BEARS FORCE FALL IN STOCK PRICES

Throw In Large Blocks of Stock, Creating Unexpected Recessions.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 16.—The bear traders, taking advantage of the lack of effective buying support, threw large blocks of stock into the market during the first hour, forcing recessions of ¾ to 5½ points in scores of issues. Pools temporarily suspended activities on their favorites, which heretofore had been bid up regardless of the general trend. Nash Motors broke 5½ points, Pressed Steel Car 4, Associated Drygoods 3½, and Phillips Petroleum, Universal Pipe common and preferred, Kelsey Wheel, Sloss-Sheffield, National Lead and Gulf, Mobile and Northern preferred sold 2½ to 3 points below last week's closing levels. Resumption of bullish operations in Jordan Motors, which was bid up 2 points to above 49, and Texas and Pacific, which touched a record top at 46⅝, steadied the general list around noon, which started rallies in Baldwin, American Can and Mack Trucks. Call money renewed at 3½ per cent.

Market Sidelights

LAKE SHORE.

The strength in Lake Shore was a feature of the Standard exchange all last week. The January yield was over 175,000 from a little more than 9,500 tons of ore, giving a general average recovery of around $18 per ton and a daily tonnage slightly in excess of 300. A further increase in mill tonnage is generally looked for, but it is doubtful if this increase will materialize until the arrival of new hoisting equipment, as the present plant is operating to capacity. The market has shown great vigor and strength, evidently on the demonstration that the mine could fulfill the predictions of the management on schedule.

STEEL OF CANADA.

There are a great many who believe that Steel of Canada common represents possibilities at the present time. Its business has always been well administered, and at the time of the last annual report it was clearly demonstrated that the company's finances had never been in better shape. While earning power during a number of months last year must have been small, it is understood that the 7 per cent dividend on the common has been more than earned.

When it is remembered that even at the top of the week's advance Steel of Canada still yields very close to 8 per cent, the investment speculative possibilities in the issues can better be realized. The movement in this issue follows closely that which has taken place in Canada Cement, and it is believed that a number of traders who participated in the Cement advance were able to switch into the Steel issue at the lower figures.

It is well known that the steel industry in Canada improves following substantial betterment in the American industry. That the latter has at last begun to recuperate is evident in the statement issued this week of unfilled tonnage of the United States Steel Corporation, one of the best barometers of the steel industry.

ALLIED BONDS

New York, Feb. 14.

Sales	Bonds—	High	Low	Close
48	Argentine 6s A..	96½	96¼	96½
35	do, 6s B	96½	96⅛	96½
16	do, 7s	102¾	102⅝	102⅝
4	Austrian 7s	95¼	95¼	95¼
6	Belgian 7½s	109⅞	109⅞	109¾
47	do, 6s	87¾	87¾	87¾
12	do, 6½s	94⅜	94¼	94¼
1	do, 8s	107¼	107¼	107¼
2	Bordeaux 6s	85¾	85¼	85¾
15	Brazil 8s	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
6	British 5½s, 1929.	116½	116½	116½
1	do, 5½s, 1937 ...	106¼	106¼	106¼
8	Canada 5½s, 1929	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
10	do, 5s, 1926	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
10	do, 5s, 1952	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜
1	do, 7s, 1931	102¼	102¼	102¼
1	Canada S S 7s	99	99	99
133	French 7s	91½	91¼	91¼
20	do, 7½s	100	100	100
35	do, 8s	104	103¾	104
84	German 7s	95	94¾	94¾
1	German GE 7s	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
15	Greek 7s	88⅛	88	88
5	Hunbary 7½s	90	89¾	90
1	Japan 4s	82½	82½	82½
3	Lyons 6s	85½	85½	85½
1	Marseilles 6s	85¼	85¼	85¼
10	Paris L&M 6s	78½	78½	78½
2	do, 7s	87⅛	87	87
7	Paris-Orleans 7s .	86¾	86½	86¾
15	Serbian 8s	86¾	86½	86½
28	Seine 7s	90⅝	90	90⅛
5	Soissons 6s	85	84¾	84¾
37	Sweden 5½s	99⅞	99¾	99¾
19	Swiss 8s	115	115	115
5	do, 5½s	102¼	102¼	102¼

EXCHANGE RATES

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 16.—Bar silver, 32¼d per ounce.

