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BATTLED WITH HEAVY SEAS AND THE SHIP ON FIRE.

What the Men on the Corvet Kearsarge Went Through After the Ship Struck—How the Crew Reached Shore On Finding the Ship Breaking Up—All Hands Suffer.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—A special to The Herald from Colon says: Further particulars concerning the wreck of the Kearsarge show that magnificent discipline was maintained on board during the terrible scene that followed her striking on the reef.

It was about 7 o'clock in the evening of Feb. 2 the cathead lookout reported breakers ahead and on the port bow. The ship was then steaming at half power and was under topsails, foresail, jib and spanker, going with a nearly beam wind on the starboard tack, making about a ten-knot speed.

"Breakers Ahead!"

On hearing the hail, "Breakers ahead and on the port bow!" the officer of the deck ordered the helm aport, but it was too late to escape the reef and in an instant the ship struck with a force that jarred her from stem to stern and brought every soul on deck except those whose proper stations were below.

The engines were at once backed and simultaneously the sails were clewed up and the men sent aloft to furl them. Then the top gallant yards were sent down, followed immediately by the top-gallant-masts. While these duties were being rapidly yet thoroughly done the ship was pounding terribly on the reef, the seas being heavy enough to lift her and let her down with tremendous force. It was useless to think of saving her, and all efforts were devoted to saving the ship's company.

Hoisted One Gun Overboard.

The further inshore she drove the less she would feel the waves. The main pennant tackles were hooked into slings under the historic 11-inch quarter deck gun, which had been pivoted to port, and it was hoisted overboard to lighten the ship aft. To lighten her forward the captain ordered Lieut. Hood to cut away the foremast. The lanyards of the weather shrouds were cut and before the mast was wholly cut through above the deck it crashed over the side, carrying with it, as was expected, the main topmast and the maintopsail yard.

By this time the sea had forced the vessel further up on the reef, and she lay on her port bilge, the waves running very high and breaking over the poop deck and her nearly submerged port rail. Attempts were made to lessen the breaking of the heavy sea by the use of oil over the stern, the effect being perceptible by the time the waves had run as far forward as the mainmast.

Fire Broke Out in the Boiler Room.

Owing to the sharp careen to port fire broke out in the boiler room, the burning coal having been thrown out of the furnaces. First Lieutenant Ingal of the marine corps led a party of volunteers below, and in spite of the smoke and terrible lurching and striking of the vessel succeeded in putting out the flames.

As it was impossible to tell how long the ship would hold together, Lieutenant Hood got a party of petty officers and seamen at work making rafts out of small spars, ladders and gratings, and provisions were brought up on the forecastle from the hold.

A Terrible Night.

All night the grinding and crashing of the hull on the reef went on. The great beams and live oak frames could be heard snapping into kindling wood as the ship pounded and plunged. It was a terrible night. As the hull yielded to the blows, and the waves swept higher and higher, it became necessary to abandon the after part of the vessel altogether, but forward the men crowded beneath the forecastle wet, weary and bruised, and waited for morning.

The Work of Reaching Shore.

At daybreak fire was started in the galley and all hands had hard biscuits and coffee. Then they went to work to get ashore. The gig was lowered, and a volunteer crew under Coxswain P. Deery tried to take a line ashore through the surf. When the boat had nearly reached the shore the waves were so heavy that it was necessary to cut the line to save the boat from being swamped. The gig then anchored just outside the last line of breakers and a line was floated ashore on a grating. Deery and the gig's crew got ashore and made fast the line to a solid piece of sunken coral. The first cutter and the second cutter had been swept from their davits and stove in. The steam launch was successfully put overboard, but was then stove in and sunk by the butt of the foremast floating alongside. The sailing launch and third cutter were lowered at the lee side in good condition.

Lt. Brainard took a volunteer crew in the sailing launch and pulled for the beach, getting through the breakers by the aid of the beach line. The third cutter, commanded by Ensign Magruder, also got ashore by hauling on the beach line.

Life-Saving Lines Successfully Worked.

