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KEATING'S FIGURES STAND.

HIS ESTIMATE IS $310,000 FOR A CIVIC LIGHTING PLANT.

These Figures Preferred By the Fire and Light Committee To Those of Mr. Bertram—Many Proposed Improvement Shelved Pending Bringing in the Estimates.

The second clause in the Fire and Light Committee's report to the Executive Committee read at the fortnightly meeting recommended that the City Solicitor prepare a bylaw to provide for the issue of general consolidated loan debentures to the amount of $——, for the installation of a civic electric lighting plant, and that the vote be taken thereon at the same time as the bylaw to provide for new water mains.

The amount was left blank, and enquiry showed that Mr. Keating had written two letters to the City Clerk. The one gave his own estimate of the cost of such a plant as $310,000. The other letter, as an alternative, called attention to the Bertram offer, which meant an expenditure of $277,000 to the city if accepted. The Engineer said he could not recommend the offer, while still awaiting the City Council's decision upon it.

McMurrich Scores Keating.

Ald. McMurrich, chairman of the Committee on Fire and Light, grew angry over this, and used strong words on Mr. Keating's inability to make up his mind and Mr. Keating explained that he could take no definite stand. His estimate of $310,000 he would stick to; he could not recommend the Bertram offer at the present time. It did not rest with him to decide the matter; the City Council must decide which scheme it preferred.

Ald. McMurrich did not withdraw his statements, and Ald. Lamb said the chairman of the Fire and Light Committee was trying to load upon the City Engineer a responsibility which his committee had shirked.

Keating's Estimate Stands.

To settle matters Ald. Graham moved that the clause go through to the council with the amount blank, to be filled out there, but the proposal was lost. Ald. Scott then moved that $310,000 be inserted, and this was carried.

Fire Brigade Matters.

The appointment of John Thompson, as Deputy Chief of the Fire Department, and William Villiers as Assistant was ratified. All the recommendations for better equipment of the different fire halls were laid over until the estimates are considered.

New Pavements.

The report of the Committee on Works recommended the construction of an 18-foot asphalt pavement in Selby-street, and a 24-foot pavement in St. Joseph-street.

Overcrowding Cars.

The City Engineer's statement as to the overcrowding of street cars was unanimously adopted. It required that the number of passengers on closed cars be limited to 50 per cent. above the seating capacity, and on open cars to the seating capacity.

The C. P. R. Rental.

There was some wrangling over the committee's recommendation that the C.P.R.'s old offer of $750 per annum rental for the eastern entrance be accepted. As, however, Mr. C. R. W. Biggar and Mr. Christopher Robinson had given their opinion that an arbitration would yield nothing better, the recommendation was adopted.

The City Engineer's recommendation that $7500 be expended in improving the furnaces at the Waterworks Department with smoke-consuming appliances was allowed to stand over until the estimates come up, and the expected saving in fuel can be estimated.

The Property Committee's report was adopted providing for the immediate advertisement of tenders for the lease of all city docks and 300 feet of cribbing between Bay and York-street on the waterfront at a cost of $600.

Dr. Barrick and a number of members of the Ratepayers Association waited on the committee once more to urge their old scheme of equalized assessment Dr. Barrick was attentively listened to.

$560 For the Horse Show.

A deputation composed of George W. Beardmore, Robert Davies, Alf W. Smith, John K. Macdonald and Stewart Houston, representing the Country and Hunt Club, together with Henry Wade, secretary of the Agriculture and Arts Association, waited on the committee to ask for a grant to the horse show, to be held in the new Armory on April 18, 19 and 20, on the lines of the great New York horse show. Mr. Wade was heard and the request was granted.

Iron Bridge For the Island.

The Parks and Gardens Committee met at 2 o'clock yesterday and adopted the report of the City Engineer recommending the offer of the Central Bridge and Engineering Company of Peterboro to build an iron bridge 164 feet long across the long pond at Island Park for $3660.

THE STATE OF TRADE.

A Slight Improvement in Certain Lines of Wholesale Business.

The Bulletin (R. G. Dun & Co.) says: Montreal wholesalers report that there has been no appreciable increase in the movement of merchandise since a week ago, and collections, which are never expected to be very good in February, are described as almost poorer than the rule. Grocery travelers, writing from off rail points, report the country roads as still badly drifted, and business consequently slow. Some of the millinery openings were held this week, attracting a fair number of buyers. Some dry goods men from the Northwest, British Columbia, have also been in town, but have made only moderate selections.

