GATHERED IN THE GANG.

The Alleged Authors of Recent Robberies in the Northwest Section of the City Arrested.

For the past three weeks the police have received daily complaints of housebreaking in the northwest part of the city; latterly these complaints have grown in frequency. The plan of the thieves was to ring the door bell, and if answered to make some trifling enquiry. If the ring was not replied to the premises were entered from the rear and looted.

Yesterday Detective Davis, assisted by P.C. MacArthur in plain clothes, patrolled the streets between Dovercourt-road and Brock-avenue. They watched the movements of five young men and finally arrested the quintet. They are: William Todd (16), 7 White's-lane; George Beamish (18), 28 Sackville-street; George [illegible]ndd (18), 227 Bathurst-street; Edward [illegible]er (17), 65 Claremont-street, and D[illegible] Morrison (16), 101 Portland-street. All have a rogues' gallery record for larceny and housebreaking and have always operated together.

A NEW LINE.

The Proposed Collingwood and Toronto Air Line Railway.

There was a meeting at noon yesterday of the special committee of the City Council appointed to deal with the proposed Collingwood and Toronto Air Line Railway.

Ald. Lamb, Leslie, Hewitt, Small and Ald.-Elect Sheppard and J. E. Thompson were present.

Mr. Frank Moberly, the chief engineer of the company, laid before the committee in a clear and concise manner the advantages which would result to Toronto by the construction of this road. It would be built in the most substantial manner, and equipped with the most modern and powerful locomotives. The grain cars would be built of steel and carry 100 tons of freight.

Three hundred miles of lake carriage and four days' time in transport from Chicago or Fort William to Montreal would be saved. It would not compete with any existing Canadian or steamship lines, as the traffic it is proposed to carry would be diverted from the Buffalo and New York route.

The cost of carrying grain by this route, via Collingwood to Toronto, would not exceed one cent per bushel, including elevating and loading charges. The length of the road would be 70 miles, and the total cost, including equipment, would be $2,600,000. It is proposed to come into Toronto by the valley of the Don with terminal docks in Ashbridge's Bay.

This project will have the effect of making Toronto the transhipping point for the grain going east and coal and other heavy freight going west.

When the enlargement of the St. Lawrence Canals is completed Toronto can ship flour and grain direct to the Maritime Provinces and in return get supplied with Nova Scotia steam coal at $1 per ton less than the American article.

The committee appeared satisfied with the information given by Mr. Moberly and will arrange to meet a Collingwood deputation to fully discuss this matter as soon as can be arranged after the meeting of the new council.

Last year Collingwood handled 60,000 bushels of grain, while 190,000,000 bushels went through Buffalo. Mr. Moberly is confident that a great portion of this can be diverted if the proposed line is built.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

The improved feeling previously noted with regard to Canadian securities continues. With few exceptions quotations at the close yesterday show an advance. It is not cheap money so much as the change of sentiment in Wall-street that has caused the better tone of the market. Our bankers are giving holders of securities little encouragement at present. They appear to be restricting instead of increasing loans.

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"We are very busy sending out spring goods," said a representative of a leading house yesterday. "Generally speaking, however, the outlook is not promising. When low prices of produce prevail the times are usually bad. There are a large number of small failures throughout the province."

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The barley trade is quiet, with a very light movement. There is, however, a good speculative demand, and prices are gradually advancing. Within the past ten days quotations have risen four to five cents per bushel.

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The total money invested in Government and corporation loans, and in railway and industrial companies in England in 1893 is estimated at 199 millions of dollars; in 1892 it was 250 millions; in 1891 over 350 millions, and in 1890, the year of Barings' failures, over 755 millions.

Bradstreet's Report.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Bradstreet's tomorrow, Jan. 6, will say: General trade at leading cities in the Dominion of Canada remains dull, and January operations show less activity than a year ago. At Montreal commercial payments are fairly prompt, but the outlook is not promising. A sorting-up trade characterizes transactions at Toronto, and at Halifax the unseasonable weather has had a depressing effect on business, although wholesalers report fair remittances. Bank clearings at Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal and Halifax aggregate $16,932,000, an increase of nearly 13 per cent. over last week, but a decrease of 18 per cent. contrasted with the like week a year ago. There were 36 failures reported from the Dominion this week, compared with 30 last week, 27 the first week in January, 1892, and 46 in 1891.

Prohibitionists to Jubilate.