Lt. Brainard took charge of the party on the beach and collected everything that came ashore. All kinds of canned provisions were lashed to gratings, ladders and light spars and were thrown overboard from the ship. The surf carried them upon the beach, where they were picked up and stowed in the boats. The whaleboats soon afterward came ashore with eight men and at last the life-saving catamaran was rigged with double-hauling lines and was pulled back and forth between the ship and the shore, landing six or eight men each time. Ensigns Gates and Magruder and Lieut. Brainard with some of their men waded into the surf and helped each party to the shore.

Commander Hyermann and Lieut. Forse were the last to leave the ship. When all were landed a camp was formed, although there was no shade and no shelter.

The cay is 600 feet long by 300 wide, and consists of coral formation, with little or no vegetable growth. The most serious deficiency is the lack of fresh water.

Although no one was seriously injured all hands suffered from minor cuts, bruises and exposure. All personal effects were lost. Most of the men had only one or two pieces of clothing.

GAVE HER $4000.

A Case for Alienation of a Wife's Affections Which Resulted Disastrously to the Defendant.

For the alienation of her husband's affections Mrs. Julia Ethel Elliott received a judgment for $4000 at the Assizes Saturday afternoon.

Julia Ethel Elliott was married to W. O. Chute, a King-street tailor, in November, 1891. She claims that Mrs. Effie Giles came between her husband and herself and stole away his affection. Mrs. Chute says that her husband became so enamored of the other woman that ge deserted his lawful spouse and left her to earn her own living. She claimed from Mrs. Giles $2500 for the alienation of her husband's affections and $1500 for depriving her of her means of support.

Mrs. Chute, who is a very prepossessing young woman, told her story. Her husband said that Mrs. Giles was his favorite because she reminded him of his first wife Ida. Mrs. Giles' side of the case was not gone into, Mr. Tyrler, who was her counsel, saying that he did not know the whereabouts of his client. The jury returned judgment for the $4000 claimed.

Devoured from End to End.

Speaking of The Toronto Sunday World on Saturday night a leading newsdealer said: "I always take home The Sunday World and read it from beginning to end, and thoroughly enjoy it, too. My wife is an equally ardent admirer of the paper, also, and we frequently have quite a tussle as to who shall have it." Advertisers will do well to remember that there are thousands like this appreciative couple. The paper published on Saturday night at 9 o'clock was well up to the standard of excellence that has been attained, that is if the rush for copies and the large sale are any criterion to go by. Those not satisfied with this statement can do no better, in order to become possessed of the truth thereof, than read the following list of the principal contents:

Sam Hunter's great Up-to-the-times cartoon—Too Late.
Interesting history of the village of Sharon, Ont.
A Crown Lands Officer's Shortage.
Telephones at $1 a month.
Winter Sports in Montreal.
The Wreck of the Kearsarge; Desperate Fight for Life.
A Doctor's dealing with quacks.
A Toronto woman recovers $4000 for loss of her husband's affectious.
Death of Rev. Dr. Douglas.
When Parliament will meet.
A Budget of Montreal News.
Donald McCaig; poet.
A page of society news and gossip.
The Barrister's Lady and her unexpected guest; an incident of swell life in Toronto.
February fashions prettily illustrated.
Our Girls in Trousers.
When Hearts are Trumps; the valentines of to-day.
Note and Comment by The Captious One.
Among Toronto Musicians.
History of St. Valentine's Day.
Pulpit Sensationalism.
The Keeping of Lent.
Taxation in England.
Literary and Topical Notes.
The Anglican Church in Canada, by Rev. John Langtry.
Thoughts for Sunday.
Girls who Skate.
Politeness on the Decline, by Ella Wheeler Wilcox.
Uses of Charcoal.
Sound Sense for Girls.
Sports of the Day.
Short stories, poetry, humor, etc.
Mr. Seagram's Magnificent Breeding Enterprise; the best bred mares in America.
Horse and Racing Notes.
Royalty on the Turf.
An Open Steeplechase; its story told in verse.
Reminiscences of Boston, the great sire of Lexington.
Early Trotting Literature.
Turf and Track Gossip.
Evolution of the Stage; Priests and Monks the first actors.
This week at the theatres.
Echoes of the Stage.
Hints for fancy dresses and carnival costumes; illustrated.

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Provincial Mining Association.