The millinery openings and more spring-like weather have had a stimulating effect on millinery and similar lines at Toronto. The volume of business is said to be satisfactory, but profits are restricted by keen competition.

The movement of staple dry goods is small. There is some anxiety as to how settlements will be made on the 4th, but a large number of wholesale merchants seem to expect a general improvement in trade in the near future.

AUCTION SALES.

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TO-DAY, FRIDAY, MARCH 1st

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AUCTIONEERS.

TENDERS.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Severn River Work," will be received at this office until Friday, the 15th day of March next, inclusive, for work to be done in widening the outlets of Lake Couchiching, Ontario, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the Postoffice, Washago, and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

E. F. E. ROY, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 12th February, 1895.

TENDERS.

INDIAN SUPPLIES.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Indian Supplies," will be received at this office up to noon of TUESDAY, 9th April, 1895, for the delivery of Indian Supplies during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1896, at various points in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories.

Forms of tender, containing full particulars, may be had by applying to the undersigned, or to the Assistant Indian Commissioner at Regina, or to the Indian Office, Winnipeg. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

This advertisement is not to be inserted by any newspaper without the authority of the Queen's Printer, and no claim for payment by any newspaper not having had such authority will be admitted.

HAYTER REED,

Deputy Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs.

Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, February, 1895.

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Steam Fire Engine Fake Yarn.

Editor World: I have just seen Monday's World, reporting dispatch from Winnipeg about a Merryweather fire engine, in which flues had burst, that a man had been arrested for tampering with the engine, as a result of much opposition—and a hatched conspiracy of rival manufacturers! This is a fake story, hatched by Merryweather sympathizers, to enlist public sympathy. Our firm was the only opposition, all done by telegrams and letters, offering a better engine for much less cost; but Winnipeg would not allow competition upon merit—the old Montreal way of doing civic business in fire engine purchases. The facts are, if any flue was injured, it could not have raised steam at all; the probabilities are that they were trying to get up steam as quick as we can, and used too little water in boiler, upper rows of horizontal tubes became bare of water and collapsed; which can't happen with our engines. They will have a high old time to repair; the whole inside of the boiler will have to come out, and perhaps have to send to England for new flues of right uniform kind; whereas, when any of our flues need repairs, we can do it in a few minutes. Such facilities were shown Toronto men, besides scores of other similar good points in our steamer not in others. But, alas! there were no eyes to see any good points in the Canadian engine. Time and practice are telling, and will further tell, who makes the best steam fire engine.

JNO. D. RONALD.

Brussels, Feb. 27, '95.

Earl Cowley is Dead.

London, Feb. 28.—William Henry Wellesley, second Earl Cowley, is dead. He was born in 1834.

Count Up

the number of times you have to rub a garment to get it clean; multiply it by the number of garments washed in a year.

Then you can see just how many **back-breaking** rubs **Pearline** will save you, annually. You don't do the washing yourself? That doesn't make any difference. You need **Pearline** just the same. Every one of these tiresome rubs is wear and tear on the things that are washed. They suffer, even if you don't. Hundreds of millions of packages of Pearline have been consumed. Think of the number of useless and harmful rubs that have been saved to the women of America.

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DEPRESSION ON WALL-STREET

INCREASED ACTIVITY, WITH LIQUIDATION IN N. Y. CENTRAL.

Cable is Weaker and Toronto Street Railway Shares Firmer—Wheat Easier at Chicago Owing to Lower Cables—Provisions Firmer—Latest Financial and Commercial News.

Thursday Evening, Feb. 28.

Business was fairly active in Canadian securities to-day. Cable easier and Toronto Street Railway firm.

The clearings of Winnipeg banks the past week are $659,396.

Consols weaker, closing to-day at 104 3-16 for money and at 104 3-8 for account.

Canadian Pacific weaker, closing in London at 44 3-4 and in New York at 43 1-2. St. Paul closed in London at 56 3-8, Erie at 8 3-8, Reading at 4 7-8 and N.Y.C. at 99 1-8.

The annual report of Commercial Cable shows earnings of over 10 per cent. for 1894.

Grand Trunk Railway earnings for the third week of Feb. show an increase of $3873 over those of corresponding week of last year.

