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ACTIVITY TOWARDS END

lore Favorable News From Washington Enlivened N. Y. Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, March 8.—The market in a state of suspended nimation the greater part of today's irregueriods of utter apathy, and were local to an unusual de-

final hour the list became ing the publication of a very fable sovernment crop report, and nations of an approaching agreeest with Germany over the subma-

troversy. ley. In general, the movement in rails was decidedly mixed, Canadian Pacific, New Haven, Rock Island and a few less conspicuous issues showing a sag-

ndency. motors, as well as some of the more important metals, were lower by 1 to almost 3 points at midday, but this trend was easily overcome later when Butte and Superior rose 5 1-8 to the record of 103, while American Zinc and others of the same class rose abstantially. United States Steel and some leading rails also threw off their

arly heaviness.
Among unclassified specialties weakwas shown at times by Pittsburg common and preferred, United Industrial Alcohol, American o, American Sugar and Ferliliers. The easier tone of these stocks annual statements, some of which short of popular expectations. were scarcely affected by the that an Ohio jury had handed indictments against officials of steel companies operating at state for alleged violations of laws. Total sales amounted to 545,-

w low record for marks, which was quoted at 72 9-16, featured the day's operations in foreign exchange, with slight recessions in sterling and Bonds were irregular, with total sales, par value, \$3,100,000.

Company's Last Year's Large Earnings and Future Prospects Cause Stock Inquiry.

The undertone to the Toronto stock murket saw further improvement yes-ierday, with Nova Scotia Steel the lading feature. The yearly stateleding feature. The yearly statement recently issued by this company and the knowledge that the record arnings for last year will be even larger again this year, has brought a demand for the stock from investors, while shrewd speculators are pointing to \$15,000,000 war contract, known to be in the hands of the company. Upwards of 1400 shares were traded in on this market yesterday and the Price rose from 97 to 98 5-8. An even thousand shares changed hands at \$1.2.8.

The strength in Nova Scotia did not help the other steels much, but Steel Corporation was up a point at 46 and all available offerings at that price were absorbed. Maple Leaf was inclined to sag on profit-taking offerings. There was no particular feature elsewhere in the market and dealings were light at steady prices.

STOCKS GAIN STRENGTH ON BRISK OPERATIONS

Montreal Reports Rises in Iron, Scotia and Steel of Canada.

MONTREAL, March 8.—Stocks were strongh ere today under a fair demand, while offerings continued light. Steels again attracted most of the attention with bullish operations directed to Iron and Scotla rather than to the recent leader of the group, Steel of Canada. Iron rose 1 to 46½ and retained half its gain on dealings in about 1500 shares, while Scotla rose 134 to 9814 on purchases of about 700 shares, sold at its best price in the final dealings, and closed strong in the final dealings, and closed strong at 98% bid against 96% the previous day. The market for Steel of Canada was less active and narrower, the range for the day being %-point on a turnower of 500 shares, but the close at 41% bid start of 100 shares. d recorded an advance of 1/4 from Tues-

Lyall was another feature of the munito group, rising 2 to a new high record 42 and finishing at the best. Bonds were in good demand. Cana-than war foan sold at 97'1/2 "and inter-th" an advance of 1/2.

MONEY RATES.

Glazebrook & Cronyn, Exchange and Brokers, report exchange rates as Buyers. Sellers. Counter.

Do Not Let the War Taxes Discourage Mining

The mineral resources of Canada are potentially as valuable as those of the United States, but they are living up to their opportunities and are producing \$2,500,000,000 annually, we barely \$150,ter, and if the present generation has to shoulder the war debt it ought to have every facility to recoup itself thru 000,000. We should be doing much bethave every facility to recoup itself thru the unrestricted expansion of the mining industry. But this requires capital and the spirit of enterprise, and of these the local supplies are not sufficient. Until

doubt continue to do so notwithstanding the war tax on profits. But many other mines should be made productive. This would not only enrich their owners but and to the general wealth and progress of the country. No benefits can come or other metals if never mined.

Even when conditions are favorable foreign capital moves very slowly and only under onerous conditions against those who have discovered mere prospects. The development of a gold mine requires from three to five years and the ded, even during the intervals of the meantime bringing in no return and the meantime bringing in no return and vertreme duless, altho pressure against U.S. Steel and Kennecott Copper was effective at times. This was nullified in a measure by the activity and strength of Reading, which rose 2 1-8 to 85, and a few other rails, including Lehigh Valation to share a portion of the profits with the government will prevent some

capital from embarking in new ventures. With sufficient capital there would be

With sufficient capital there would be a great expansion in the development of mines and a corresponding increase in our realized wealth.