The Provincial Mining Association of Ontario will hold their annual meeting at Sudbury on Feb. 15, when the following papers will be read: A. McCharles, "Our mining law—the worst features of the new Act;" James B. Hammond, "The advisability and necessity of independent representation in Ottawa and Toronto for the mining districts of Ontario;" John McKay, "The reservation of the public domain for the actual explorer and settler;" J. R. Gordon, M. E., "The supposed and actual state of the case;" George Mickel, M. E., "The alterations in nickel ores;" W. Evans, M. E., "Mining from the engineering standpoint;" R. W. Demorest, "Surveying in a mining district;" J. A. Orr, "Journalistic experiences in Nipissing and Algoma;" L. V. Rorke, "A surveyor's opinion and observations in Ontario's mining districts;" M. C. Bigger, barrister, "A resident lawyer's views."

The officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

A large attendance is expected and important matters will come up for discussion.

Little Falls Piano Factory Burned.

LITTLE FALLS, N.Y., Feb. 10.—Roth & Englehart's piano factory in St. Johnsville was totally destroyed by fire at midnight. Loss $50,000, insured. About 100 hands were employed.

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MONTREAL.

Bob Graham To-Night.

At the Grand Opera House to-night the well-known comedian, Robert E. Graham, opens a three nights' engagement in Joe Herbert's amusing comedy, "After the Ball." It is written in Mr. Herbert's best vein and should please the patrons of the Grand. Bob Graham is the prince of public entertainers and has always been a great favorite in Toronto.

Irving-Terry.

The sale of seats for the Irving-Terry engagement at the Grand Opera House opens next Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Moore's Musee.

The bill to be presented in the theatre of the Musee this week is probably one of the strongest that has appeared at this house this season. Among those that are to furnish the entertainment are: Clivette, juggler and finger silhouettist; the Girards in their latest specialty, "Aprez le Bal"; Max Pettingill and the most sagacious dog in the world; the Smiths, comedy musical artists; Prof. Strausburger and his troupe of trained dogs and monkeys; Clown "Godlewsky's" troupe of trained "storks," the greatest novelty of the season, will appear in the Lecture Hall. Manager Young will admit all children on Saturday afternoon next for one-half the regular price of admission. Charles Tripp, the armless wonder, will also be seen in the Lecture Hall.

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Free Breakfast Mission.

The accommodation of the Free Breakfast Mission was taxed to its full capacity Sunday morning in providing room for all who came, invited guests, both men and women. The large room had to be used, as there was not seating capacity in the main hall for all who came. After all had partaken liberally of coffee and beef sandwiches the meeting in the main hall was addressed by Mr. S. H. Blake and the one upstairs by Dr. W. T. Grenfell of the Deep Sea Fishery Mission on the Labrador Coast and amongst the Esquimaux.

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THE NEW YORK BANKS SHOW DEPLETED GOLD RESERVES.

Wheat In Chicago Sold At 60c. For May Option—New York Stocks Closed Heavy—Local Markets Are Featureless—Clover Seed Weak—Cotton Is Higher.

SATURDAY EVENING, Feb. 10.

Call money in London is firm at 2 per cent.

Postal Telegraph is firmer, with buyers at 60

Canadian Pacific weaker, closing in London at 72 5-8, and in New York at 70¾ bid.

Consols advanced 1-16, closing at 99 7-16 for money and at 99¼ for account.

Manitoba is weaker to-day with sales in New York at 104 down to 102¼.

Silver bullion in London is 28¾d per ounce and in New York 64 5-8.

The earnings of Canadian Pacific for the first week of February were $284,000, an increase of $7000 as compared with the same week of last year.

The amount of gold in the United States treasury is now $99,928,000.

It is predicted that the visible supply of wheat will show an increase on Monday. During the same week of last year there was a decrease of 417,000 bushels.

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Money Markets.

At Toronto money is easy at 5 to 5½ per cent. At Montreal the rates are 6½ to 5 per cent., at London 1 per cent. and at New York 1 per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is 2½ per cent. and the open market rate 2¼ per cent.

Foreign Exchange.

Rates of exchange, as reported by Wyatt & Jarvis, stock brokers, are as follows:

BETWEEN BANKS.

