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BRITAIN'S IDEAS ARE MANY.

Uncle Sam Cannot See Why John Bull Buys Army Horses in South America.

Washington, D.C., May 13.—The Bureau of American Republics has received information that a commission composed of 15 cavalry officers and six veterinary surgeons has left England for Buenos Ayres to buy a large number of horses in the Argentine Republic to be used in the cavalry service of the English army. It is explained at the bureau that the fact is significant only in showing the development of that part of the world. This is the first time any European country has sent to South America for such a purpose. Heretofore the British army has been supplied mostly from the United States and Canada.

A JUBILEE DINNER.

The Marquis of Lorne and Sir Donald Smith Throwing Bouquets—Presentation to Captain Stowe.

London, May 13.—In recognition of the presence of the large number of Canadians already in London and in anticipation of the Jubilee festivities next month, the Royal Colonial Club gave a Jubilee dinner this evening at the Holborn Restaurant. The Marquis of Lorne was in the chair, and covers were laid for 250 guests. The company included Sir Donald Smith, the Canadian High Commissioner; several colonial agents, General Middleton, several prominent members of the House of Commons and others especially interested in colonial development.

An interesting feature of the banquet was the presentation by Lieut.-Col. Turnbull, commander of the Canadian Artillery Association, of a shield to Capt. Stowe of the National Artillery Association, as a token of appreciation of the kind treatment extended to the Canadian rifle teams while here.

The Marquis of Lorne, in proposing "The Colonial Empire," dwelt upon the marvelous progress of Canada and other British colonies, and expressed the hope that the Canadian tariff would be regarded as an invitation to the Empire to insure itself on its own insurance books. The speaker spoke in terms of high praise of Sir Donald Smith's work in the Dominion.

Sir Donald Smith, responding, earnestly insisted that the Canadians were loyal to England, the French-Canadians especially.

HERE IS A MYSTERY.

A Body at New York Which Was Carried by the Canadian Pacific.

New York, May 13.—The body of a man in a metal casket was taken from the Grand Central Depot to the Morgue to-night. The body arrived at the depot Monday night and was not called for. At the depot it was said that all that was known there about the body was that it came over the Canadian Pacific Railway from Undertaker Charles Haywood, at Victoria, B. C.

A record card on the casket bears this inscription: "Arthur Scroggs, died at sea near Vancouver Island, British Columbia."

Entering His 92nd Year.

Niagara, Ont., May 13.—Rev. Robert Arnold, B.A., Trinity College, Dublin, late rector of Fort Erie and presently canon of Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton, enters to-day (May 12) his 92nd year. His many friends east and west will be glad to learn that, though failing physically, his mind is still clear and active. He retired from active duty about 10 years ago, when he came to Niagara.

Badly Burned by Lightning.

Wiarton, Ont., May 13.—About noon to-day a thunder shower passed over Wiarton and Colpoy's Bay towards the northeast. A man named Wesley Warren, working for a farmer named Loney, near Oxenden, was leaning against a corner of the barn when he was struck and received a severe shock, one side being stripped of clothes, from hat to boots, and the flesh terribly burned. He is still unconscious and is in a very critical state.

Prof. Shaffer's Fatal Fall.

Rochester, N. Y., May 13.—Hermann M. Shaffer, a professor in the Theological Seminary, was accidentally killed this afternoon by falling out of a window at his home. Professor Shaffer had been ill for some time, and confined to his bed. This afternoon the Professor got out of bed, and it is supposed attempted to raise a window for fresh air, and in his weak physical condition lost his balance and fell to the pavement, striking on his head and killing him instantly.

Newfoundland Legislature Prorogued.

St. John's, Nfld., May 13.—The Legislature was prorogued to-day, Governor Murray has reserved two bills for the sanction of the Imperial Cabinet, one permitting the use of cod traps on the treaty shore, where the French have fishing rights, and the other modifying the Corrupt Practices Act. The object of the latter is to prevent a repetition of what took place four years ago, when the Government jeopardized seats by expending public money in connection with the candidatures favorable to itself. The next general election will take place in November.

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WHEAT SITUATION STRONG.

An Improvement in the Export Demand.

FORTY LOADS TAKEN AT N. Y.

Business on the Canadian Stock Exchanges Fairly Active.

An Advance in Canadian Pacific—The Bank of England Discount Rate Reduced—Favorable Bank Clearings at Toronto—Wall-Street Stocks Were Depressed Yesterday—Provisions Firmer at Chicago—Latest Commercial News.