If anything could be done to exempt new enterprises either entirely or for a stated period it would spell progress where otherwise there might be stagnation.

In mining for gold there is no competition.

In mining for gold there is no competition or injury to other producers, for the value of the metal is fixed and the demand is unlimited. It should be specially encouraged to meet the needs of the empire arising out of the war.

should not be imposed. Its tendency is certainly in that direction, and it is not | Commerce enough that there is no liability until a certain profit is made. The mere fact of a prospective liability has a deterrent effect. To minimize this a time should be fixed for the entire cessation of the tax. There is now no certainty that it will not appear in some other form after 1917. And apprehension in this regard has been created by the retroactive clause, an arbitrary provision without

any previous notice. The feeling now is that the present proposals may be followed by something still more drastic and far-reaching. The exemption of capital devoted to making mines where none now exist and a clear IN STRONG DEMAND understanding as to the measure of tax-ation after the end of 1917 would be of the utmost importance so far as the mining industry is concerned. S. R. Clarke.

Mining Notes

Work on the West Dome Consolidated started on Monday, it is reported, and will continue without delay.
Mr. Trethewey, the new manager, is on the ground and reports favorably.

No news is forthcoming on Porcupine Vipond to account for the advance yesterday on the Standard Exchange of 3 points. The buying, it is said, originated in the north.

The Genesee shaft is down 60 feet. Queen City —Unlisted.—
In a drift running 60 feet north of shaft the vein shows from two to four inches wide, with three other veins crossing drift at right angles. These crossing drift at right angles wide: as-The Genesee shaft is down 60 feet. are from one to two inches wide; assays show up to 21 ounces per ton. They will continue sinking to 300 feet on the main vein, also crosscut from the point to pick up the Chambers. Ferland voin. and veins 2. 3 and 4, showing on surface north of the shaft. Vein No. 2 is six inches wide and located 100 feet north of the shaft. Power is received from the power company thru the Chambers-Ferland feeder. All necessary plant and equipment is complete, including a large high speed hoist. Geology of the Genesee is identical with that of the Chambers-Ferland and Nipissing to the south, all land and Nipissing to the South, and cre being found near the contact, which is estimated at 350 feet on the Genesee. The recent Chambers-Ferland find, south of the Genesee line, en hances the prospects of the latter to such an extent that it can be considered a producing mine in the near future.—Kiely, Smith & Amos.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

LONDON, March 8.—The stock market was quiet and uninteresting today. Allies' loans with gilt-edged securities generally declined a fraction on the uncertainty of the next war borrowing. Rubber and shipping shares were steady, but Rio Tintos were flat. American securities were not affected by the news from Washington, and trading was limited.

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Money and discount rates were quiet.

The feature of the weekly exchequer returns was the sale of treasury bills amounting to nearly £16,000,000, which, with the £9,000,000 exchequer bonds sold and £9,000,000 income tax collections, well covers the government expenditures for the period.

The banks have notified a few remaining borrowers that loans on American securities must be paid off.

NEW U. S. STEEL PLANT.

NEW YORK, March 8.—A new tube plant, to cost \$25,000,000, will be erected at Gary, Indiana, by the United States Steel Corporation according to official information given out here today by Ellinformation.

Trust Funds to Loan

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Record of Yesterday's Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS. TORONTO STOCKS. do. preferred
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Burt F. N. common from the mother country. We are, in fact, almost entirely dependent on our neighbors to the south for the funds necessary to open up new mines.

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Ames-Holden 99

Canada Bread 93 1/4
Can. Locomotive 88
Dominion Steel 85
Elec. Development 88 1/2
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TORONTO SALES.

N. S. Steel ... 98½ 97 98½
Penmans ... 63
Russell ... 40
Saw. Mas. pref. 70
Steamships pref. 75¼ 74½ 75
Steel Corp. 46
Steel of Canada ... 41½ 41½ 41½
do. pref. 90¼ 90 90¼
Spanish River 5½
St. Lawrence ... 117
Queen City ... 96½ ...
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CHICAGO CAR LOTS.

Rcts. Cont. Est. Last yr.
Wheat 151 54 151 60
Corn 315 5 320 112
Oats 67 6 67 120

NORTHWEST CAR RECEIPTS.