	Counter.	Buyers.	Sellers.
New York Funds	¼ to ¼	1-32 to 1-16 pre	9 1-16 to 9 3-16
Sterling, 60 days	9¼ to 9⅜		
do. demand	10 to 10⅛	9½ to 9⅝	

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.85	4.84¾
do. demand	4.87½	4.86¾

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New York Bank Statement.

These banks paid out a lot of gold the past week for bonds and, while the Treasury has been replenished, the specie in the banks has decreased. During the week the reserves decreased $25,099,300, and the surplus reserve is brought down from $111,621,650 to $85,622,350. A year ago the surplus was $17,240,575 and two years ago $38,053,825. Loans increased $13,054,500 during the week, specie decreased $21,759,200, legal tenders decreased $8,638,100, deposits decreased $17,638,000 and circulation decreased $189,300.

Toronto Stock Market.

The volume of business to-day was small, the only dealings being one share of Imperial at 177¾ and 20 shares of Western Assurance in ten-share lots at 141. Dominion is firmer at 269¾ bid. Canadian Pacific, although ⅛ lower in London, was quoted ¼ higher here, at 70¾ bid. Cable is also a little firmer.

STOCKS.	Feb. 9. Asked	Bid	Feb. 10. Asked	Bid
Montreal	221½	219½	221	219
Ontario	116	110	116	110¼
Molsons	....	....	....	....
Toronto	245	240	245	240
Merchants'	157	154	157	154
Commerce	138¾	134¼	138¾	134⅝
Imperial	179	177¾	179	177¾
Dominion	271	269	271	269¾
Standard	161	160	161	160
Hamilton	163	159	163	159
British America	114	111	114	111
Western Assurance	142	140½	142	140½
Consumers' Gas	191	189	189½	189
Dominion Telegraph	110	107	110	107
Northwest Land Co. pref.	65	....	65	....
" " common	....	....	....	10
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	71	70	70¾	70¼
Toronto Electric Light	190	170	190	170
Incandescent Light	116	114	116	114
General Electric	100	....	98	....
Commercial Cable	135¾	134¾	135½	135
Bell Tel. Co.	138	136	137¼	136
Richelieu & Ont. Nav.	80	75½	80	75
Montreal Street Ry.	170	168	169½	167
British-Can. L. & Invest	....	115	....	115
B. & Loan Assoc.	....	100	....	100
Can. L. & N. In.	....	127	125	125
Canada Permanent	....	180	183	....
" " 20 p.c.	173	....	....	....
Central Canada Loan	....	121½	....	121½
Dom. Loan & In. Soc.	84	81	84	81
Farmers' L. & Savings	122	....	121	117
" " 20 per cent.	115	....	115	....
Freehold L. & S.	126	122	126	122
" " 20 pc	....	123	126	123
Huron & Erie L. & S.	161	160	....	160
Imperial L. & Invest.	118	114	116	114½
Land Security	164	....	....	....
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	126¼	125¼	126¼	125¼
London & Ontario	117	....	117	110
Manitoba Loan	108	....	108	....
Ontario Industrial Loan	100	....	100	....
Ontario Loan & Deb.	131	....	131	....
People's Loan	100	....	100	....
Real Estate, L. & D., new	....	....	....	56
Toronto Savings & Loan	....	119¼	123	119¼
Union Loan & Savings	130	127	130	126
Western Canada, 25 p.c.	....	....	....	152

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Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Feb. 10, close.—Montreal, 221 and 219; Ontario, 110 bid; Toronto, 239¼ bid; Molsons, 160 bid; People's, 121 and 117; Merchants', 159 and 155; Commerce, 135 and 133; Montreal Telegraph, 145 and 144½; Richelieu, 80 and 79; Street Railway, 169 and 168; Montreal Gas, 172 and 171; Cable, 135¼ and 134½; Bell Telephone, 138 and 136¼; Duluth, 7 and 6; Duluth pref., 16 and 14; C.P.R., 71¼ and 70.

To-day's sales: Montreal, 5 at 220; Ontario, 2 at 112; Commerce, 10 at 134; C.P.R., 25 at 70¾, 25 at 70¼, 25 at 70; Street Railway, 200 at 168¾; Duluth preferred, 100 at 14.

New York Stocks.