Associated Press Despatch.

Paris, Feb. 16.—Prices were heavy on the Bourse today.

Three per cent rentes, 48 francs 40 centimes.

Exchange on London, 91 francs 35 centimes.

Five per cent loan, 57 francs 90 centimes.

The U. S. dollar was quoted at 19 francs 20 centimes.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 16.—Sterling exchange firm. Demand rates (in cents): Great Britain, 4,77¼; France, 5.23½; Italy, 4.11¾; Germany, 23.80. Canadian dollars, ⅛ of one per cent discount.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 16.—Trading was quiet and prices were steady on the stock exchange today.

Bar gold, 86c 10d; money, 2⅞ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 3⅝ to 3 11-16 per cent; three-month bills, 3¾ per cent.

OILS

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Feb. 16.—Kerosene—No. 1 is 2d; No. 2, 1s 3d.

Rosin—Common, 17s 6d.

Turpentine Spirits—67s.

NEW YORK CLEARING HOUSE.

New York, Feb. 14.—The actual condition of clearing-house banks and trust companies for the week (five days) shows an excess reserve of $50,446,520. This is an increase of $69,951,930 over last week, when a deficit in reserve of $19,305,810 was reported.

DECLARE DIVIDEND.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 16.—Directors of the E. I. Dupont de Nemours & Co. today increased the annual dividend rate on the common stock from $8 to $10 a share through declaration of a quarterly dividend of $2.50. The company had paid $2 a share quarterly since September, 1923, when the rate was increased from $1.50. The new dividend is payable March 16 to stock of record March 3.

PEACH PRICE TO BE LOWER.

Associated Press Despatch.

Worcester, Mass., Feb. 14.—Peaches will be cheap this year, local growers predict. Owners of big orchards here report that recent unfavorable weather has not damaged the buds, and there is promise of a big crop at low prices.

How the Stock Markets Closed

New York

Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company, Royal Bank Building.
New York, Feb. 16—1:30 p.m. close.