At a meeting of the Board of the Toronto Railway Co. yesterday Mr. George A. Cox was elected a director in the place of Mr. J. W. Leonard of the C.P.R., who is retiring. The receipts last year for February were about $60,000, this year they were over $62,000, while the receipts for January and February last year were about 72 per cent., for January this year they were 51 per cent., and for February this year they will be still lower.

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Bank Clearings at Toronto.

The clearings this week are small. Following are the figures, with comparisons:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Feb. 22	$931,746	$139,123
Feb. 23	713,275	99,990
Feb. 25	558,906	66,771
Feb. 26	805,088	113,269
Feb. 27	773,513	113,317
Feb. 28	881,502	198,258
Totals	$4,664,130	$730,728
Last week	$4,945,033	$838,735
Cor. week, 1894	4,050,007	610,547
" 1893	5,759,053	710,170

Money Markets.

The local money market is dull at 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. on call and at Montreal 3 1-2 to 4. At New Yprk the rate is 1 1-2 and at London 1 3-8 per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 2, and the open market rates 1 3-8 to 1 1-2 per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

Rates of exchange, as reported by Æmilius Jarvis & Co., stock brokers, are as follows:

	Between Banks. Counter. Buyers.	Sellers	Posted.	Actual.
New York funds	¼ to ¼	1-64 dis to 1-64 pr		
Sterling, 60 days	9⅜ to 9⅝	9 9-16 to 9⅝		
do demand	10⅛ to 10¼	9⅞ to 9 15-16		
RATES IN NEW YORK.				
Sterling, 60 days			4 88 –	4 87¼
do. demand			4 90 –	4 88¾ to 4 89

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26 Toronto-street.

Toronto Stock Market.

Toronto, Feb. 28.—Montreal, 221 and 218 1-2; Ontario, 98 asked; Toronto, 245 and 240; Merchants', 166 and 165 1-2; Commerce 136 and 134 5-8; Imperial, 181 1-2 and 179 1-2; Dominion, 276 and 270; Standard, 163 and 161; Hamilton, 154 and 153 1-2.

British America, 113 and 111; Western Assurance, 149 3-4 and 149 1-8; Consumers' Gas, 197 and 196; Dominion Telegraph, 117 and 115; Can. Northwest Land Co., pref., 70 asked; Can. Pacific Railway stock, 43 3-4 and 43; Toronto Electric Light Co., 160 asked; Incandescent Light Co., 112 and 110 1-2; General Electric, 90 asked; Commercial Cable Co., 146 7-8 and 146 5-8; Bell Telephone Co., 157 1-4 and 155 5-4; Montreal Street Ry., 187 bid; do. new, 185 1-2 bid; Toronto Ry. Co., 74 3-8 and 74 1-8.

British Canadian L. & Invest., 114 and 110; B. & Loan Association, 98 asked; Can. Landed & Nat. Invt. Co., 122 and 120 1-2; Canada Permanent, 165 bid; do. 20 per cent., 50 bid; Can. S. & Loan, 120 asked; Central Can. Loan, 125 and 123 1-2; Dom. Savings & Invest. Soc., 76 bid; Farmers' L. & Savings, 110 asked; do., 20 per cent, 98 asked; Freehold L. & Savings, 130 bid; do. 20 per cent., 123 1-2 asked; Hamilton Provident, 128 and 123; Huron & Erie L. & Savings, 164 bid; do. 20 per cent., 153 bid; Imperial L. & Invest., 114 and 110; Landed Banking & Loan, 113 1-2 bid; Land Security Co., 120 asked; Lon. & Can. L. & A., xd, 120 1-4 and 118 3-4; London Loan, 102 1-2 bid; London & Ontario, 111 bid; Manitoba Loan, 100 asked; Ontario Industrial Loan, 50 bid; Ontario Loan & Deb., 129 1-4 bid; People's Loan, 44 bid; Real Estate, Loan & Deb. Co., 72 asked; Toronto Savings & Loan, 120 1-2 and 119; Union Loan & Savings, 126 and 124 1-2; Western Canada L. & S., 161 bid; do. 25 per cent., 153 asked.

Morning transactions: Commerce, 20, 18, 2, 3 at 135; British Am. Assurance, 20 at 111; C.P.R., 50 at 44, 25, 25 at 43 3-4; Incandescent, 35, 10 at 110 1-2; Cable, 25 at 147 3-4, 25, 25, 25 at 147 1-2, 25 at 147 3-8; Montreal Street Ry., new, 100 at 186 1-4; Toronto St. Ry., 25, 25, 25 at 74 1-4, 25 at 74 1-8; Farmers' Loan, 20 at 108; Hamilton Provident, 5 at 124.