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

STOCKS.	Opening.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	79⅞	80⅝	79⅞	80⅛
Cotton Oil	....	....	....	27¾
Atchison	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Chi., Burlington & Q.	75⅝	75⅞	75½	75¾
Chicago Gas Trust	63⅝	64½	63⅝	64
Canada Southern	....	....	....	49½
Del. & Hudson	136⅝	136½	136⅝	136½
Del., Lac. & W.	....	....	....	166½
Erie	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Lake Shore	127	127	127	127
Louisville & Nashville	46¼	46⅝	46⅛	46⅛
Manhattan	....	....	....	120⅛
Missouri Pacific	....	....	....	22½
Nat. Cordage Co.	....	....	....	....
N.Y. & New England	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
N.Y. Central & Hud.	99¾	99¾	99⅛	99⅛
North America	....	....	....	....
Northern Pacific	....	....	....	....
Northern Pacific Pref.	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Northwestern	102¾	103½	102⅞	102¾
General Electric Co.	35¾	36⅝	35⅝	35⅞
Rock Island & Pac.	67⅛	67⅛	66⅝	66⅞
Omaha	....	....	....	36¾
Ontario & Western	....	....	....	....
Phila. & Reading	21¼	21¼	21⅛	21⅛
St. Paul	58	58⅝	58	58
Union Pacific	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Western Union	86½	86¾	86¾	86⅝
Distillers	29¼	29⅝	28⅞	29
Jersey Central	....	....	....	114½
National Lead	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	17
Wabash Pref.	....	....	....	13¾

Sales: W.U. 2400, N.W. 600, R.I. 2300, St. Paul 9100, Erie 300, Central 200, U.P. 200, D. & H. 300, N.Q. 200, Reading 1200, B.Q. 1200, L. & N. 500, Manitoba 400, N. E. 200, Atchison 700, Chicago Gas 2900, Distillers 3000, Sugar 19,000, G.E. 4900.

Tips From Wall-Street.

Total sales to-day, 57,559 shares.

St. Paul's earnings for the first week in February show a decrease of $3400.

Ryan & Co.'s advice: Stocks stagnant, closing practically same as opened. Sugar shows just enough strength to indicate that the officials of the company believe that they are making some headway convincing senators the company is entitled to protection, but probabilities point to free raw and refined sugar as it passed the House. The sugar people are financially powerful and are making an aggressive fight for protection. St. Paul earnings, very much to the surprise of insiders, showed a small decrease. The car movement indicated a considerable increase yesterday. London sold it to-day. The decline in wheat is attracting more attention than any other subject, and materially increases the uncertainties of the future outlook both financial and commercial.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Securities listed on Toronto, Montreal and New York Stock Exchanges bought and sold for cash or on margin.

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Commercial Miscellany.

At Toledo clover seed is easier at $5.32½ for February and March and at $5.22 for April.

At Liverpool lard is 9d lower.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago Saturday: Wheat 77, corn 527, oats 147.

Cash wheat at Chicago 56¼c.

Puts on May wheat 59½c, calls 61½c.

Puts on May corn 36½c, calls 36⅝c.

Dupee says that nothing short of crop damage will prevent May wheat selling down to 55c.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour, 13,000 barrels and sacks; wheat, 125,000 bushels.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth Saturday, 406 cars, as against 176 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Exports of wheat amount to 2,678,000 bushels, a moderate gain over last week, when the total was 2,088,000 bushels, but a much smaller total than a year or two years ago, when the aggregates were respectively 3,931,000 and 3,641,000 bushels.

Cattle receipts at Chicago Saturday 1500; sheep, 1000.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago Saturday 12,000, official Friday 16,910; left over 2500. The market is 5c to 10c lower. Heavy shippings $4.80 to $5.25. Estimated for Monday 25,000, for next week 100,000.

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MANNING ARCADE.

Outside Wheat Markets.

At New York May closed at 65⅝c.

At Milwaukee May closed at 58⅝c.

At St. Louis May closed at 57¼c.

At Duluth No. 1 hard closed at 61¼c for May.

At Detroit May closed at 60½c.

At Toledo May closed at 60⅝c.

Breadstuffs.

At Toronto the flour market is unchanged. The best straight rollers are quoted at $2.70 and ordinary at $2.60, Toronto freight.