Stocks:	Open	High	Low	Close
Allis-Chalmers ...	77¼	77¼	76½	76½
Allied Chemical ..	86⅝	86⅝	84⅛	84⅛
Am. Int. Corp.....	37¾	37¾	36½	36½
American Ice	89	89	89	89
Am. Locomotive...	119¼	120¼	119¼	119⅛
American Car	202	202	200	200
Am. Smelters	100⅝	101⅛	100	100
Am. Sumatra	17	20⅝	17	18¾
American Can.....	174⅞	174½	173¼	173⅞
American Sugar..	61½	62¼	61⅜	61½
Alton	8⅝	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
American Wool...	49½	50¼	49½	50
American Steel...	47⅝	48	47½	48
Am. Tel. & Tel...	133⅞	133⅞	133¼	133¼
Anaconda	44⅜	44⅜	43½	43¾
Atlantic Gulf	25¼	26⅜	25¼	26⅜
Asphalt	56⅝	56⅝	53½	53½
Atchison	117	119¾	116⅞	119
Agr. Chemical	20⅛	20¼	20	20¼
Am. Tobacco	86½	86⅞	86½	86⅞
Ajax Rubber	12¼	12¼	12	12
Am. Linseed	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
Baltimore & Ohio.	78	78⅜	77¾	78⅜
Baldwin Loco.	127½	128⅝	127	127½
Bethlehem Steel ..	46¼	46⅞	46¼	46¼
Butte-Superior	20	20⅛	19¾	20⅛
Barnsdall, A	26⅝	26¾	26½	26½
Cast Iron Pipe....	219	219	219	219
Ches. & Ohio.....	92½	93¾	92½	92¾
Cal. Petroleum ...	28	28	27¼	27¼
Central Leather..	19⅞	19⅞	19⅜	19⅝
do, pfd.	61	61	60¾	61
C. F. & I.....	44¼	45	41	42½
C. P. R.	149⅝	150½	149⅝	150½
Cosden & Co.....	33	33	31¼	31½
Consolidated Gas.	76	76⅛	75½	75¾
Chandler Motor ..	30⅝	30⅝	30¼	30¼
Chile Copper	36	36	35¾	35¾
Con. Textile	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Coca-Cola	89½	90⅛	89½	89½
Crucible Steel	71	71	69½	69¾
Cuban-A. Sugar ..	31⅞	31⅞	31⅜	31⅜
Cerro de Pasco..	53½	53½	53	53
Continental Can..	62¾	63¼	62½	63¼
Cuban Cane Sugar	13	13⅜	13	13⅜
do, pfd.	59½	59	58½	59
Del. & Hudson....	141½	141½	140	141
Dupont Powder...	149¼	149⅜	146	146⅜
Davison Chemical.	44	44⅜	44	44⅜
Erie Railway	41⅞	41⅞	31½	31½
do, 1st pfd.....	41½	41½	41¼	41½
Eastman Kodak ..	114⅝	114⅝	113¾	113¾
Fisk Tire	12	12	12	12
Famous Players ..	93½	93¾	93	93
Fleischmann	81⅛	81¼	81	81
General Electric ..	236½	236½	236	236
General Motors ..	76⅝	76⅝	75⅞	75⅞
Gt Northern, pfd.	68¼	68½	68¼	68¼
Gt Nor Ore	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
Great Western ...	12½	13⅜	12⅜	12¾
do, pfd	28½	29⅜	28½	29¼
Gulf States	87¼	88½	87	87⅛
Goodrich	45⅝	45⅝	44¾	44¾
Gen Petroleum ..	54⅝	54⅝	53¾	53⅝
Harvester	105¼	105¼	105¼	105¼
Houston	81	81	80¼	80¼
Hudson Motors ..	40⅝	40⅞	39⅞	40
Int Paper	57½	57½	57	57
Indas Alcohol	81½	81½	81½	81½
Inspir Copper	29	29	28⅝	28⅝
Inter Nickel	28¾	28¾	28⅛	28⅛
Int Combustion ..	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
Ind Oil & Gas ...	28¼	28¼	26¾	27¾
Keystone Tire	2½	2½	2½	2½
Kennecott Copper.	54¼	54¼	53⅜	53⅜
Kelly-Springfield ..	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Lehigh Valley	75¾	75¾	75½	75½
Louisiana Oil	20	20	19½	20½
Marine	12⅝	12¾	12⅝	12⅝
do, pfd	47¼	47⅞	45¾	45¾
Maxwell Motors B	42¾	42¾	41⅜	41⅜
do A	81½	81½	81	81
Mexican Seaboard	16	16	15¼	15¼
M K and T	36⅝	38⅜	36⅜	37¼
Missouri Pacific ..	37⅜	38½	37¼	38½
do, pfd	78¼	80½	78¼	78¾
Mack Trucks	140	142½	139½	139½
Marland Oil	43½	43½	42⅛	42½
May Stores	105	105	103¾	103¾
Mother Lode	8	8⅛	8	8⅛
Mont. Ward	48½	49	48¼	48¼
New Haven	31⅞	32	30¾	30¾
Nor American	46¾	47¼	46¼	46¼
N Pacific	68⅝	68¾	68½	68⅝
N Y C	121⅜	122⅝	121	121
N Y and H	127½	127⅞	127	127
Overland, pfd	75⅜	75¾	75⅛	75¾
Owen's Bottle	46½	46½	46½	46½
Pacific Oil	62⅝	62⅝	60⅛	60⅛
Pure Oil	31⅛	31¾	31⅛	31½
Pennsylvania	47½	47¾	47½	47¾
Pan-Amer. "A" ..	71⅞	72⅜	71⅝	72⅜
Reading	72¾	73	71⅞	72¼
Rep. I and S.	52⅞	52⅞	50½	50⅝
Rock Island	45⅝	45⅝	45	45⅛
Rubber com.	41½	41½	41⅛	41⅛
Replogle Steel	18½	18½	18½	18½
Seaboard A. L. ..	22½	23	22⅜	23
St. L. and S. W. ..	49⅝	49⅞	49⅜	49⅞
Sinclair Cons.	22½	23½	21¾	21¾
Southern Ry.	87	87	86	86
San Francisco	66⅝	67⅜	66⅝	67
Sears-Roebuck ...	160	160½	158¾	159
Stromberg	70	70	70	70
Stan. Oi, N. J. ..	44⅞	45¼	44½	44¾
St. Paul	12½	12⅞	12¼	12⅞
do, pfd.	21	21	20¼	20¾
Stan. Oil, Cal.	62½	63½	62⅛	62⅛
Studebaker	44⅞	45	43⅞	43⅞
Southern Pac.	104	104	103¼	103¼
Stewart-Warner ..	71⅞	71⅞	70¼	70½
Shell Oil Corp.	26⅜	26⅜	25⅞	25⅞
Skelly Oil	28⅜	29⅛	28⅜	28⅜
Swift Products ...	74¾	75	74	74
Tenn. Copper ...	9	9	9	9
Transcon. Oil	4¾	4⅞	4¾	4¾
Texas Oil	48¼	48¼	47⅜	47⅜
Tex. Pac. Oil ...	20½	20½	19⅞	19⅞
Texas Pacific	52⅜	54⅞	52⅜	53⅜
Timken	43⅜	43¼	42⅞	42⅞
Texas Gulf Sul. ..	103	103	102⅛	102⅛
Union Pacific	150	150	149½	149½
U.S. Steel	124½	124¾	123¾	123⅞
Universal Pipe ...	43¼	44⅞	42	42¾
Vanadium Steel ..	28½	28½	27⅞	27⅞
Wabash	23⅝	23⅞	23⅝	23⅞
do "A"	62	62¾	62	62¼
Worthington	70⅜	70⅜	68½	68½
Woolworth	115	115	114⅛	114½
Willys-Overland ..	10⅛	10¼	10⅛	10⅛
Westinghouse	71	71½	70	70⅞
White Motors	64½	64⅝	63⅞	63⅞

