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Stocks and Bonds New York, Jan. 30.-The market during the morning developed some support to offset the influence of liquidation of two local banks, as announced, but an incipient run upon another bank previously identified with the same interests and the usual accompanying rumors of other difficulties caused uncertainty. The scarcity of stocks indicated by loaning rates is an interesting feature of the situation. The statements of Reading and Mexican National for Dec- ember showed increases in surplus for dividends, while that of the Atlantic Coast shows a decrease. The English Bank statement shows a continued in- crease in reserves, presaging further re- duction in the discount rate.-Knis & Stoppani.

The following quotations are reported by A. E. Carleton, stock broker, 102 King Street, New York Stock Exchange. Open 1:15 p.m.

Table with columns for stock symbols and prices. Includes entries for A. T. & S. F., Brookline Rapid Transit, Ches. & Ohio, Erie, Erie 1st pref., Illinois Central, Louisville & Nashville, Missouri Pacific, New York Central, Pennsylvania, Reading, Rock Island, St. Louis S. & W. pref., Southern Railway, Southern Railway, pref., Soo Common, Union Pacific.

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Amusing Anecdote. Sir William Ramsay related an amusing anecdote the other night at the dinner in London of the In- stitute of Chemistry. It concerned a little girl who was invited out to an informal dinner. She was told she was not to be greedy, that she was to take what was offered, and not to overpraise it. When she arrived home after the dinner, said Sir Wil- liam, she asked her what she had eaten. "Well," she replied, "I had some pudding." "And did you say thank you?" "Yes, I also said it was very nice, what there was of it, and then I thought that sounded as if I had not enough, so I added, 'I mean there is plenty of it, such as it is.'"

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MARKETS and FINANCE

Thursday, January 30.-The market this morning was fairly well filled despite the terribly cold weather. Meats were selling at the old prices and with little change. There were in the hides. They dropped half a cent all round. Vegetables all suffered more or less from the cold but the farmers man- aged to keep them covered up and away from the frost most of the time. Butter and eggs are scarce.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day: Wheat-Jan. 1908 bid; May \$1.13 1/2 bid. Oats-Jan. 32c, May 36c bid.

TORONTO SUGAR MARKET. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as fol- lows: unrefined, \$4.50 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, \$1.10 in barrels. These prices are for delivery, car lots 5c less.

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET. Sugar, raw, firm, fair refining, 3.30c; cen- trifugal, 3.50c; molasses sugar, 2.90c; refined, steady.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK. Montreal, (Special).-About 500 head of but- chers' cattle, 20 milch cows and springers, a few small calves, 150 sheep and lambs, and 150 fat hogs were offered for sale at the east end of the city. The butchers were slow in coming out, and trade was dull, with no material change in prices. Prime beefs sold at 44c to 45c per lb., but they were not extra; the premium stock 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c. There were a few very good milch cows on the market, but the severe cold seemed to pre- vent the buyers from taking hold. Prices ranged from \$20 to \$60 each. Sheep sold at 44c to 45c per lb. Lambs, at 52c to 6c. Good lots of fat hogs sold at 6c per lb.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS. London.-London cables are steady at 11c to 12c. Average weight, refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c per lb.

FINANCIAL NOTES. Spot copper in London is 2 1/2d higher, and futures 2 1/2d higher. The New York banks have lost \$26,000,000 through sub-Treasury operations since Fri- day last.

Public Service Commission will move for rehearing 50-cent gas case next Tuesday in U. S. Circuit Court. Rumor of \$10,000,000 loss of New York City 4 1/2% in February.

Moderate demand for stocks in down crowd. Average price of high-grade bonds has ad- vanced 3/4 per cent. in the past month. Other deposits, increased, \$1,220,000. Public deposits, increased, \$2,131,000. Notes, reserve, increased, \$1,276,000. Government securities unchanged.

New York, Jan. 30.-Cotton futures opened at 11.15c, January 11.15c, February \$11.18, March \$11.34, May \$11.25, July \$11.10, August \$10.88, October \$10.32-33.

London, Jan. 30.-The weekly state- ment of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased, £1,049,000. Circulation, decreased, 234,000. Bullion, increased, 1,175,187. Other securities, decreased, 508,000. Other deposits, decreased, 1,220,000. Public deposits, increased, 2,131,000. Notes, reserve, increased, 1,276,000. Government securities unchanged.

New York, Jan. 30.-Wall street.- Prices of stocks yielded but slightly on the announcement of the closing of two of the New York clearing house banks, offering at the opening were light and declines limited generally to small frac- tions. Delaware & Hudson fell 2 1/8, Great Northern Ore Certificate 1. The market opened heavy.

London, Jan. 30.-The rate of dis- count of the Bank of England remained unchanged at 4 per cent.