Bran quiet, with car lots quoted at $15 to $15.50 on track. Small lots sell here at $16 and shorts at $17.

Wheat—The market is dull with the feeling unsettled, and where business is reported prices are lower. White and red offer at 57c west, but 58c is the best exporters are offering. Spring is unchanged at 60c to 61c on Midland. There were sales of about 20 cars of Manitoba hard. No. 1 sold at 78c, grinding in transit, and at 77c, Montreal freight. No. 2 hard sold at 76½c, grinding in transit.

Oats—The market is dull, with offerings of white and mixed quoted at 32c west, with 31½c bid, and cars on track quoted at 35c.

Barley—The market is dull, with offerings limited. Cars of No. 1 are quoted at 43c to 44c outside. Feed barley dull at 35c to 35½c west and at 37c east.

Peas—There is very little doing, and the feeling is easier. Quotations are 59c to 59½c outside.

Rye—Business is very quiet and prices unchanged. Round lots are worth about 47c.

Buckwheat—Trade is quiet, with no business reported. Cars are quoted at 43c to 44c.

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THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

There was a fairly active market to-day, with few changes in quotations.

Grain and Seeds.

Wheat unchanged, with sales of three loads at 62c for white, 61c for red and 59c for goose. Barley unchanged, 300 bushels selling at 44c to 45c. Oats steady, 200 bushels selling at 37½c to 38½c. Peas nominal at 60c to 62c.

Seed are dull and dealers are inclined to hold off. Alsike rules at $5.50 to $6.75, the latter for choice. Red clover dull at $5.25 to $5.75. Timothy from $1.50 to $2.

Hay and Straw.

Receipts of hay 30 loads; the demand is fair, with sales at $8 to $9.50 for timothy and at $6.50 to $7.50 for clover. Baled hay $8.75 to $9.25. Straw steady; a few loads offered and sold at $7 to $8.00 for bundled. Baled straw $5.50 to $6 by car lot.

Dairy Produce.

Commission prices: Choice tub 20c to 21c, bakers 14c to 15c, pound rolls 20c to 22c, large rolls 16c to 19c, creamery tub 22c to 24c. Eggs, new laid, 17c per doz. in case lots; ordinary 12c to 13c, limed 10c to 11c. Cheese unchanged at 11c to 11½c for full creams.

Poultry and Provisions.

Jobbing prices: Chickens 30c to 50c per pair, ducks 65c to 75c, geese 6½c to 7½c per lb and turkeys 8c to 9½c per lb.

Dressed hogs quiet, with sales of light at $6 and heavy at $5.75 to $5.90. Butchers' hogs $6 to $6.10. Ham, smoked, 11c to 11½c; bacon, long clear 8¼c to 8½c; breakfast bacon 12c, rolls 9c to 9½c; Canadian mess pork $15 to $15.50 per bbl., short cut $16.50 to $16.75; lard, in pails 10½c, in tubs 10c, and tierces 9½c to 9¾c.

Beef, forequarters, 4c to 5½c; hind, 6c to 8c; mutton, 5½c to 6c; veal, 7c to 8c; lamb, 6c to 7c per lb.

Apples and Vegetables.

Choice apples $3.50 to $4 per barrel, cooking $2.50 to $3, dried apples 5½c to 6c per lb. and evaporated 10c to 10½c.

Vegetables, in quantities: Potatoes, car lots 45c to 48c, wagon lots 50c to 53c per bag; turnips, 15c to 20c; carrots, 25c to 30c; beets, 50c to 60c; parsnips, 35c to 40c; cabbages, 25c to 30c per dozen; celery, 60c to 75c; onions, $1 to $1.15 per bag; beans, $1.25 to $1.40; hops, 15c to 16c.

Hides and Skins.

No. 1 green brings 3½c, No. 2 2½c, No. 3 1½c Cured dull at 4c. Sheepskins 75c to 80c. Calf skins 5c to 6c. Tallow 3½c to 3¾c and rough 2c

Groceries.

Trade was quiet to-day, with prices steady. There is a fractional advance in low-priced yellow sugars, while granulated still sell at 4⅝c.