Thursday Evening, May 13.

Cash wheat 1c higher in Chicago at 75⅝c. July wheat on curb 74⅝c.

Puts on July wheat 73c; calls 75⅝c.

Puts on July corn 25½c to 25⅝c; calls 25⅝c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $4.42 for October.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 7, corn 134, oats 157. Estimated for Friday: Wheat 7, corn 115, oats 160.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 27,000, or 3000 less than expected; official Wednesday 32,172; left over 4000; estimated for Friday 22,000. Light hogs shade lower and others steady; heavy shippers $3.45 to $3.90.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 10,000; market steady. Sheep 9000; market steady.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 654 barrels and 15,273 sacks; wheat 140,043 bushels.

Dun & Co. report 31 business failures in Canada this week, as against 36 last week and 33 the corresponding week of last year.

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LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

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

	Cash.	July.
Chicago	75⅝c	74⅛c
New York	83⅝c	80⅛c
Milwaukee	75⅝c	74⅛c
St. Louis	94c	79⅞c
Detroit	90c	79⅝c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	79⅛c	..
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	78⅛c	76⅝c
Toledo	92c	79⅛c
Toronto, No. 1 hard	83c	..
Toronto, white	79c	..

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TRADE IN CANADA.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Daily Bulletin says: No special activity has yet been developed in the general trade movement at Montreal, and as a whole the distribution of merchandise cannot be characterized as more than a moderate one. Money does not come in freely, but in several quarters some little improvement in remittances is reported, and failures of late have been remarkably few, only two having been reported for the week ending Wednesday last, in the Montreal district, covering the Province of Quebec from Three Rivers west. The demand for groceries is somewhat spasmodic; sugars continue very dull at unchanged quotations; teas are quiet, but there has been some American enquiry, resulting in a few fair sales of Japans and blacks for that market. The market in Japan has opened much stronger than last year. A pretty steady sorting demand still continues for dry goods. Arrivals of heavy metals, plates, etc., are pretty liberal, but actual business passing is not very brisk. Paints, oils, glass, etc., however, show a steady reasonable movement, and for cements there is a good demand for car lots and smaller parcels. The bulk of the sorting business in boots and shoes is now done with, and as yet fall orders have not begun to come in freely, so that there is no active buying of leather, but improvement is looked for in this respect about the beginning of June, when cutting on fall stock will become pretty general. Beef hides are down a cent this week; the demand for these as well as for calfskins is quite slack, and some accumulation of stock is to be noted.

There is no particular change in the business situation at Toronto. The usual sorting-up trade has been done, while in dry goods some improvement is noted. There is some disappointment, however, among small manufacturers, whose business is not up to expectations. The outlook is generally considered as hopeful, and increased activity is looked for. Spring seeding is well advanced, and the winter wheat is said to be looking well. Prices of the leading staples of merchandise are unchanged as a rule, and payments are not as good as they should be, although in some instances they are reported as satisfactory. The demand for wheat has improved, and prices are higher than a week ago. The unsatisfactory state of the French wheat crop, and the drought in California are responsible in a measure for the increased speculation.

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LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—There is a better feeling, with the tone of the market firmer. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.70 to $3.75 west.

Bran—Trade quiet, with bran quoted at $8.50 west, and shorts $9.50 to $10.

Wheat—The market is very strong at advancing prices. Red winter sold west at 76c, and white at 77c, while holders generally quoted 78c for the latter. No. 1 Manitoba hard 77c to 78c, afloat. Fort William, and 81c, Midland. No. 2 hard is quoted at 78c to 79c, Midland.

Buckwheat—The demand is moderate, with sales outside at 27c.

Barley—The market is quiet, with limited demand. No. 1 is quoted at 39c, No. 2 at 26c, and No. 3 extra at 24c. Feed barley sold at 21c west.

Oats—The market is quiet, with prices firmer. Sales of white at 21c west, and at 21½c to 22c middle freights. Mixed are quoted at 20c, west.

Peas—The market is steady, with car lots quoted at 40c to 40½c north and west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices steady at $2.80 to $2.90 for car lots.

Corn—Trade quiet, with sales at 23c west.

Rye—Trade quiet and prices steady. Car lots are quoted at 33c to 34c, east.