Chicago, Jan. 30.-Cattle.-Receipts about 8,000; steady; heifers, \$8.50 to \$9.10; cows and heifers, \$7.70 to \$8.60; calves, \$5 to \$7; westerns, \$13.70 to \$14.90; stockers and feeders, \$2.60 to \$4.60.

Hogs.-Receipts about 40,000; market steady to 5c higher; light, \$4 to \$4.30; mixed, \$4.05 to \$4.37 1/2; heavy, \$4.05 to \$4.40; roughs, \$4.05 to \$4.15; pigs, \$3.50 to \$4.10; bulk of sales \$4.20 to \$4.30.

Sheep.-Receipts about 10,000; mar- ket weak; heavy, \$3.25 to \$4.60; west- ern, \$3.25 to \$3.60; yearlings, \$4.90 to \$5.60; lambs, \$5 to \$7.15.

White Native Africans. It is, I think, one of the most aston- ding facts in the history of man that a man was able to contain within his mind, to conceive, the conception of the Sphinx, says Robert Hichens in Century. That he could carry it out in the stone is amazing. But how much more amaz- ing it is that before there was the Sphinx he was able to see it with his imagination! One may criticize the things that are true about it; that seen from behind at a distance its head looks like an enormous mushroom growing in the sand; that its cheeks are swelled irregu- larly; that its thin-lipped mouth is dead; that from certain places it bears a resemblance to a prize bulldog. All this does not matter at all. What does matter is that into the conception and execution of the Sphinx has been poured a supreme imaginative power. He who created it looked beyond Egypt, beyond the life of man. He grasped the con- ception of eternity, and realized the nothingness of Time, and he rendered it in stone.

LONDON WOOL SALES. London.-The offerings of the wool auction sales to-day numbered 12,831 bales. A good selection of Merinos caused active com- petition between home and continental buyers; good greasy parcels of all descriptions were in strong request and Americans paid in- creased prices for the best. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 1,500 bales, scored 1 1/2 to 1 1/4; greasy, 80 to 85 to 1 1/2; South Australia, 800 bales, scored 1 1/2 to 1 1/4; greasy, 80 to 85 to 1 1/2; New Zealand, 2,400 bales, scored 1 1/2 to 1 1/4; greasy, 60 to 65 to 1 1/2.

TORONTO SEEDS. Following are the prices paid at outside points:-Alaska, No. 2, \$7.30 to \$8; No. 3, \$6.75 to \$7.50. Samples mixed with timothy, tre- clover or wheat, 25 to 30c per lb. Red clover-Fleming, No. 1 cleaned, \$10.25 to \$10.50; ordinary lots, mixed with weeds, \$9.00 to \$9.50, according to quality.

London, (Cable).-Caledonia Lined, April- June, 42 1/2 to 42 1/2 lbs. TORONTO PROVISIONS. Pork.-Short cut, \$22 to \$22.50 per barrel; mess, \$15 to \$15.50. Lard.-Tierce, 1 1/2c for tons and cases.

JEROME'S ADDRESS. DISTRICT ATTORNEY TALKS TO JURY ON THAW CASE. Apologizes if He Has Been Rude- Neither He Nor Evelyn on Trial- Thaw the Man of the Hour-Is He Crazy or Not-Variou Kinds of Verdicts.

New York, Jan. 30.-There was another great crush at the Criminal Courts building to-day to hear Dis- trict-Attorney Jerome make the closing address for the people in the Thaw case. When the doors were opened the court chamber was found to be already filled with specially privileged spectators, some of whom had made their way through the Tombs prison, over the bridge, and through the carefully guarded passage ways used for prisoners. Justice Dowling was late in getting down town and it was some time after the hour set for convening when he took his place on the bench.

Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw and Josiah Thaw were the only members of the defendant's family present when Mr. Jerome began his argument at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Jerome declared the case had been handled by him with some diffi- culty as he had had many other mat- ters of importance to attend to at the same time. "If I have at any time lacked in the dignity that at- taches to my office," he continued, "if at any time I have shown any asperity or lack of consideration, I can only say now that I regret it. Any personal impression I have made or have not made should have no part whatever in your verdict or you are not trying the district attorney. Any sneers he may have made is not evidence for the people and neither are they any evidence that Harry K. Thaw was insane when he killed Stan- ford White. As to the woman, I for- ford White as to the woman, in my manner was one of disapproba- tion, that is not evidence. Neither I nor the woman is being tried here. Harry Thaw is on trial for the murder of Stanford White and the defense is that he was insane on the night of June 25th, 1905, and he was not gen- erally insane or is insane now. All you have to deal with is, all I have to deal with is, whether or not at a particular time, plain and simple, Thaw was insane-whether when he shot and killed Stanford White he knew that act was wrong and against the law of the land.

