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ONE FRANK OF THE WIND IN CHICAGO

CLOSING STOCK  
LETTER FROM  
RANDOLPH

(F. B. McCURDY &amp; CO.)

New York, April 2.—Our market opened fairly active and not much changed from last night's close, but initial prices were in almost all cases about the highest of the day. Stock was supplied freely enough to cause moderate recessions all around the room before noon, and, although springing ceased at the lower level, the market fluctuated during the rest of the day within narrow limits, and without showing much tendency in either direction, though in the afternoon a part of the early loss was recovered. Some of the so-called Moorefield specialties were rather aggressively strong, Lehigh Valley and Can being conspicuous in the afternoon trading, and both of these issues selling higher than during the forenoon. Brooklyn R. T. was also a particularly strong feature all day, while the Interboro issues fluctuated rather erratically, but on the whole maintained a strong tone. Call money renewed at 1 1/2 per cent, and the tone of the time money market was again somewhat easier. In spite of the improved money outlook abroad, the London market was rather heavy and inclined to relapse into dullness, in which course it was followed by the market here. Trading was on a very small scale during the whole afternoon, and commission house business again dwindled to small proportions. Net changes as a result of the day's dealings showed, as a rule, fractional declines. Some slightly increased pressure just before the close caused the tone to rule generally soft in the final dealings.

Total sales, 309,000; bonds \$2,620,500.

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THE INLAND REVENUE  
RECEIPTS FOR YEAR

The inland revenue receipts for the port of St. John for the month amounted to \$15,011.17, or \$2,690.02 less than for the same month in 1912. The largest decline was in the figures for spirits, which show a falling off of almost \$3,000. There was a slight increase in the case of raw tobacco leaf. The figures for the month and year are as follows:

	1912.	1913.
Spirits . . . . .	\$14,683.23	\$11,725.01
Tobacco . . . . .	508.00	515.00
Cigars . . . . .	414.40	588.00
Raw leaf . . . . .	349.50	104.36
Bonded Mfrs. . . . .	2,661.06	2,078.80
Other receipts . . . . .		
<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>\$18,701.19</b>	<b>\$15,011.17</b>
Decrease for 1913, \$3,690.02.		

Comparative statement of Inland Revenue receipts for the fiscal years:

	1911-12.	1912-13.
April . . . . .	\$1,641.91	\$1,703.84
May . . . . .	15,150.25	15,590.59
June . . . . .	14,203.14	19,159.07
July . . . . .	16,185.36	18,117.73
August . . . . .	18,940.86	17,480.81
September . . . . .	24,555.13	20,052.33
October . . . . .	21,198.53	20,657.43
November . . . . .	21,568.69	19,380.89
December . . . . .	20,987.04	20,362.34
January . . . . .	18,351.48	17,650.89
February . . . . .	15,264.11	14,851.63
March . . . . .	18,701.19	15,011.17
<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>\$219,739.41</b>	<b>\$216,397.07</b>
Decrease for 1913, \$2,342.34.		

LARGE INCREASE IN  
TRADE IN MONCTON.

Moncton imports in March showed a large increase over those of the corresponding year. The totals are: Imports, March this year, \$108,425; last year, \$63,273. Entries collected March this year, \$10,807; last year, \$5,753. Increase in imports, \$45,152, in entries \$5,054.

DEVELOPMENTS  
AFFECTING  
MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY &amp; CO.)

New York, N. Y., April 2.—General relief in felt abroad as settlement day in Berlin was successfully passed without the crisis and the crashes that were feared.

President Wilson finds no food for the tariff bill, otherwise it receives the endorsement of the administration.

Final arguments in the express case were presented before the interstate commerce commission. The express companies estimate that they and the railroads will lose this year \$26,000,000 through loss of business by the parcel post and threaten rate reductions.

The firemen's wage case will close April 28.

The governor of New Jersey signs the full crew bill.

McReynolds confers with Union Pacific officials regarding new plans.

Information channels are conservatively bullish. Some irregularity may be seen today following the sustained strength which has caused substantial advances. Investment buying is in greater demand, and certain active operators appear to have taken an aggressive bull position, owing to the steady removal of the uncertain elements.

Buying of good character appears in Quid., N.P., St. and B. Foreign buying is found in C. P. R. and A.C.P. Big operators are buying Lehigh and Can.

N. Y. FINANCIAL BUREAU.

## REAL ESTATE.

An interesting real estate deal was put through yesterday when John F. Gleason became the owner of the two wooden buildings in Pond street, numbers 44 and 46, formerly owned by Mrs. Mary O'Brien. One is a leasehold, the other a freehold property, and both are regarded as being valuable. The price paid was said to be between \$4,000 and \$5,000.

## Property Transfers.

The following transfers of freehold properties have been recorded during the last few days:

M. Reine and C. G. Bales, to Fenion L. and E. Co., property, Strait Shore.

James Duke to Emma T. Duke, \$500, property in Waterloo street.

Edna M. and W. A. Regeert and Mrs. Sarah B. Currie, to Mrs. W. A. Dashwood, property in Lancaster.

Helen and Louise Parks to H. N. M. Stenbury, property in Parks street.

Caroline M. and W. B. Tennant to Methodist church, property in St.monds.

Mary Warnock to Annabell Brennan, property in Lancaster.