NEW YORK CURB

Reported for The Advertiser by A. E. Moysey & Co.
New York, Feb. 16.

Industrials—	High	Low	Noon
Acme Coal	73	73	73
Durant Del	18¾	17⅞	17⅞
Goodyear	32⅛	31¾	32⅛
Inter Utilities B	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Reo Motors	18¼	18¼	18¼
Thermodyne	14	14	14
Tobacco Products ..	4½	4½	4½
Un Pro Sharing	9	8⅝	8¾
Happiness	6½	6½	6½
Mining—			
Divide Extension ...	5	5	5
Eureka Croesus	15	15	15
Parmac	25	25	25
Ton Divide	26	26	26
United Eastern	59	59	59
West End	40	40	40
Oils—			
Anglo-American	20	19¾	19¾
Cities Service	210	209½	209½
Carib Syndicate	4	4	4
Engineers	5	5	5
Glenrock	25	25	25
Int Petroleum	27	26⅜	26⅜
Imperial	31¾	30⅜	30⅜
Continental	28¼	26⅞	27
Prairie Oil	243	241	243
Vacuum Gas	91	90¼	90¼
Standard of N Y ...	46¼	45⅞	46⅛
do, of Indiana	68	67¾	67⅜
do, of Kentucky	120	119	119

BEANS

Ridgetown, Feb. 16.—Beans sold at $2.25.