Corn—
Receipts1,053,000 1,125,000
Shipments ... 453,000 634,000

Oats— Receipts ... 750,000 933,000 Shipments .. 778,000 618,000

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Aug. ... 11.95 12.08 11.93 12.01 11.98 Dec. ... 12.11 12.19 12.08 12.18 12.15

CHICAGO GRAIN.

J. P. Bickell & Co., 802-7 Standard Bank Building, Toronto, report Chicago Grain Exchange fluctuations as fol-

May ..11.87 11.92 11.77 11.87 11.90 July ..11.97 12.02 11.90 11.92 12.00

BAR SILVER,

LONDON METAL MARKET,

Open. High. Low. Close, Close

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STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE. Mines— Asked. Bid

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Apex ... 6
Dome Extension ... 35¹/₄
Dome Lake ... 25
Bailey ...
Hollinger ... 27.25
Homestake ... 55
Jupiter ... 22
McIntyre ... 93
Pearl Lake ... 1/₄ Moneta
McIntyre Extension
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 Wheat—
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 Receipts
 ...1,215,000
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Open. High. Low. Close. Close.

Wheat—
May ... 112¾ 112¾ 109% 109% 113¾
July ... 110 110 108½ 108% 110%

Corn—
May ... 74¼ 74% 78¾ 74¼ 75¼
July ... 75½ 75½ 74½ 74½ 74% 75½

Oats—
May ... 43 48¼ 42¼ 48 43¾
July ... 41% 41¼ 41¼ 41¼ 41¼

Pork—
May ... 22.30 22.32 22.07 22.17 22.30
July ... 22.12 22.20 22.00 22.07 22.00

July ... 22.12 22.20 22.00 22.07 22.00 72 Chambers - Fer. 21½ 1,000 1,000 Conlagas 3,90 1000 E Foster 10 500 1 Hargraves 6 8,500 Peterson Lake 26½ 3,830 Right-of-Way 5 Seneca - Sup. 47½ 200 to Timiskaming 53½ 53 53½ 10,900 to Miscellaneous—Brazilian 49.00 Brazilian49.00 Total sales, 99,855,

Fourteen-year-old Mildred Dicks, NEW YORK, March 8.—Bar silver 123 Brock avenue, was badly burned about the body, right shoulder and right arm yesterday afternoon, when 56%c. LONDON, March 8,—Bar silver, 27d, her clothes caught fire from the LONDON, March 8.—Copper, spet, £95; off £4 15s. Futures, £95; off £4, Electrolytic, £136; unchanged. Lead, spot, £32; up 2s 6d. Futures, £95; off £4,

BREAK IN WHEAT PRICES WITH TWO POINT DROP

Chicago Weaker on Reports of Heavy American Domestic Holdings.

EXPORT BUYING HALTS

Expected Collapse of Turkey Said to Be Affecting Liverpool Values.

CHICAGO, March 8 .- Wheat suffered a material setback in value today, chiefly owing to a general selling rush that anticipated the government report this afternoon, showing immense domestic holdings still in reserve on farms. The market, altho unsettled at the close, was 2c to 2 5-8c net lower, with May \$1.10 7-8 and July at \$1.09. Corn finished 5-8c to 3-4c down, oats ofi 1-4c to 3-8c, and provisions varying from 121/2c to 15c down to a rise

Breaks which began in the price of wheat as soon as the market opened were at no time in the session overcome to more than a moderate extent It was generally conceded that the official total on farm reserves would be well above 200,000,000 bushels, and there was little, if any, surprise in the there was little, if any, surprise in the actual figures announced after the market had closed—241,717,000 bushels. Special significance was attached to the estimate, as predictions were current that increased shipments were now looked for daily from Argentina and Australia. Besides, the continued lack of any important export buying in the United States served further to discourage the bulls.

According to a view prevalent among bears, the virtual halt in foreign buying of wheat in the United States was largely the result of hopes on the part of the Anglo-French allies that successful pounding of Turkey would result soon in that country being forced to make peace. It was added that Bulgaria was expected to follow suit. About the only transactions with Europe today were said to be for Belgian relief.

Corn ranged downward in sympathy with wheat, and because of favorable weather for the movement of the do-mestic crop. Furthermore, traders discounted a bearish crop report from Washington and responded a little to a decline at Liverpool. In oats, as in other grain, the government report was correctly expected to be bearish. For the most part, however, oats traders were guided by the action of wheat and corn.
Provisions averaged lower under the influence of the downturn in the value

of cereals.