The meeting ot the Canadian Temperance League in the Pavilion to-morrow afternoon will take the shape of a general jubilee meeting of the friends of temperance throughout the city. With a majority for prohibition in the province climbing fast up toward 100,000 there is cause for this. The speakers will be Joseph Gibson of Ingersoll, Rev. Dr. Withrow, George Duffy, president Catholic Temperance League of the Cross; Mrs. Brigadier de Barritt of the Salvation Army, J. N. McKendry and representatives of the W.C.T.U. A good musical program has been prepared. Mr. W. H. Meredith will occupy the chair.

Cannot Be Beat.—Mr. D. Steinbach, Zurich, writes: "I have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in my family for a number of years, and I can safely say that it cannot be beat for the cure of croup, fresh cuts and sprains. My little boy has had attacks of croup several times and one dose of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil was sufficient for a perfect cure. I take great pleasure in recommending it as a family medicine and I would not be without a bottle in my house.'

Treat All Alike.

Editor World: You, who always champion the workingman's cause, kindly enlighten me if there is any Act of Parliament which directs a policeman to prosecute a hard-working, honest poor man for leaving the hind wheel of his wagon 12 inches from curbstone, while the same policeman smiles at the gentleman in his buggy and furs, who alights from his trap wherever the horse may stop, and neither attaches weight nor pays any attention as to the distance his rig may be from the sidewalk. Yesterday I was mulcted in the sum of $2 by this over-officious policeman. Times being dull now, if it is within my province I shall devote my leisure hours to see that this man, along with other members of the force, will make no distinction between the rich and the poor man. J. F. B.

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THE MARKETS UNSETTLED.

THE LOCAL STOCK MARKET MORE ACTIVE AND HIGHER.

Wall-street Securities Irregular with Missouri Pacific and L. & N. Depressed—Money Easier in London—Wheat in Chicago Lower and Provisions Steady—Cotton is Weaker.

FRIDAY EVENING, Jan. 5.

Canadian Pacific higher, closing in London at 74⅞.

The gold in the United States Treasury is reduced by half a million, the total now being $79,929,000.

Money is easy in London, call loans being quoted at 1 to 1½ per cent.

Silver is steady at 31¼d per ounce in London and at 68½c in New York.

Consols are a fraction firmer, closing at 98⅞ for money and at 98 15-16 for account.

The Bank of England reports an increase of £361,077 in bullion this week. The proportion of reserve to liability is now 41.47 per cent., as against 45.68 last week and 35.21 per cent. at the corresponding date of last year.

The clearings of the banks in Montreal amounted to $9,325,343 this week, as against $10,733,451 the corresponding week of last year.

Richelieu was the feature in Montreal to-day, with sales at 80¼. A representative of the American syndicate which has decided to take over the controlling interest of the company will arrive at Montreal on Monday and will purchase about 2000 shares of the stock at the market value.

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Money Markets.

The rate for call loans at Toronto is 6 per cent. and at Montreal 5½ to 6. The closing rate at New York is 1 per cent. and in London the rates are easy at 1 to 1½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is 3 per cent. and the open market rate is 1¾ per cent.

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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	1-64	to 3-64 pr
Sterling, 60 days	9⅝ to 9¾	8¾	to 8⅞
do. demand	9⅞ to 10	9¼	to 9⅜

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.84	4.83¾ to 4.84
do. demand	4.86½	4.85¾

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Toronto Stock Market.

There was a much better feeling on 'Change to-day, with a slight improvement in business. Prices were also strong, bids being ¼ to 2 per cent. higher in some instances.

Morning transactions: Toronto, 10 at 240. Imperial, 10 at 173. Gas, 2, 9 at 189. Incandescent Light, 10 at 117. Cable, 25 at 134¼. Farmers' Loan (20 p.c.), 30 at 115.

Afternoon transactions: Western Assurance, 50 at 145. Gas, 10 at 189, reported. Cable, 25 at 135¼. Richelieu, 10 at 80.