The Canadian Grocer's London cable says: Sugar, centrifugal, 96 deg. test, unchanged, 14s 9d; Muscovado, fair refining, unchanged, 12s to 12s 3d; beet, Feb., unchanged, 13s; May, unchanged, 13s 1½d.

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Chicago Markets.

John J. Dixon & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open'g	High'st	L'st	Close.
Wheat—May	60⅞	61	60	60⅞
" —July	62⅝	62⅞	61½	61⅞
Corn—May	37	37⅛	36⅝	36¾
" —July	37⅞	38	37½	37⅝
Oats—May	29⅝	29⅝	29⅜	29⅜
" —July	28	28	27¾	27¾
Pork—Feb.	....	....	....	12 02
" —May	12 07	12 27	12 07	12 12
Lard—Feb.	7 37	7 37	7 30	7 30
" —May	7 20	7 20	7 12	7 15
Short Ribs—Feb.	....	....	....	6 12
" —May	6 25	6 27	6 20	6 22

Schwartz, Dupee & Co. wired Dixon: The market for wheat to-day was nervous and erratic, though the volume of business was much smaller than yesterday. The price for May opened at 60⅞c, declined to 60c, at which price an active buying demand developed, carrying market up to 60¾c, from which it broke to 60 1-8c, closing at 60⅝c to 60¼c. On the decline there was large liquidation of long wheat, but the buying was as good as the selling, having a tendency to check the decline. The exports for the week, 2,678,000 bushels, though heavier than those of last week, were in reality light. An increase in the visible on Tuesday is looked for. Export clearances were 1,200,000 bushels less than for the corresponding week last year. The stock of wheat in Chicago approximates 25,000,000 bushels. After the break of the past week, 4 cents per bushel, a reaction would be only natural, but there is nothing in sight now to warrant expectation in any material rally. Corn declined ⅛c and closed at the bottom, starting out at 37½c, a figure that majority of the trade seemed to think could not be broken through, declined and finally closed at 36⅝. The stocks in Chicago will show an increase of 1,000,000 bushels for the week. The visible will also probably show a big increase. Export clearances were less than 200,000 bushels. A break-up in country roads will check receipts, but under favorable conditions farmers seem disposed to sell their corn freely. Oats, although steady early, finally yielded with corn and wheat. Provisions averaged a little better, and were very nervous and unsettled within a narrow range. Pork and ribs showed more strength, as lard was freely offered and dragged; shorts were the only buyers of any size. The Government report on stock of hogs in the country is expected to show considerable decrease at January last year. This may rally the market, but local traders and packers do not take much stock in Government report on the numbers of hogs.

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R. Cochran received the following from Kennett, Hopkins & Co.:

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Wheat—Every day develops greater weakness and brings the price nearer to the record that will be made on the final liquidation. Very low prices are likely to be seen before consumers can be induced to come in and naturally reduce our stocks. It is probable that low prices will prevail for some months, for importing countries are now so well supplied there will be no haste to add to their stocks, while offerings from every quarter of the world are pressing on them. European supplies in store and afloat increased last month nearly one million bushels and there was but a slight decrease in United States and Canada about 500,000. Primary receipts are about 950,000 bushels greater than last week and 350,000 greater than a year ago. It looks like an increase in the visible Monday. Exports continue light, but liberal engagements for export on old orders are reported. We see nothing ahead but continual liquidation and materially lower prices. Corn and oats—Easier in sympathy with wheat and liberal receipts. The shipping demand is so good that it prevents anything beyond a slow depreciation in values. Provisions—There was a moderate advance early, brought about by packers, but the market seems to be fed from some source on all rallies, suggesting somewhat lower prices.

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British Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 10.—Spring wheat, nominal; red, 5s 2d; No. 1 Cal., 5s 3½d; corn, 3s 9½d; peas, 4s 11½d; pork, 75s 0d; lard, 39s 3d; bacon, heavy, 35s 0d; light, 37s 0d; tallow, 27s 3d; cheese, white and colored, 57s.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—Beerbohm says: Floating cargoes of wheat, the demand for France continues, maize nil. Cargoes on passage—Wheat neglected, no business doing; maize quiet but steady.

Mark Lane—Good cargoes No. 1 Cal. wheat, off coast, 26s 6d, was 26s 9d. Good mixed American maize, present and following month,