme Court desion in the merger case.

That decision was practically a victory for the Union Pacific and gives if the commanding position among the palificals in the N.W., as well as in the southwest, and therefore, a prominent strategic position along the Pacific which will ultimately Kreetly enhance the value of its securities and also those of its affiliated lines.

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DEBENTURES \$100 and upwards are received and debentures for fixed terms issued therefor with interest half-yeariy at....

Price of Silver.

Bar silver in London, 251/2d per oz.

Bar silver in New York, 551/2c per oz.

Mexican dollars, 14c. Toronto Stocks.

ondon, 251/2d per oz.
New York, 551/4c per oz.
s, 44c.

onto Stocks.

March 20.
Ask. Bid.

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March 30.
Ask. Bid.

Sugar MeIntyre & Maishall (King Edward Hotel), are installing a branch office at the board of trade rotunda. Complete and continuous quotations of the New York and Chicago markets will be supplied to the naembers of the board of trade by a private wire connection with the King street office.

Railway Earnings.

Southern Railway, February net increase \$227,710.

Mexican, National, February net decrease \$22,000.

Southern February net increase \$32,000.

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**Dominion Bank** 

Electric, 10 at 130; Sao Paulo, 20, 25, 50, 01; N.S. Steel, 25, 25, 25 at 80, 25 at 80, 4.

Montreal Stocks. Montreal, March 30.—Closing

Iontreal L., H. & P.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 2% per cent. upon the capital stock of this institution has been declared for the current quarter—being at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, and that the same will be payable at the banking house in this city on and after Saturday, the second day of April next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 21st to the 31st March next, both days inclusive.

By order of the board.

T. G. BROUGH,

General Manager.

Toronto, 23rd February, 1904.

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World Office,

Wednesday Evening, March 30.—

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London, March 30.—Live cattle lower at 11c to 11½c per lb. for steers, dressed weight: refrigerator beef, easier, at 7½c to 8c per lb. Sheep, slow; 13c to 13½c per lb.

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were 23 and 24 cents. A year ago the same market was fully supplied at 12 cents a dozen.

Last year there was a liberal supply of packed eggs, while at present there is not one to be found in the country. The bakers are consequently compelled to use the fresh material, and the market is exhausted daily. Some aggs are still being imported from Chicago, and there was a rumor, which could not be confirmed, that one firm had a carlot coming for the end of the week. "They would have to be a very tempting price," said one merchant, "to induce me to take the risk. There are plenty of eggs in the country if the farmers could get them in. The roads are so bad that they can't get to the stores, and there are only limited supplies coming direct."

Whides and Wool.

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Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter, 85 after, 18 after, 19 to and Sheep Skins, Tallow, etc:

Hides, No. 1 steers, ins. \$0.07½ to \$...

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Twenty-eight cents is about the price retail for first-class eggs. Many people bought yesterday in anticipation of scanty stocks on Saturday. The dealers expect large shipments every

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"Generally we get most of the eggs middle freights: goose, 82c to 83c, middle, spring, 88c; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, \$1.15, most of the eggs came from the east, however."

Eggs were not to be had on Frontstreet at 5 o'clock yesterday evening.

"I could have sold 56 cases more togay," said a dealer. "But there will at 48c; American, 52c for No. 3 vel.

\*24 per ton, at Toronto.

Wheat—Red and white are worth 93c, ment must try to make them see hat circumstances alter cases. Strong drink is not for children. We are so wedded to our folly that we cannot return to a sensible trade policy; but that is all the more reason why we should labor garnestly to keep our younger brethren from walking in our footsteps. Can it be that the other nations have decided that the best way to flatter us is to imitate us?

\*\*Regina, March 30.—John and William Nor-tis, brothers, aged about 25 and 30 years, who were living together at their homestead, about 18 miles southeast of the city. Younger brethren from walking in our footsteps. Can it be that the other nations have decided that the best way to flatter us is to imitate us?

May ... 401/2
July ... 381/2
Sept. 32%
Pork—

Poultry—
Spring chickens, per lb. \$0 14
Old fowl, per lb. 009
Turkeys, per lb. 020
Geese, per lb. 012
Dairy Produce— Beef, forequarters, cwt. \$5 00 to
Beef, hindquarters, cwt. 6 50
Mutton, light, cwt. ... 7 00
Mutton, heavy, cwt. ... 5 00
Yearling lambs, d's'd,cwt 9 00
Spring lambs, each ... 6 00
Veal, carcase, cwt ... 8 00
Dressed hogs, cwt. ... 6 50

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

EASTER EGGS WILL BE SCARCE.