STOCKS.	1 P.M. Asked	1 P.M. Bid	4 P.M. Asked	4 P.M. Bid
Montreal	224	220	225	220¼
Ontario	120	115	119	116
Toronto	245	238	245	240
Merchants'	158	154	160	155
Commerce	136¾	135¾	136¾	136
Imperial	180	177¾	179¾	178
Dominion	272	269¼	....	270½
Standard	165	162½	165	162½
Hamilton	164	159	164	160
British America	116	113½	116	113¾
Western Assurance	146½	144½	147	145
Consumers' Gas	189	188	189	188¼
Dominion Telegraph	....	105½	110	109
Montreal Telegraph	....	....	144	140½
Can. Northwest L. Co.	75	....	75	....
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	72¾	71½	73	71¾
Toronto Electric Light	190	170	....	....
Incandescent Light	118	116¾	120	117
Commercial Cable	135¼	134¾	135¼	135½
Bell Tel. Co.	135	133½	136	134
Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co.	80½	79½	81	79½
Montreal Street Ry.	163	160	164	160
Duluth Common	8	5½	7	5½
" Pref.	18	....	....	....
Brit.-Can. L. & Invest.	115	....	....	....
B. & Loan Association	100	100	....	....
Can. L. & N. In.	125	122	....	....
Canada Permanent	186	....	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	176	....	....	....
Central Canada Loan	122	118	....	....
Dominion Loan & Inv'st.	88	82	....	....
Farmers' L. & S., 20 p.c.	....	113	....	....
Freehold L. & S.	....	132½	....	....
" 20 p.c.	....	122	....	....
Huron & Erie, L. & S.	....	160	....	....
Imperial L. & Invest.	119	....	....	....
Land Security Co.	63	....	....	....
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	127	124	....	....
London & Ontario	118	....	....	....
Manitoba Loan	109	....	....	....
Ont. Ind. Loan	100	....	....	....
Ont. Loan & Deb.	....	128½	....	....
People's Loan	100	....	....	....
Toronto Sav. & Loan	....	113¾	....	....
Union Loan & S.	150	124	....	....
Western Canada L. & S.	....	165	....	....
" 25 p.c.	....	155	....	....

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Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, Jan. 5, close.—Montreal, 225 and 220; Ontario, 120 asked; Toronto, 236 bid; Molsons, 160 bid; People's, 130 and 119½; Merchants', 160 and 155; Commerce, 137 and 135; Montreal Telegraph, xd, 142 and 140; Richelieu, 80¾ and 80; Street Railway, 161 and 160; Montreal Gas, 180 and 179; Cable, 135½ and 135¼; Bell Telephone, xd, 135 and 132; Duluth, 7 and 5¾; Duluth pref., 16 and 14; C.P.R., 73½ and 74.

Morning sales: Cable, 125 at 135; Telegraph, 5 at 142; Richelieu, 25 at 80, 25 at 80 1-8, 25 at 80, 25 at 80¼, 472 at 80, 3 at 81, 75 at 80 1-8; Street Railway, 34 at 161, 100 at 160½, 25 at 160¾, 10 at 161; Gas, 50 at 180; Royal Electric, 5 at 132.

Afternoon sales: Richelieu, 75 at 80¼, 55 at 80, 25 at 80 1-8; Street Railway, 50 at 161; Merchants', 10 at 156½.

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Tips From Wall-street.

Stocks were unsettled to-day, and Louisville and Nashville is pointed lower.

Ryan & Co.'s advices: The selling of L. and N. has been on reports that earnings for the fourth week of December will show a decrease of $150,000. Missouri Pacific weak on reports of old story of receiver. White's brokers bought W.U. Mr. Conner is considered the chief pull leader. The floating short interest is said to be well eliminated. Jersey Central earned about 11 per cent. on the stock for 1893 and Lackawanna 11¾ per cent. The new bull pool in St. Paul is managed by S. Y. White.

F. J. Lewis & Co. from Kennett, Hopkins & Co.: Under realizing sales for account of the little bobtailed pools which have been recently organized the market has hesitated to-day, and in some cases prices have fractionally declined. The volume of business has been smaller, and there is a decided tendency towards stagnation, which usually marks the culminating of a deal of this kind, entered into under such generally unfavorable conditions. A feature of the day has been a break in Missouri Pacific, caused by a decrease in earnings for the fourth week, which to the street were unexpectedly large. Presumably insiders were not surprised, for every railway official now expects big decreases. Louisville was weak, on account of selling from London. The local feeling on the stock is bullish. Taken as a whole the market has been very uninteresting.

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New York Stocks.