Afternoon transactions: Western Assurance, 100 at 149 1-4; Cable, 25 at 146 3-4; Telephone, 10 at 157 1-4; Toronto St. Ry., 25 at 74 1-4; Canada Per. Loan, 20 per cent, 10 at 155.

IRON AND BRASS BEDSTEADS!

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Corner King and Victoria-streets, Toronto.

Montreal Stock Market.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—Close—Montreal, 220 and 218; Ontario, 100 asked; Toronto, 245 and 239 1-2; Merchants', 166 and 163 1-2; People's, 115 1-4 and 110; Commerce, 136 and 132 1-2; Montreal Telegraph, 160 and 157; Richelieu, 97 and 95 1-2; Street Ry., 188 1-4 and 187 3-4; Cable, 147 and 146 5-8; Telephone, 158 and 156; Duluth, 4 and 2; do., pref., 10 and 5; C.P.R., 43 1-2 and 43 1-4; Northwest Land Co., 65 asked; Gas, 193 1-4 and 192 1-2; Toronto Street Railway, 74 and 73 1-2.

Morning sales: C.P.R., 50 at 43 1-2, 75 at 43 3-4; Cable, 300 at 147 1-2, 10 at 148, 75 at 147 1-4; Street Ry., 278 at 188; do. new, 250 at 185 7-8, 1500 at 186; Montreal, 8 at 219 3-4; Merchants', 21 at 164, 15 at 164 3-4, 120 at 165; Toronto St. Ry., 400 at 74 1-4, 150 at 74, 25 at 73 7-8; Montreal Cotton, 55 at 118.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 6 at 44 1-2, 25 at 43 1-2; Cable, 75 at 147, 10 at 147 1-2; Telegraph, 1 at 159; Richelieu, 50 at 96, 50 at 95 1-2; Dominion Cotton, 30 at 90; Toronto St. Ry., 25 at 74 1-4; Montreal St. Ry., 50 at 187 3-4; do. new, 50 at 185 3-4, 25 at 185 7-8; Gas, 75 at 193; Telephone, 5 at 157 1-4; Merchants', 2 at 164; Commerce, 20 at 135 3-4.

W. A. CAMPBELL

ASSIGNEE,

32 FRONT-ST. WEST

New York Stocks.

The fluctuations on the New York Stock Exchange to-day were as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	91⅝	92⅝	91⅝	91⅝
American Tobacco	90	91	89	90⅝
C. & O	16	16	16	15
Cotton Oil	20⅝	21	20⅝	21
Atchison	3⅝	4	3⅝	4
Chi., Burlington & Q.	70	70¼	69⅝	69⅝
Chicago Gas Trust	71⅛	72¼	70⅝	71
Canada Southern	48¼	48¾	48	48
C.C.C. & I.	36¼	36¼	35¼	36¼
Del. & Hudson, xd	126	126	126	126
Del., Lac. & W.	158¾	158¾	158¾	158¾
Erie	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Lake Shore	136½	136½	135¼	135¼
Louisville & Nashville	50	50	48⅝	48⅝
Manhattan	107⅝	107⅝	106½	106½
Missouri Pacific	18⅞	19¼	18⅞	19¼
U. S. Cordage Co.	5⅝	5⅝	4⅝	4⅝
New England	29⅝	30½	29⅝	30½
N.Y. Central & Hud.	97¼	97¼	95⅝	96¼
Northern Pacific Pref.	13⅝	13⅝	13¼	13¼
Northwestern	88¼	88¼	87½	87½
General Electric Co.	29	29½	28⅝	28⅝
Rock Island & Pac.	61¼	62	61⅛	61⅛
Omaha	.....	.....	.....	30
Pullman	154⅝	154⅝	154	154
Pacific Mail	22	22	22	22
Phila. & Reading	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
St. Paul	54⅝	55	54¼	54⅝
Union Pacific	.....	.....	.....	.....
Western Union	87½	87½	86⅝	87⅛
Distillers	11⅛	11⅛	10¾	11⅛
Jersey Central	84½	85¼	83⅝	83⅞
National Lead	27	27	26¾	26¾
Wabash Pref	13¼	13¼	12¾	12¾

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL..... $1,000,000

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A. E. AMES, Manager.