Plenty in Country, 'Tis Said, But Bad

Roads Keep Them Out.

Easter is a week earlier than iast year, and the season is considerably more than that later. As a consequence eggs are very scarce. The Easter egg market was in full swing yesterday and the demand was much in excess of the supply. Wholesale prices were 23 and 24 cents. A year ago the same market was fully supplied at 12

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Hay, baled, car lots, ton. \$9 00 to \$9 50 Straw, baled, car lots, ton. \$0 00 to \$9 50 Straw, baled, car lots, ton. \$0 00 to \$9 50 Straw, baled, car lots, ton. \$0 00 to \$9 50 Straw, baled, car lots, ton. \$0 00 to \$9 50 Straw, baled, car lots, ton. \$0 00 to \$9 50 Straw, baled, car lots, ton. \$0 00 0 85 Butter, dairy, lb. rolls. 0 16 0 17 Butter, creamery, lb. rolls. 0 11 0 23 Butter, creamery, lb. rolls. 0 11 0 23 Butter, bakers', tub. 0 14 0 15 Eggs, new laid, doz. 0 20 0 22 Turkeys, per lb. 0 12½ 0 14 Fowl, per lb. 0 12½ 0 14 Fowl, per lb. 0 00 00 00 University of the policy of the policy

for milling.

Change of Firm.

The partnership heretofore existing of Buchanan & Jones, stock brokers, of 24 Melinda-street, has been dissolved by the firm.

Buckwheat — Buckwheat, 52c, eastern clated with him Mr. Buchanan has now again the northwest section of the city, ranging in age from 10 to 16 were yesterday each fined \$1 and costs for mutual consent, Mr. Jones retiring from the firm. Mr. Buchanan has now again the northwest section of the city, ranging in age from 10 to 16 were yesterday each fined \$1 and costs for mutual consent, Mr. Jones retiring from the firm. Mr. Buchanan has now again the northwest section of the city, ranging in age from 10 to 16 were yesterday each fined \$1 and costs for mutual consent, Mr. Jones retiring from the firm.

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miums and very small stocks. The weather conditions usually have much to do with fluctuations at this time of the year, and the higher prices discount a good many of the strong features of the domestic statistical situation, but do not render short sales any more desirable than they would be if the price was considerably lower. Liverpool closed ½ lower. Total primary receipts, 335,000; export clearances, wheat and flour, 930,000.

Corn—Small receipts were counterbalanced by easier cables, but both were of minor interest. The feature of the market was the extensive and persistent buying by Armour. There is an enormous short interest in the market, which is expected to run to cover at any moment, and when they attempt it a dangerous period of wild fluctuations may be expected. Corn is a purchase on the soft spots, but long contracts should be well protected against sharp fluctuations.

Onts—The speculative demand to-day was in excess of the offerings, which came principally from scalper who had bought at lower prices. The congested condition in corn should improve the price of oats.

Provisions—Receipts of hogs at the yards much larger than last week and price 15c to 20c lower. Commission houses liquidated long provisions freely during the morning. After selling was over a fair demand developed which looked like packers buying and the close was strong.

I WILL SELL New York Dairy Market.

New York, March 30.—Butter—Firm; receipts 521: unchanged. Cheese—Steady; receipts, 2519; unchanged. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 9438; state, Pennsylvania and near by fancy selected white, 22c; do., average finest, 20c; do., firsts, 19½c; western storage selections, 19½c; western and Kentucky firsts, 19½c; do., seconds, 19c to 19½c; southern, 18½c to 19½c; duck eggs, 33c to 40c; goose eggs, 90c to \$1. NORRIS P. BRYANT, Dealer in Investment Securities, 84 St. Francois

New York Dairy Market.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

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Liverpool Grain and Produce.
Liverpool March 30.—Wheat—Spot, dull;
No. 1 California, 7s: futures, quiet: May.
6s 7%d, July. 6s 7%d. Corn—Spot, quiet:
American mixed, new, 4s 1½d; do. old,
4s 6½d; futures quiet: March. nominal;
May. 4s 3%d. Bacou—Clear bellies. easy,
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