COFFEE

New York, Feb. 14.—The market for coffee futures on Saturday closed net 15 points lower to 5 points higher. Sales were estimated at 32,000 bags. Closing quotations: March, 20.25; May 18.90; July, 17.82; Sept., 16.75; Dec., 16.20.

Spot coffee steady.

RANGE CONDITIONS POOR.

Fort Worth, Feb. 15.—The condition of cattle in Texas averages 74 per cent, or 16 per cent under that of a year ago. Range conditions are placed at 70 per cent, compared with 84 last February, due to drought.

Toronto

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Feb. 16.

Sales	Stocks.	High	Low	Close
9	At. Sugar com. .	30	29	30
96	Abitibi	65	65	65
124	Brazilian	54¾	54½	54½
5	Brompton	29½	29½	29½
25	B. C. Fishing ...	28½	28½	28½
50	Bell Telephone ...	134⅞	134½	134⅞
55	Burt, F. N. com.	155	155	155
12	Bird pfd.	80	80	80
10	Can. Car pfd. ..	90	90	90
26	Can. Cement pfd.	111½	110¾	111
34	C. G. Elec pfd. .	55	54½	55
33	City Dairy com.	78	78	78
415	Con. Smelters ...	68⅝	67⅝	68½
6	Consumers Gas .	165	165	165
10	Dom. Canners ..	96½	96½	96½
20	Dom. Stores	33	33	33
355	Duluth Superior .	42	41½	41½
5	Goodyear pfd. ..	95½	95½	95½
240	Ind. Alcohol	68½	68½	68½
90	P. Rico Ry. com.	42	41	41
10	Steel of Can. c.	86	86	86
10	Tucketts com. ..	70	69½	69½
110	Twin City com. .	65	64	64
160	Winnipeg Ry.	39⅝	39½	39½
30	Winn. Ry. pfd. .	93½	93½	93½
	Mines:			
575	Dome	18.00	17.71	17.75
	Banks:			
25	Commerce	196½	196½	196½
7	Dominion	196	196	196
3	Imperial	189	189	189
1	Montreal	247½	247½	247½
5	Toronto	192¾	192¾	192¾
	Loans, Etc.:			
1	Canada Landed .	85	85	85
9	Can. Permanent	197	197	197
10	Tor. Gen. Trusts	212	211½	212
	Bonds:			
1000	Can. Bread	103	103	103

STANDARD EXCHANGE

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 16.—Over 500,000 shares changed hands on the standard mining exchange this morning, of which Baldwin contributed almost quarter and advanced a cent and a quarter to 6½. Teck-Hughes continued its advance of Saturday, selling 1½c higher at 136; McIntyre was up 5c at 17.70 on the close, with earlier sales as high as 17.95. Lakeshore closed 5c higher at 595; Dome Mines, off 10 to 15.50; Hattie preferred 1 up at 63 and Keeley 1 lower at 224 were the principal price changes.

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum, Royal Bank Bldg.
Toronto, Feb. 16.

	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Apex	3½	4	Vickers	7	8
Atlas	4¼	4⅜	West T	4¼	4
Argon't	4½	4¾	Wasp	33	33⅜
Baldwin	6⅜	6½	W-Har	486	495
Beatty	1½	1¾	Beaver	33	34½
Bucking	4¾	5	Capital	35½	37
Goldale	19	20	Conlags	..	215
Gold R	1¼	1½	Cn Res	47½	48
Jackie	2	2⅛	Castle T	78	79
Indian	5¾	6	Everett	6¾	7¼
Keora	13	13¼	L Lor'n	10	13
Kirkland	44½	45½	Keeley	224	225
Lake S	592	595	Larose	38	39
Moneta	16¾	17	Lorrain	15¾	16
McIntyr	1760	1770	McKinly	21½	22¾
New R	26½	27	M Corp	168	173
Night'k	30	45	Ophir	7⅜	7½
Porc Cn	7½	8	Nipiss'g	625	650
Preston	9½	9¾	P Lake	9	9¼
T O R's	37	37½	Temisk	23	25
Vipond	128	130	Trethew	18¼	18¾
			Wetlauf	4	4½

COTTON

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 14.—Cotton futures closed barely steady. Closing bids: Feb., 24.08c; March, 24.28c; April, 24.44c; May, 24.60c; June, 24.72c; July, 24.85c; Aug., 24.80c; Sept., 24.92c; Oct., 24.72c; Nov., 24.74c; Dec., 24.77c.