10 King-st, West.

Tips From Wall-street.

The market closed heavy.

Sugar very weak at close.

London sold St. Paul and L. & N.

Long stock of N.Y.C came out to-day. The failure of the coal sales' agents to do anything about production or prices creates an idea that further trouble in the trade is inevitable. Reading for January shows an increase in the deficit of $180,000. Pennsylvania for the same months, however, has gains of $518,000 gross and $366,000 in net.

The American Tobacco Co. has acquired the plant of two tobacco concerns, bought without increasing capital stock, and paying for them out of surplus.

The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar 35,900 shares, C. Gas 11,300, St. Paul 20,700, N.W. 10,100, R.I. 8200, W.U. 7100, Central 14,300, J.C. 12,200, Mo. P. 1300, L. & N. 12,700, B.Q. 7600, Distillers 8700, Manhattan 3100, G.E. 4600.

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28 COLBORNE-ST

Commercial Miscellany.

Oil is higher at 106 3-8.

Cash wheat at Chicago 51 1-2c.

Puts on May wheat 55 5-8c, calls 54c.

Puts on May corn 44 1-2c, calls 44 3-4c.

At Toledo clover seed is $5.50 for cash and $5.45 asked for March.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 8000, market higher. Sheep 8000.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 24, corn 247, oats 171. Estimated for Friday: Wheat 15, corn 360, oats 150.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 34,000; official Wednesday 36,625; left over 7000. Market fairly active and shade higher. Mixed packing $3.85. Estimated for Friday 28,000.

Hog packing in the west the past week amounts to 370,000, as against 300,000 the corresponding week of last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis to-day 150 cars.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 11,000 packages, and wheat 41,000 bushels. Clearances of wheat at four ports 162,704 bushels.

Primary receipts of wheat in the west to-day 291,000 bushels and shipments 70,000 bushels.

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Breadstuffs.

Flour—Trade quiet and prices steady. A few cars of straight roller sold at $2.57 1-2, Toronto freight.

Bran—It is almost impossible to get it, and prices are nominal.

Wheat—The feeling for Ontario wheat is firm. Red is quoted at 57 1-2c west, and white sold at 59c on Northern. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 82c. Sarnia, grinding in transit, and at 80c, to arrive, North Bay.

Barley—Trade is extremely dull, with prices irregular. No. 1 is quoted at 47c to 50c and No. 2 at 45c to 46c.

Oats—The demand is good, with sales outside at 33c for cars of white west, and at 34c to 34 1-2c on Midland. Cars on track 36c to 36 1-2c.

Peas—The demand is good and prices unchanged, there being sales on Northern at 55 1-2c and on Midland at 57 1-2c to 58c.

Rye—There is little or nothing offering and prices are nominal.

Buckwheat—Trade is quiet, with prices unchanged at 37c to 38c.

Corn—Trade dull, with offerings outside at 40c.

THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

The weather was unfavorable and little produce offered to-day.

Grain.

Wheat is nominal in absence of receipts. White is quoted at 63 1-2c to 64 1-2c, red at 61c to 62c and goose at 60c to 60 1-2c. Barley steady, 150 bushels selling at 48c. Oats firmer, 300 bushels selling at 37c to 37 1-2c. Peas nominal at 65c to 66c.

Hay and Straw.

Hay in limited supply, a few loads selling at $11 to $13 a ton for timothy, and $8 to $9 for clover. Car lots of baled $9 to $9.50. Straw nominal at $7 to $8.

HENRY A. KING & CO

BROKERS,

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Dairy Produce.

Commission prices: Choice tub, 15c to 16c; bakers', 13c to 14c; pound rolls, 15c to 17c, and creamery tub 18c to 22c, the latter for late makes. Eggs, 13c to 14c for limed, 16c to 17c for cold storage and 23c to 25c for new laid. Cheese steady at 10 1-2c to 11c.

Poultry and Provisions.

Jobbing prices: Chickens, fresh, 40c to 50c per pair; ducks, 65c to 80c; geese, 7 1-2c to 8c, and turkeys at 11c to 12c.