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

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	78⅛	78¾	77⅞	78⅝
Cotton Oil	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Atchison	11⅞	12	11⅝	11⅞
Chi., Burlington & Q.	75⅛	76	74⅝	75
Chicago Gas Trust	62½	62¾	61⅝	62½
Canada Southern	49	49	49	49
Del. & Hudson	135¼	136	134¾	135⅝
Del., Lac. & W., xd	165½	165½	163½	163½
Erie	14	14⅛	13⅝	13⅞
Lake Shore	121	121	120½	121
Louisville & Nashville	44	44⅝	41⅝	41⅞
Manhattan	123	123	122¼	122¼
Missouri Pacific	20¾	21⅛	18¼	19⅛
Nat. Cordage Co.	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼
N.Y. & New England	9½	10⅛	9½	10¼
N.Y. Central & Hud.	97⅞	97⅞	97	97⅛
North America	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Northern Pacific	4⅝	4¾	4⅝	4¾
Northern Pacific Pref.	17½	17⅛	16¾	17
Northwestern	99½	99½	99	99½
General Electric Co.	33	33⅝	32⅞	33
Rock Island & Pac.	64¼	64⅝	63⅝	64
Omaha	35½	35¼	34¾	35
Ontario & Western	15⅝	15⅝	15¼	15¼
Phila. & Reading	19¾	20	19¼	19⅛
St. Paul	56¾	57⅞	56⅝	56⅞
Union Pacific	18¼	18¼	18⅛	18¼
Western Union	84½	85⅛	84½	84⅝
Distillers	22⅝	24⅛	22¾	23¾
Jersey Central	114½	115	114½	114½
National Lead	24½	25¼	24½	25
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	....
Wabash, pref.	14	14	13½	13½

Sales: W.U. 29,700, R.I. 2200, St. Paul 32,400, Erie 900, L.S. 700, U.P. 400, D.L. and W. 400, D. and H. 1900, J.C. 300, N.Q. 1100, Reading 3400, Mo. P. 14,900, L. and N. 22,000, B.Q. 13,300, C.P.R. 200, N.E. 5700, Atchison 4500, Sugar 22,400, G.E. 4000.

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Commercial Miscellany.

Oil closed at 79c bid.
At Liverpool lard is 6d lower.
Cash wheat at Chicago 61c.
Puts on May wheat 66⅛c; calls 66¾c to 66⅞.
Puts on May corn 38⅛c bid; calls 38½c bid.
Car receipts of grain at Chicago Friday: Wheat, 42; corn, 359; oats, 153.

Receipts of wheat at Liverpool the past three days were 83,000 centals, including 77,000 centals of American. Receipts of corn, same time, 48,100.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour, 5292 barrels and 12,132 sacks; wheat, 15,992 bushels.

Flour stocks yesterday are now corrected to show a decrease for the month of December of only 36,000 barrels.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth Friday 211 cars, as against 406 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Cattle receipts at Chicago Friday, 5000; market strong and generally 10c higher.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago Friday, 33,000; official Thursday, 30,713; left over, 2500. Heavy shippers, $5 to $5.50. Estimated for Saturday, 19,000.

MINING STOCKS.
A couple of thousand shares in the Ophir Gold Mining Co. can still be bought at low prices.
This stock must return 15 and 20 per cent., and is as safe as bank stocks, which only yield 5 and 6 per cent. It is unaccessable and dividend-earning. Intending investors will be received at the mine. They can reach the works in 24 hours and see the gold being collected. Development shares of various Canadian mines can be recommended to those who prefer them, but as an investment stock nothing in Canada excels the Ophir.
ARTHUR HARVEY.
York Chambers, Toronto-street, Toronto, Nov. 25, 1893. 46

Outside Wheat Markets.

At New York May closed at 71½c bid.
At Milwaukee May closed at 63½c.
At Duluth No. 1 hard closed at 65½c for May.
At St. Louis May closed at 63½c.
At Toledo May closed at 66¼c bid.
At Detroit May closed at 66⅝c.

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Banker and Broker, 19 Wellington-street-west.
Notes discounted. Loans negotiated. Railway and Industrial financing. Stocks bought and sold in New York. Unusual facilities and terms. 246

Breadstuffs.

At Toronto the flour market is unchanged. Choice straight rollers are quoted at $3.70 to $2.75 and ordinary at $2.40 to $2.60, Toronto freights.

Bran is firm. Car lots are quoted at $14.50 to $15 on track. Small lots sell at $16 and shorts at $17.

Wheat—The demand for wheat is good, with offerings moderate. Sales are reported of white and red at 57c and 57½c, west and north. Spring is unchanged at 60c. No. 1 Manitoba hard wanted at 70c, Owen Sound, which is equal to 70c. Montreal freights. Sales of No. 2 Manitoba hard were made at 71c west.