Spot cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands, 24.55c.

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Feb. 14.—Spot cotton was quiet with prices steady. American middling, fair, 14.94d; good middling, 14.09d; middling, 13.69d; low middling, 13.09d; good ordinary, 12.09d.

The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 3,100 were American.

Futures closed steady.

FLOUR

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—The feature of the flour trade was the stronger feeling that developed for spring wheat grades, and prices were marked up 20c per barrel. The winter wheat flour market was unchanged.

The trade in millfeed was quiet, but the undertone was steady. No change of any importance occurred in rolled oats.

Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, $10.70; seconds, $10.20; strong bakers, $10; winter patents, choice, $8.35 to $8.45.

Rolled oats—Bag, 90 lbs., $4.10.

Bran—Per ton, $34.25.

Shorts—Per ton, $36.25.

Middlings—Per ton, $42.25.

Canadian Press Despatch

Toronto, Feb. 14. — Manitoba flour, first patents, $10.50, Toronto; second patents, $10.10.

Ontario flour—90 per cent patents, $8.75, in jute bags, Montreal and Toronto; export, 56 shillings, bulk, seaboard.

Bran—Per ton, $36.25.

Shorts—Per ton, $38.25.

Middlings—Per ton, $44.25.

Good feed flour—Per bag, $2.80.

Minneapolis, Feb. 14.—Flour, 25c to 30c higher, at $9.75 to $9.85 a barrel; shipments, 33,827 barrels.

Bran—Per ton, $25 to $26.

HAY AND STRAW

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Feb. 14.—Straw, per ton, $9.

PROVISIONS

Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company, Royal Bank Building.
Chicago, Feb. 16—2:30 p.m. close.

Lard—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$15 80	15 80	15 45	15 50
July	16 10	16 20	15 80	15 90
Sept.	16 27	16 55	16 12	16 17
Ribs—				
May	15 75	15 75	15 75	15 75
July	16 10	16 10	16 05	16 05

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Feb. 14. — Provisions: Cash prices:

Lard—$15.2b.

Ribs—$15.55.

Bellies—$18.12.

Future quotations:

Lard—May, $15.75; July, $16.12.

Ribs—May, $15.75; July, $16.05.

Bellies—May, $17.87; July, $18.15.

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Feb. 16.—Hams—Long cut, 12 to 16 lbs, 93s; American cut, 12 to 16 lbs, 92s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs, 81s; Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75 lbs, 92s; clear bellies, 14 to 20 lbs, 100s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 35 lbs, 92s 6d; short clear backs, 12 to 20 lbs, 91s 6d; shoulders, square, 12 to 16 lbs, 67s 6d; do, New York, 71s.

Lard—American refined, in pails, cwt 81s 6d; prime western, in tierces, cwt, 82s 3d.

GOVERNMENT LOANS

Wood, Gundy & Co., bond dealers, Royal Bank Chambers, furnish the following prices and yields:

Year.	5½% Victory.		Yield
1927	102.90	103.00	4.36
1933	106.55	106.65	4.60
1934	104.30	104.40	4.92
1937	108.85	108.95	4.58
	5% War Loan.		
1925	101.00	101.10	3.80
1933	102.30	102.40	4.60
1937	104.00	104.10	4.57
	5½% Renewal.		
1927	102.25	102.35	4.62
1932	103.70	103.80	4.90
	5% Refunding.		
1928	101.05	101.15	4.66
1943	100.95	101.05	4.89
	4½% —		
1944	95.70		4.82

Montreal

Reported for The Advertiser by McDougall & Cowans.
Montreal, Feb. 16.