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he walked up to and killed by three bullets. "The law specifically says that a weak, disordered mind is no defence for criminal irresponsibility. I concede that Thaw is crazy on the train, con- cede that he was crazy in London, in Monte Carlo, in Paris, in Pittsburgh, where you will. But is there any con- tention here that Thaw has been crazy during all of his thirty-six years of life? Is there any contention that he has been crazy during the two years he has been in the Tombs? Then why, crazy when he calmly and deliberately shot Stanford White?"

ALLIGATOR SHOT OFF GUN. Probably Didn't Know It Was Loaded - A True Story.

Nellie's father went down to Florida last winter for his health, and while he was there he got so well that one day he thought he would go hunting. He took his gun. As he was walking through the woods near a lake he saw a big eagle perched on the top of a tree. Looking around for a path through the dense un- derbrush that would bring him near the tree he found at last a narrow track. He crept very quietly along it, and at length got near enough to the tree to take a shot at the eagle.

But Nellie's father did not see the beast at all; he never thought of anything but watching the bird, so that it did not fly away that he never looked ahead of him, and there, right beside the path, was a big alligator, with his terrible mouth wide open, all ready to bite him. But Nellie's father did not see the beast at all; he never thought of anything but watching the bird, so that it did not fly away that he never looked ahead of him, and there, right beside the path, was a big alligator, with his terrible mouth wide open, all ready to bite him.

Now comes the funny part of the story, says McCall's Magazine. When the alligator grabbed the gun, one of its teeth pressed the trigger and the gun went off, the shot just escaping Nellie's father's head. He was very much start- led, as you may guess, and rather fright- ened when he saw the alligator; but the beast was every bit as scared as he was, and went lumbering through the thick grass just as quickly as possible to its home in the bottom of the lake. When Nellie's father picked up the gun he found the iron part all indented with the force of the bullet, and he thought that it was mighty lucky that the beast had not grabbed him by the leg. There would not have been much left of his leg if this had happened. Of course, the eagle flew away.

Limitations of the Eye. I an interesting lecture in Edin- burgh on the 4th inst., Dr. Dawson Turner, F.R.S., gave a paper on "The Limitations of the Eye." He said that the length of the visible spectrum varies with the individual. Just as some people could hear a higher pitched note better than others, so no two persons would agree as to where the spectrum begins and ends. It was a phys- iological and not a physical limita- tion. The range of an animal's eye might not be the same as man's. Lord Avebury experimented with ants, and found that these animals were most sensitive to rays that our eyes could not perceive at all; their bright- est light was in the dark region be- yond the violet. The rays he could not see these rays at either end of the visible spectrum, we could, by cer- tain experiments, easily satisfy our- selves that there were rays in the dark portions beyond the violet and below the red. The rays beyond the violet could be shown to exist by their photo- graphic or actinic effect and by fluorescence. Illustrating this by ex- periments, Dr. Dawson Turner fixed a piece of sensitive paper on a slit in the visible and invisible ultra- violet spectrum, and showed that the violet spectrum, and showed that it darkened first in the invisible ultra- violet. He showed also that by hold- ing a platinum cyanide screen in it, the length of the spectrum was easily doubled. These dark rays, he dis- charged a negatively electrified body, and had an important action upon certain diseases of the skin.

Professor Finson had become de- servedly famous by the use of the blue violet and ultra-violet light in the treatment of disease. In 1896 Professor Rontgen astonished the world by announcing the discovery of a new kind of ray. He had been experimenting with a vacuum tube, and he noticed that platinum cyanide of barium became luminescent when the tube was working. An ordinary low vacuum tube did not give rise to the Rontgen rays. To produce Rontgen rays, you must have a high vacuum, in which there was a Kathode stream of electrons, and this stream of flying electrons be- brought us suddenly as possible to a standpoint in the human system, and the electrons to strike a target of platinum while they were in full flight. As they could not see the Rontgen rays (because they were dark rays) they feel the rays unless they were suffering from a disease, how did they know the rays were there at all? It was chiefly by three reasons-(1) The rays would take photographs through opaque sub- stances, and could thus be used to see through the skin and the chest bones; (2) they caused certain bodies to become luminous; and (3) they discharged electrified bodies. The Rontgen rays had, a very important action on the human system, and they were properly applied they could be of great benefit in connection with disease. Many interesting experi- ments were carried through to illus- trate these and other properties of the Rontgen rays.

What He Played. A surgeon was conducting his stu- dents through a hospital, remarking on the various cases under treatment. "They arrived at a bed on which a patient lay, and the professor stopped. "From the nature of the illness the patient is suffering from," he said, "I can by using my powers deduce, to tell you his occupation. You are a musician, are you not?" he added, turning to the patient. "Yes, sir," replied the sufferer. "And you play a wind instrument, is that not so?" "I do," "Just as I gathered from the symptoms! That pernicious blow- ing does more injury to the lungs than-" "Begging your pardon, sir," interrupted the patient with an effort, "I play a cornet."