Dressed hogs are firm at $5.35 to $5.50. Hams, smoked, 9 1-2c to 10 1-4c; bacon, long clear, 6 3-4c to 7 1-4c; breakfast bacon, 10c to 10 1-2c; rolls, 8c to 8 1-2c; shoulder mess, $12 to $12.50 per barrel; mess pork, $14.50 to $15; do., short cut, $15 to $15.50; lard, in pails, 8 1-2c; tubs 8 1-4c, tierces 7 3-4c.

Beef, by quarter, fores, 3 1-2c to 4 1-2c; hinds, 5c to 7c. Mutton is firm at 8c to 9c. Veal, 6c to 7c.

Seeds.

Receipts of alsike fair, with prices firm at $4 to $5.20, according to quality. Red clover steady at $6 to $6.40.

Apples and Vegetables.

Apples, per bbl, $2.25 to $3.50; do. dried, 5 1-2c to 6c; evaporated, 7c to 7 1-2c. Potatoes, bag, in car lots, 50 to 55c; in small lots, 60c to 65c. Beans, bushel, $1.25 to $1.30. Cabbage, doz., 30c to 35c. Cauliflower, dozen, 50c to 75c. Celery, dozen, 30c to 40c. Onions, bag, 60c to 75c.

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28 Wellington-st. East

Special rates quoted for large loans on central city property. 51

W. E. LONG, Manager.

Chicago Markets.

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

	Open'g	H'h'st	L'st	Close.
Wheat—May	55⅞	54¼	53⅞	53⅞
" —July	54¾	55¼	54⅝	54⅝
Corn—May	45⅛	45⅝	44⅝	44¾
" —July	44⅝	45	44⅝	44⅝
Oats—May	29⅝	29¼	29¼	29¼
" —July	27⅝	28	27⅝	27⅝
Pork—May	10 15	10 33	10 15	10 33
Lard—May	6 45	6 50	6 42	6 47
Ribs—May	5 22	5 30	5 22	5 27

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from Schwartz, Dupee & Co., Chicago: Wheat—Foreign cables easier to-day and brought selling orders both here and at New York. Our market eased off at the start, rallied again on local buying, influenced by report of lower temperature, closing finally at 53 3-4c. Total volume of business was small. The clearances from the seaboard was equal to 340,000 bushels. Cables from the Argentine in regard to the quality of their crop were but a reiteration of that we have previously had. The Orange Judd Farmer estimates the farm reserves at 154,000,000 bushels; corroboration of these figures by the Government would be regarded as a bullish feature. Corn easier. Cables lower. Seaboard clearances were liberal, 216,000. Speculative demand to-day was very light and the selling largely by local traders, who had loaded up in the expectation that soft roads would give the market a boom. Sample lots were a shade easier. Provisions opened higher and advanced on rather free buying by a leading packer. When this buying was over the market became dull and sagged off in sympathy with grain markets. The cash demand was light and speculative trading was mostly local. Local sentiment is bullish and favors a higher market in March, which will be natural if receipts of hogs fall off materially.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Feb. 28.—Wheat, spring, 5s 3d to 5s 4d; red, 4s 1-4d to 4s 8 1-2d; No. 1 Cal., 5s 2d to 5s 3d; corn, 4s 1 1-2d; peas, 4s 11 1-2d; pork, 52s 6d; lard, 53s 3d; heavy bacon, 32s 6d; light bacon, 33s new, 24s 6d; cheese, white, 48s; do. colored, 49s.

London, Feb. 28.—Opening—Wheat off coast quiet, less disposition to buy, on passage quiet. Maize quiet.

Paris—Wheat 10c to 40 centimes lower.

London—Close—Cargoes of wheat off coast steady, on passage firmer. Maize quiet. Antwerp spot wheat steady.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat and futures steady.

Cotton Markets.

At New York the market closed steady, March at 5.44, April at 5.45, May at 5.49, June at 5.51 and July at 5.55.

Business Embarrassments.

J. P. Thompson & Co., Belleville, are offering to compromise.

G. W. Steacy, tobacco, Ottawa, has assigned to T. Borbridge.

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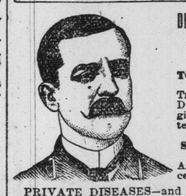

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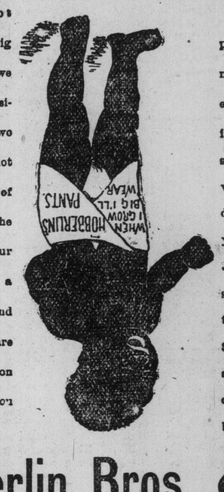

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