## New Sub-division.

Keith and Gates, real estate brokers, have purchased, from Joseph O'Brien, a stretch of land on the southern side of Manawagonish Road just beyond Fairville, and are placing it on the market as a new sub-division. It has been laid out in 127 building lots, 100 feet deep, the front lots 40 feet wide and those in the rear 25 feet. The land is situated at the top of the hill and gives a magnificent view of the Bay of Fundy and the surrounding country. The proposed street car extensions will carry the lines past the front of the property.

Five more lots in Midwood, in the Courtenay Bay section, have been sold by Keith and Gates to local investors.



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PRICE'S  
ON COTTON  
MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY &amp; CO.)

New York, April 2.—There was a continuation of the upward movement in the market at the opening this morning. Cables were disappointing but failure was reported in Berlin, and demonstration of the powers against Montenegro perists in its demand for the surrender of Scutari, reminded the trade that the Balkan question had not all been settled. This disposed some of the local traders to sell, but the pressure did not become aggressive owing to the increased estimates of probable high water in the Mississippi official forecasts pointing to showers in the eastern belt, and unsettled weather in the west, predictions of rain in the western flood districts which could not help the Mississippi Valley situation and apprehensions that the low barometer moving eastward across the Rockies might bring showers of rain to the western belt before the end of the week. Offerings were well absorbed and the market soon became firm with the old crop selling about 12 points higher, during the early afternoon, while the new crop sold 7 to 9 points above the closing figures of yesterday. A few stop orders were uncovered around 12:30 for July. As frequently happens, their execution was the sign for more or less realizing and the market later sagged off to about the closing figures of last night. The weather bureau at Memphis is predicting that the river there may rise to 46 feet or over, but people acquainted with the Mississippi Valley say that even should as much territory be flooded as last year and remain flooded until mid-summer it would not affect the crop as much as 300,000 bales. The flood situation is much talked about but we cannot believe it to have been the main factor on the advance which has reflected a scare of old crop shorts and apprehensions of renewed rains.

W. W. PRICE.

GOODS UNDER  
FALSE PRETENSES.

(Moncton Times.)

Chief Riddout is in receipt of a communication from a citizen of a nearby town stating that a woman is obtaining goods under false pretenses in every town which she strikes, and it is believed that she has come to Moncton. She is described as being fifty or sixty years of age and has with her a boy of about eight years of age.

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SUMMARY  
OF DAY

(J. C. MACKINTOSH &amp; CO.)

New York, April 2.—President Wilson after conference with Underwood last night said tariff measure is ready for caucus.

U. P. dissolution plan now believed to involve only sale of S. P. stock.

Public Service commissioners and city officials confer today over franchise for proposed five per cent. bus line in New York.

Jas. A. Patten, director of Rumely Company, says common dividend will probably be discontinued.

Total receipts of elevated and subway tickets Monday of \$121,460 established new high record.

Wm. P. Coombs reported to have accepted ambassadorship to France.

Turkey unreservedly accepts terms of peace but allies reported to be insistent on modifications.

Governor Flieder approves full crew bill for New Jersey.

Baltimore and Ohio orders 1,500 freight cars.

Governor Sulzer invites Samuel Untermyer to confer with him today over a bill to incorporate New York Stock Exchange.

12 Industrials advanced 1 p. c. 20 railroads advanced 1 1/2 p. c. Americans in London steady 1/8 off to 1/4 up.

## The London Market.

London, 2 p. m.—Cons 74 1/4, Anc 38 3/4, ACP 74 1/2, Atch 102 7/8, Prd 100 1/4, BO 10 1/4, CO 72 1/2, GW 15 5/8, CPR 237 5/8, D 91, PD 34 1/2, R 29, E 35 1/2, GQ 130 3/8, ILS 122 3/4, KT 26 3/8, PD 62 7/8, LN 136 7/8, MP 38 1/2, NXP 58 1/2, NK 107 1/4, P 85 1/2, NP 118 7/8, Cen 106 1/2, QV 30 7/8, Pa 118 7/8, RG 164 1/4, Prd 91 3/8, RI 22 7/8, SR 26 7/8, SP 80 3/4, SP 102 1/2, AR 71 5/8, St 125 1/2, S 34 3/4, S 36 1/2, US 62 7/8, Prd 106 7/8.

## DOW JONES &amp; CO.

## CLOSING GRAIN LETTER.

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

Chicago, April 2.—WHEAT—There seemed plenty of wheat on the market at the opening but good commission house buying soon absorbed offerings and turned the market strong.

CORN—Good commission house buying largely for outside account has given the market a strong tone and forced local pit shorts to cover.

OATS—Firm with other cereals. Elevator people still buying May and selling July.

PROVISIONS—Hog market more active this morning. The selling of

NEWSPAPERS ON  
SITUATION IN  
MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY &amp; CO.)

New York, N. Y., April 2.—American—The strength of the stock market suggests that it is an easy matter to compel shorts to cover.

World—Commission houses report that public is beginning to take an interest in the market.

Tribune—Stocks are not offered for sale and the bidding comes from interests recognized as substantial in Wall street.

Commercial—So many people believe that the bond market leads the stock market in all important movements, that continued activity and further advances in bonds will have a strong influence on sentiment.

Herald—There is a notable expansion of transactions in bonds and a general improvement in price reflects a revived demand from investors.

Times—Some hesitation is still being shown abroad over the international political situation, but this is largely outweighed by the further easing of the money situation.

ribes by brokers on a rather liberal scale was a prominent feature. There was a fair scattered demand.

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