WINNIPEG March 8.—Wheat closed 2½c to 2½c down on the local exchange today, with May at \$1.09½ and July at \$1.09%.

Outs were down %c at %c, with both months at 40%c. Barley was down %c to 64c and flax was 1c to 1%c lower. May flax closed at \$2.10 and July at \$2.11.

Traders continued to play safe and but small amounts of the different grades were traded in.

Open: High. Low. Close. Open. High. Low. Close. May 108% 110 108% 109% 1019 110 110 108% 109% Oats—

Board of Trade Official Market Quotations

Manitoba Wheat (New Crop, in Store, Fort William.)

No. 1 northern, \$1.09\%.

No. 2 northern, \$1.06\%.

No. 3 northern, \$1.04\%.

Manitoba Oats (in Store, Fort William).

No. 2 C.W., 39\%c.

No. 3 C.W., 37\%c.

Extra No. 1 feed, 37\%c.

No. 1 feed, 36c.

American Corn (Track, Toronto).

Extra No. 1 feed, 37%c.
No. 1 feed, 36c.
American Corn (Track, Toronto).
No. 3 yellow, 76c.
Canadian Corn (Track, Toronto).
Feed, 68c to 70c.
Ontario Oats (According to Freights Outside).
No. 3 white, 41c to 42c.
Commercial, 40c to 41c.
Ontario Wheat (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2 winter, per car lot, 97c to 99c.
Slightly sprouted and tough, according to sample, 95c to 97c.
Sprouted, smutty and tough, according to sample, 92c to 94c.
Feed wheat, 85c to 90c.
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Peas (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, \$1.60.
According to sample, \$1 to \$1.30.
Barley (According to Freights Outside).
Malting barley, 62c to 64c.
Feed barley, 57c to 60c.
Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside).
Nominal, 70c to 71c.
Rye (According to Freights Outside).

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Nominal, 70c to 71c.
Rye (According to Freights Outside).
No. 1 commercial, 85c to 86c.
Rejected, according to sample, 82c to Manitoba Fiour (Toronto).
First patents, in jute bags, \$6.80.
Second patents, in jute bags, \$6.30.
Strong bakers', in jute bags, \$6.10.
Ontario Flour.
Winter, according to sample, \$4.30 to \$4.40, track. Toronto, prompt shipment; \$4.25 to \$4.30, bulk, seaboard, prompt shipment.

\$4.40. track. Tolonto, seaboard, prompt shipment. Milifeed (Car Lots. Delivered, Montreal Freights).

Bran. per ton, \$24. Shorts, per ton, \$25. Middlings, per ton, \$25. Middlings, per ton, \$26. Good feed flour, per bag, \$1.60 to \$1.70. Hay (Track, Toronto).

No. 1, per ton, \$17 to \$18. No. 2, per ton, \$6.50. Farmers' Market.

Fall wheat—Cereal, \$1 to \$1.02 per bushel; milling, \$5c to \$1 per bushel.

Goose wheat—94c per bushel.

Barley—Feed, 58c per bushel.

Oats—47c to 49c per bushel.

Buckwheat—65c per bushel.

Rye—According to sample, 76c per bushel.

Peas—According to sample, \$1.20 to \$1.25 per \$1.25 per bushel.

MONTREAL GRAIN MARKET.

MONTREAL, March 8.—The export trade in grain continues dull, there being practically no demand from export buyers. The local trade in coarse grains was also slow, the only sale of importance being 25,000 bushels of Manitoba barley at 74c for No. 3. Canadian western oats were weaker at a decline of ½c to 1c per bushel. A weaker feeling developed in the flour market and prices for spring wheat grades declined 30c and winter wheat flour declined 20c per barrel, Millfeed ruled steady under a fair demand, MONTREAL, March 8 .- The export CHILD BADLY BURNED.

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C. H. MANATON.

THE RIGHT OF WAY MINES, Limited

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of The Right of Way Mines, Limited, will be held in the Board of Trade
Rooms, Central Chambers, Ottawa, Ont.
on Monday, March 20, 1916, at 3 o'clook
p.m., for the purpose of receiving the
Annual Report, Election of Directors for
the ensuing year, and for the transaction of all other business that may properly be brought before such meeting. By Order of the Board.