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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of grain on the street to-day were small. One load of white wheat sold at 70c, and 300 bushels of oats at 23½c to 24½c. Barley is quoted at 25c to 27c. Hay dull. 15 loads selling at $12 to $13.50. Straw easier, 10 loads selling at $6 to $7 a ton. Dressed hogs $6.40 to $6.75 for selected weights. Eggs 9½c per dozen, in case lots.

Wheat, white, bushel	$ 0 78	to $ 0 79
" goose, bushel	0 63½	0 64
" red, bushel	0 77	0 78
Barley, bushel	0 24	0 27
Peas, bushel	0 44	0 45
Oats, bushel	0 23	0 24½
Potatoes, bag	0 35	0 40
" car lots	0 21	0 22
Apples, barrel	1 50	2 50
Turnips, bag	0 20	0 25
Beets, bag	0 30	0 35
Red carrots, per bag	0 25	0 30
Cabbage, per dozen	0 20	0 30
" red, per doz	0 40	0 60
Hay, ton	12 00	13 50
" baled, ton	8 00	10 00
Straw, loose, ton	4 00	5 00
" sheaf, ton	7 00	7 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	7 00	8 00
" forequarters, cwt	4 00	5 00
Veal, carcase, cwt	5 00	6 00
Mutton, carcase, cwt	6 50	7 50
Yearling lamb, carcase, lb	0 09	0 10
Dressed hogs, light, cwt	6 25	6 75
" heavy, cwt	5 00	5 50
Spring lambs, each	3 50	4 50
Turkeys, lb	0 09	0 11
Geese, lb	0 06	0 07
Ducks, pair	0 50	0 75
Chickens, pair	0 60	0 80
Spring chickens, pair	0 50	0 60
Butter, lb. rolls	0 14	0 17
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 10	0 11
" " case lot, doz.	0 09	0 09½
Onions, bag	1 25	1 75
Alsike, clover, bushel	4 00	4 25
Red clover, bushel	4 70	4 80
Timothy seed, bushel	1 55	1 65

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TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

On the market to-day there were 26 car loads, made up as follows: Cattle 400, sheep and lambs 60, and hogs 900. Prices for cattle ruled about ¼c lower. Two loads of export cattle belonging to McIntosh, and one to Gordon & Ironsides, were shipped through to Montreal. The balance was export and butchers' cattle remaining here for to-morrow's market. The hogs were principally from the west. Chatham, Windsor and Orillia shipped to Mr. Harris. To-day's prices were as follows:

Shipping cattle, choice per lb	0 04½	0 04½
Shipping cattle, ordinary	0 03½	0 04
Bulls, per lb	0 03	0 03½
Stockers, per lb	0 02½	0 03
Butchers' cattle, choice	0 03	0 03½
Butchers' cattle, medium	0 02¾	0 03
Butchers' cattle, inferior	0 02	0 02½
Milk cows, each	25 00	40 00
Springers, each	25 00	35 00
Calves, each	3 00	5 00
Sheep, per lb	0 03	0 03½
Bucks, per lb	0 03	0 03½
Spring lambs, each	3 00	4 00
Yearling lambs	0 05	0 05½
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs., lb.	0 05	0 05½
" light	0 05	..
" heavy	0 04⅝	0 04¾
" light fats	0 04¾	0 05
" sows	0 03	0 03½
" stags	0 02	0 02½

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The market is quiet. Apples, bbl., $1.25 to $2.00. Dried apples, 2½c to 3c, and evaporated 4c to 4½c per lb. Strawberries, quart box, 8c to 12c. Rhubarb, bunch, 5c to 6c.

Potatoes are firm at 23c to 25c per bag, in car lots. Small lots 35c to 40c. Onions are firm at $1.25 to $1.50 per bag. Sweet potatoes, $2.50 to $2.75 per barrel.

Cranberries, barrel, $4 to $5 for Canadian, and $2.50 per box for Cape Cod. Hops, 9c to 10c.

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CHICAGO GOSSIP.

Henry A. King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the following despatch to-day from Chicago:

The market opened at about last night's closing prices and immediately declined to 73c. Around these prices Mitchell, Allen, Grier, Logan, Phillips, Gifford, Robson, Parker and Barrett stepped into the pit and took all offerings, sending the price up to 74⅝c. The news of the day was conflicting. San Francisco wired that to-day was the hottest of the season—hot north winds, crop being ruined. Estimated that half of the spring wheat is a total loss. Paris market was dearer, owing to the gradual exhaustion of their stocks. Their stocks are not looking very well; they have had too much rain all winter and warm weather is wanted. New York reported good buying of July wheat for foreign account. If Europe continues this buying for a few days longer, market will sell considerably higher.