Sales	Stocks—	Open	High	Low	Close
75	Abitibi	64¾	64¾	64½	64½
50	Asbestos	42	42	42	42
1260	Atl Sugar	29⅞	30¼	29¾	30⅛
71	Bell Tel	135	135	135	135
75	B E Steel	3½	3½	3½	3½
215	Brazilian	54⅞	54⅞	54½	54½
995	Breweries	65	65	63⅝	63⅝
5	Brompton	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
10	Cement	100½	100½	100½	100½
20	Converters	85	85	85	85
1	C G E pfd.	54	54	54	54
5	Canners	96	96	96	96
135	Dom Bridge	90½	90½	90	90
210	H Smith, pfd	79½	79½	79½	79½
12	L W M, pfd	125½	125½	125½	125½
465	Laurentide	84½	84¾	84¼	84¼
30	Macdonald	9	9	9	9
40	MacKay	118	118	118	118
355	Montreal P	168	168	168	168
15	Ogilvie	149¾	149¾	149¾	149¾
70	Penmans	153	153	153	153
195	Price Bros	39	39	39	39
29	Quebec P	89	89	89	89
5	St L F	54	54	54	54
695	Shawinigan	137	138½	135	138⅜
1200	Smelters	69	69	67½	68¼
141	Steel of C	86	86	85½	85½
10	Textile	70	70	70	70
5	Tucketts	69	69	69	69
105	Twin City	64¼	64½	64	64
425	Winnipeg	39⅝	39⅝	39¼	39¼
240	Alcohol	19	19	19	19
40	S-C Power	72	72	72	72
20	Hollinger	1470	1470	1470	1470
30	Can Woolens	12½	12½	12½	12½
140	Sher-Wil	126½	127	126½	127
	Preferred—				
30	Can St	47½	47½	47½	47½
5	Steel of Can	111	111	111	111
20	Ont Steel	91½	91½	91½	91½
10	Winnipeg	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞	93⅞
10	Asbestos	81	81	81	81
20	Cement	111¼	111¼	111¼	111¼
10	Sugar	78¼	78¼	78	78
	Banks—				
45	Union	107	107	107	107
8	Hochelaga	148	148	148	148
3	Montreal	247½	247½	247½	247½
20	Nova Scotia	265	265	265	265
	Bonds—				
1000	W L, 1937	10405	10405	10405	10405
4000	V L, 1934	10440	10440	10440	10440

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 16.—Closing prices today were:

British 5 per cent loan	101½
do, 4½ per cent	97½
Consols, for money	57⅛
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	117
Baltimore & Ohio	78¾
Canadian Pacific Railway	150½
Chesapeake & Ohio	93⅝
Chicago Great Western	12⅜
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	42¼
De Beers, deferred	12
Erie Railway	32¼
do, 1st pfd	42
Illinois Central	114⅛
Louisville & Nashville	108
New York Central	122¼
Norfolk & Western	127
Ontario & Western	22⅞
Pennsylvania Railway	47¾
Rand Mines	8⅞
Reading Railway	76⅞
Southern Railway	87⅞
Southern Pacific	104⅛
Union Pacific	150
United States Steel	125⅛

EGG MARKET REVIEW

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Feb. 14. — Four cars of American fresh firsts arrived in Montreal this week. Chinese eggs which are on the Montreal market are finding very slow sale, jobbers not being inclined to handle. Bad roads have affected receipts during the past two weeks, but with colder and more seasonable weather, it is anticipated that arrivals will be heavier next week and prices lower.

—Toronto—Specials, jobbing, 55c, extras, 53c; firsts, 50c; seconds, 46c.

Montreal—Dealers paying for delivered extras 55c, firsts 52c; extras, jobbing, 58c to 63c; firsts, 55c to 58c. Poultry dull; prices unchanged. A good deal of western stock is being offered.

Western markets unchanged.

St. John, N. B.—Prince Edward Island fresh extras, jobbing