E. A. Larmonth,

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 28, 1916. M9, 15

Smaller Volume of Business Transacted-Vipond Up Three

Points. The mining market had quite a derease in volume of business yesterday at the Standard Exchange, sales

for the day amounting to slightly under 100,000 shares as against 140,-000 the previous day. The market was very quiet and uneventful, with very little in the way of a feature. Prices taken as a whole were fairly

cupine Vipond in the afternoon session, which sold up from 55 to 58. to be much stock pressing for sale, and any persistent demand for stocks brings about a quick response.

In the Porcupines Apex sold at 5 7-8 thruout. Dome Extension open-withstanding the recent advance scored by this stock there seems to be a broad market for it. Dome Ex. was again the most active issue on

the board, with sales of over 26,000 shares. shares.
Dome Lake, Big Dome and Hollinger were all inactive, no transactions being put thru all day. For Holly \$26.50 was bid, but holders of the stock offered at \$27.25.

Limiter was quiet but opened

Jupiter was quiet but opened strong in the afternoon at 22, easing off fractionally, however, to 21 3-4 on the close. Moneta changed hands at 11, one block of 10,000 shares going at this figure.

at this figure.

McIntyre was a little easier in tone, opening at 93 1-2 and reacting to 92. A temporary rally in the afternoon advanced the price to 93, but the close was at the low point for the close was at the low point fo the day. Porcupine Vipond ex-perienced a material advance. Opening in the morning at 55 it sold down to 54, but in the afternoon considerable buying appeared from the north and it advanced to 58, a net north and it advanced to 55, a net gain of three points. West Dome was slightly stronger, selling from 14 1-2 to 15, and West Dome Consolidated changed hands at 22.

There was but little netative in the Cabalt section, and what there the Cobalt section, and what there was was confined to three issues-Hargraves, Peterson Lake and Timiskaming. Hargraves commenced at 6 1-4 but sold off to 6. Peterson Lake was comparatively steady be-tween 26 1-2 and 26 3-4, closing at

the lower figure.

Timiskaming gained fractionally, selling from 53 1-2 up to 54. Some excellent buying has been going on for some days in this stock. Chambers-Ferland, was easier at 21 1-2, Bailey changed hands at 5 1-2, Confagas at \$3.90 and Seneca at 47 1-2.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, March 8.—Close.—Wheat
—Spot, quiet: No. 1 Manitoba, 14s 6d;
No. 2 hard winter, Gulf, 12s 9d; No. 2
red west winter, 13s.
Corn—Spot, quiet; American mixed,
new, 11s 1½d.
Flour—Winter patents, 48s.
Hops in London (Pacific coast)—£4
15s to £5 15s.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 80s.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs.,
75s.

Bacon—Cumberiand cut, 26 to 68 to 75s.

Short ribs—16 to 24 lbs., 71s.
Clear bellies. 14 to 16 lbs., 81s; long do., heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 78s; short clear clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 80s; backs. 16 to 20 lbs., 75s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 66s.

Lard—Prime western, in therces, new.
Lard—Prime western, in therces, new.
60s; do. old. 61s; American refined, 64s 3d; in boxes, 63s.

Cheese—Canadian, finest white, new, 98s; do colored, 100s.
Tallow—Australian in London, 50s.
Turpentine, spirits, 49s.
Rosin—Common, 20s 10½d.
Linseed oil—47s; cotton seed oil, Hull refined, spot, 48s 3d.

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The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

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CLAIMS DAMAGES FOR **EVICTION FROM HOUSE**

Joseph Hill Sues J. Williams of Mongolia in County Court.

Judge Denton in the non jury county court yesterday heard evidence in the suit of Joseph Hill of Toronto against J. Williams of Mongolia, for SWEDEN AGAIN PROTESTS.

STOCKHOLM, March 8.—The Swedish minister at Berlin has been instructed to protest to the German Government against the laying of mines within four miles of the Swedish within four miles of the Swedish within four miles of the Swedish pla was sunk about 800 yards inside the limit of Swedish waters by a mine the end of February, and it was reported that a German flottlia was laying mines in those waters.

\$1500. Hill claims the money for alleged damages when he was ejected from Williams' house on Montgomery avenue. He further claims that his family was turned on the street without shelter and his furniture damaged, all, he alleges, on account of falling back in his rent. Williams states that Hill moved his furniture out voluntarily and that he owed \$125, rent for nine months. Defendant counter claims for the rent due and \$50 for a wagon left on the premises, and alleges that the plaintiff wrongfully sold it. \$1500. Hill claims the money for al-

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