Corn and Oats—The coarse grain markets ruled active and higher to-day in sympathy with higher prices of wheat, a good cash demand and good local buying, scoring an advance of half a cent, which was well maintained to the close of the session. Receipts fair, 134 cars corn and 157 cars oats. The close was strong at the best prices for the day.

Provisions—A better feeling was manifested in the speculative hog market, and prices ruled higher on the different articles. Packers and commission people were good buyers of pork and lard and local traders sold moderately. The advance was well held to the close.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from Chicago to-day:

Wheat—The local traders sold considerable wheat to-day without making any impression on the market and some of them made anxious buyers towards the close of the market. Outside trade is larger and foreigners seem to be taking more interest in market. New York reports good buying to-day for foreign account. Cable advices were somewhat weaker early but those received later showed somewhat better tone. Export demand at seaboard continues good. About 40 loads were taken to-day. Cash demand here absorbed about 80,000 bushels. There were some California messages to-day which reported crop in fair condition and which flatly contradicted those reporting damage. Market seems to be in a very healthy condition and we believe it will score a further advance.

Provisions—Opened steady. Swift & Co. sold July lard and Viles & Robbins sold Sept. lard. Later the market rallied with advance in wheat and closed steady for lard and ribs but weak on pork.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	74⅝	75⅝	74⅝	75⅝
" —July	73½	74⅛	73	74⅛
" —Sept.	69⅝	70	69	69⅝
Corn—May	24⅝	25⅝	24⅝	25¼
" —July	25¼	25⅝	25¼	25⅝
" —Sept.	26⅝	26⅝	26¼	26⅝
Oats—May	18	18⅝	18	18⅝
" —July	18⅛	18⅛	18	18⅛
" —Sept.	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Pork—July	8 65	8 75	8 62	8 67
" —Sept.	8 72	8 75	8 70	8 70
Lard—July	3 95	4 00	3 95	4 00
" —Sept.	4 10	4 05	4 05	4 10
Ribs—July	4 65	4 70	4 65	4 70
" —Sept.	4 70	4 75	4 70	4 75

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BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, May 13.—Spring wheat, 6s 4½d to 6s 5½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 6d to 6s 6½d; corn, 2s 6½d; peas, 4s 3½d; pork, 5s 0d; lard, 21s 3d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 26s 0d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., short cut, 25s 0d; tallow, 17s 0d; cheese, white and colored, 55s.

London—Wheat on passage firm. English country markets partially 6d dearer. Maize on passage firm.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures steady at 6s 0¾d for May, 6s 1½d for July and 6s 0⅝d for Sept. Maize easy at 2s 6½d for May, 2s 9d for July and 2s 11d for Sept. Flour 21s 9d.

Paris—Wheat 23f for June. Flour 45f 80c for June.

London—Close—Wheat on passage nominally unchanged. Maize on passage rather firmer.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 23f 10c for June. Flour 45f 90c for June.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 6s 11¼d for May, 6s 1½d for July and 6s 0⅝d for September. Maize quiet at 2s 6¾d for May, 2s 9d for July and 2s 11d for Sept. Flour 21s 9d.

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FINANCIAL.

The local stock market was irregular today. Toronto Railway is slightly weaker.

In Montreal there was considerable activity in People's Heat and Light of Halifax, which rose to 51½.

Winnipeg bank clearings for the week are $1,111,955.

Consols are ⅛ to 3-16 higher, closing today at 113½ for money and at 113⅝ for account.

In Paris 3 per cent. rentes are 103f 37c.

Canadian Pacific is higher, closing in London at 56⅛. Domestic markets are higher in sympathy.

American securities were irregular in London to-day. St. Paul closed at 75⅞, Erie at 13⅝, Reading at 9⅝, N.Y.C. at 102½ and Ill. Central at 95.

The directors of the Bank of England, at their weekly meeting to-day, reduced the minimum rate of discount from 2½ to 2 per cent. The bullion decreased £35,151 during the week. The proportion of cash reserve to liability is 51.40 per cent., as against 51.60 per cent. last week.

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BANK CLEARINGS AT TORONTO.

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

	Clearings.	Balances.
May 7	$1,266,494	$ 94,092
May 8	1,206,219	82,280
May 10	895,554	145,788
May 11	1,423,244	220,456
May 12	1,214,700	83,342
May 13	1,123,177	116,152
Totals	$7,128,788	$741,110
Last week	7,169,594	966,180
Cor. week 1896	6,677,395	832,501
Cor. week 1895	5,881,553	717,757

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	Buy.	Sell.	Buy.	Sell.
	—Counter—		—Bet. Banks—	
N. Y. Funds	¼	to ..1-16	1-16	pr.
Stg. 60 days	9⅝	to 9⅝	9 7-16	to 9½
do. demand	10	to 10⅛	9 11-16	to 9⅝

RATES IN NEW YORK.

Sterling, 60 days	4.87	4.86½ to 4.86½
" demand	4.88½	4.87½ to 4.87½

MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is unchanged at 4½ per cent. for call loans. At New York the rates on call are 1¼ per cent. and at London ½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is ½ lower at 2 per cent., and the open market rate easier at 15-16 per cent.

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET.

	1 p.m. Ask.	1 p.m. Bid.	3.30 p.m. Ask.	3.30 p.m. Bid.
Montreal	237	230	238	232
Ontario	...	83	...	83
Toronto	253	250	253	250
Merchants'	176	172½	175	172
Commerce	128½	127⅞	128½	127½
Imperial	187	182⅝	187	182⅝
Dominion	229	228	229	228
Standard	168½	168¼	169	168¼
Hamilton	160	158	160	158
British America	121	119	121	119
West. Assurance	161	160¼	161	160¼
Consumers' Gas	206	204	206	204
Montreal Gas	187⅝	186⅝	187½	186⅞
Dom. Telegraph	126	125	126	125
Ont. & Q'Ap. L. Co.	40	35	...	...
C. N.W. L. Co. pref	50	40¼	50	...
C.P.R. Stock	54⅞	54⅝	54⅞	54⅝
Toronto Electric	133	132½	133	132⅝
General Electric	80	...	...	65
Com. Cable	169	168⅝	169	168⅝
do. coupon bonds	99⅝	99½	99⅝	99½
do. reg. bonds	99⅝	99½	99⅝	99½
Bell Telephone	162	161	163	161½
Montreal Railway	213	212½	213	212½
Toronto Railway	74⅛	73⅞	74	73⅞
Fraser River	180	...	180	...
Empress	18	...	18	...
Brit. Cana. L. & I.	96	...	...	...
B. & Loan Assoc.	75	...	...	...
C. L. & N. L. Co.	106	104⅝	...	...
Can. Perm.	118⅝	118	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	108	...	...	...
Can. Can. Loan	127½	127½	...	...
D. S. & L. S.	...	75	...	...
Farmers' L. & S.	90	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	70	...	...	...
Freehold L. & S.	98	96	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	75	...	...
Huron & Erie L.&S.	...	158	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	148	...	...
Imperial L. & I.	100	...	...	...
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	80	...	80	...
London Loan	...	100	...	...
London & Ontario	92	...	...	...
Ontario L. & D.	...	119	...	...
People's Loan	40	27	...	...
Toronto S. & L.	116	114	...	...
Union L. & S.	90	...	...	...
Western Canada	...	111	...	...
do. do. 25 p.c.	...	95	...	...

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: C.P.R., 25 at 54⅞; 25 at 54¾; Toronto Electric, 4, 4 at 132⅝; Toronto Railway, 15 at 74, 10 at 74¼, 50 at 74⅛; Canada Permanent Loan, 10 at 118⅝.

Sales at 1 p.m.: Bank of Commerce, 20, 12 at 128; Imperial, 50, 3 at 186; C.P.R., 100 at 54⅞; Toronto Electric, 10 at 132½; Toronto Railway, 25 at 74.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Imperial Bank, 10 at 186; Dominion Telegraph, 101, 14, 5 at 125½; C.P.R., 25 at 54⅝; Toronto Electric, 10 at 132⅝; Telephone, 6, 10 at 161½; Toronto Railway, 25, 25, 25, 25 at 73⅞; London & Canadian Loan, 68 at 75.

Unlisted Mining Stocks: Deer Park, 500 at 14.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, May 13.—C.P.R., 55 and 54⅞; Duluth, 4 and 2½; do., pref. 7 and 6; Cable, 169 and 168¾; Cable, coupon bonds, 100 and 99; Telegraph, 170 and 169½; Richelieu, xd., 94¼ and 93¾; Street Railway, xd. and x-rights, 212½ and 212⅜; Gas, 187¼ and 187⅛; Telephone, 164 and 161; Toronto Street Railway, 73¾ and 73⅝; Montreal Bank, 239 and 232½; Merchants', 176 and 173; Commerce, 130 and 125; Molsons, 185 and 183; Toronto, 235 and 230; Ontario, 85 and 83.

Morning sales: C.P.R., 25 at 55, 25 at 55¼, 25 at 55; Cable, 75 at 169; Telegraph, 10 at 167; Richelieu, 25 at 93, 75 at 93¼, 25 at 93½; Street Railway, 50, 11 at 212½, 97 at 212¾; Halifax Railway, 75 at 94; Toronto Railway, 25 at 74, 25 at 73¾, 25 at 73⅝, 200 at 73½, 10 at 73¼, 100 at 73¾, 25 at 73¼; Gas, 50 at 87⅛; Halifax Heat & Light, 105, 175 at 48, 25 at 48¼, 30, 25 at 48⅜, 12 at 48½, 125 at 49, 25 at 49⅜, 25 at 49½; Bank of Montreal, 5 at 233; Merchants' Bank, 1 at 172½.

Afternoon sales: Richelieu, 25 at 93¾, 30 at 94; Montreal Railway, rights, 4 at 5¼, 75, 9 at 53⅝; Toronto Railway, 75 at 73⅝; Halifax Heat & Light, 60, 50 at 49½, 275 at 50, 100 at 49¾, 75, 20 at 50, 125 at 51, 10 at 51½.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

The range in prices is as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Sugar	114¼	114¼	113⅛	113¼
Am. Tobacco	71⅝	71⅝	70⅝	71½
Am. Spirits	10½	10½	10⅜	10⅜
Cotton Oil	..	..	..	10½b
C. & O.	16¼	16½	16¼	16⅜
Atchison	10½	10½	10¼	19⅝
C. B. Q.	74½	74⅝	73½	73⅝
Chicago Gas	81⅝	82	81⅝	81⅝
Can. Southern	..	..	..	46b
C. C. C. & I.	..	..	..	28b
Del. & Hud.	105¼	105¼	105¼	105½
D. L. & W.	148¼	148¼	148¼	148¼
Erie	..	..	..	12b
Wheeling	1	1	1	1
Lake Shore	..	..	..	163b
L. & N.	45	45⅛	44	44¼
Kan. Texas, pref.	27½	27½	27	27
Manhattan	83⅝	84⅝	83½	83½
Missouri Pacific	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
Leather	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼
do. pref.	54¼	54¼	52⅞	53⅞
B. C. O.	11½	11½	11½	11½
N. Y. C.	99½	99⅝	99¼	99¼
N. P., pref.	37	37	36¼	36⅝
Northwestern	105	105	104½	104½
General Electric	31½	31⅝	31	31½
Rock Island	64	64¼	63½	63⅝
Rubber	..	..	..	12⅝b
Omaha	56½	56½	55½	56
Union Pacific	7	7	6¼	6¼
N. Y. Gas	162½	162½	161⅝	161⅝
Pacific Mail	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
Phil. & Read.	19	19	18⅝	18½
St. Paul	74¼	74¼	73	73⅝
Western Union	76⅝	77⅛	76¼	76¼
Jersey Central	77⅛	77⅛	77¼	77½
National Lead	24½	24½	24	24
Wabash, pref.	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
T. C. & I.	19½	19½	18⅞	19
Southern rail	8	8	8	8
do., pref.	26½	26½	26	26

TIPS FROM WALL-STREET.

The market closed dull and heavy.

The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar 23,000 shares, W.U. 5200, St. Paul 14,300, R.I. 4800, U.P. 2100, Jersey Central 3100, N.Q. 2900, Reading 5300, L. & N. 6,200, Burlington 12,300, Chicago Gas 10,500, Manhattan 2000, T.C.I. 4000, Tobacco 3700, Leather, pref., 3600.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from New York to-day:

The stock market turned active and weak this afternoon on Washington despatches about Cuban affairs. It would appear that there is news of an important nature in the hands of the Government, and it is said the Morgan belligerency resolution will pass and that the administration is in accord with such action. The Grangers and Louisville &