Oats—This market is quiet and prices steady. Sales of mixed on track at 34c and at 30½c outside. White sold at 31c outside.

Barley—The demand is good with prices firm. No. 1 offers at 46c with 45c bid, and No. 2 wanted at 43c. No. 3 extra sold at 40c and feed barley at 37c west.

Peas—This market is quiet. There were sales outside at 52c north and west.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales outside at 45c.

Buckwheat—The feeling is unsettled, with few buyers. Sales to-day at 50c.

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NOTWITHSTANDING THE CHRISTMAS trade being over, poultry remains in good demand, and sold to-day as follows: Chicken, 25c to 60c, Duck, 50c to 75c, geese 8c, turkey 10c to 10½c. Good butter meets ready sale at 19c to 21c for large rolls, 20c to 23c for pails, crocks and tubs, and 25c to 28 per lb rolls. Green apples, $3 to $3.50; dried apples 5c to 5½c. Potatoes 60c. Beans $1.20 to $1.50. Honey 8c for extracted; $1.20 to $1.80 for comb. Consignments of above solicited. J. F. CLOUGH & Co., Produce Commissioners, 74 Front-street East, Toronto. 246

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The Street Market.

Grain receipts are limited and prices rule steady. Wheat firm, 150 bushels selling at 61c to 62c for white, at 60c to 61c for red and 58c for goose. Barley steady, 500 bushels selling at 45c to 50c. Oats firm, 100 bushels selling at 36c to 37½c. One load of peas brought 56c.

Hay in moderate supply and prices steady. Timothy unchanged at $8.50 to $9.50, and clover $7.50 to $8. Straw steady at $7 to $8 a ton.

Butter, choice tub, 20c to 22c; lb. rolls, 23c to 25c, large rolls, 15c to 18c; eggs, retail 20c to 22c per dozen; potatoes, 40c to 60c; apples, $2.25 to $3.50; beef, fore 5c to 6½c, hind 7c to 8½c; mutton, 5½c to 7½c; veal, 6c to 8c; lamb, 6c to 7½c per lb.

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Provisions.

Trade is quiet. Dressed hogs firm, with car lots selling at $6.55 to $6.70. Hams, smoked, 11½c to 12c; bacon, long clear, 8½c to 9c; Canadian mess pork $16 to $16.50 per bbl., short cut $17.50 to $18, lard, in pails 10½c, in tubs 10¼c to 10½c, evaporated apples 10c to 10½c, dried apples, 5c to 6c, hops 18c to 20c. Cheese is dull at 10½c to 11½c. Eggs unchanged at 20c to 22c for strictly fresh, 17½c to 18c for ordinary and 15c to 16c for limed.

JAS. DICKSON,
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MANNING ARCADE. 136

Poultry.

Poultry unchanged. Boxed lots: Chickens 25c to 40c per pair, ducks 60c to 75c, geese 6½c to 7c per lb and turkeys 9c to 10c per lb.

Seeds.

Market quiet. Alsike sells at $5.50 to $7, the latter for choice. Red clover brings $5.75 to $6.20 and timothy nominal at $1.25 to $1.75.

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Toronto Live Stock Market.

The receipts at the western yards to-day amounted to 23 car loads, and they sold fairly well. There was a good demand for cattle, with prices rather firmer. A few of the choicest sold at 4½c per pound, and some drovers refused this price. Good medium cattle sold at 3½c to 3¾c. Milch cows are unchanged, with sales at $25 to $50 each, and some drovers refused this price. Good medium cattle sold at 3½c to 3¾c. Milch cows are unchanged, with sales at $25 to $50 each, and calves $3 to $8 per head, according to quality. About 250 sheep and lambs offered. Prices are firmer, with sales of sheep at $3.75 to $4.50, and of lambs at $5.75 to $5.80 each. Hogs in good demand, and the offerings of 250 sold readily. The best brought 5½c to 5¾c per lb. weighed off cars, and at 5½c fed and watered. Good stores firm at 4¾c to 4½c and rough 4½c to 4¼c per lb.

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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	66⅛	67⅝	66¼	66⅝
" —July	67⅞	68⅝	67½	67⅝
Corn—May	38⅞	39⅛	38⅝	38¼
" —July	30¼	30⅝	28⅞	30⅛
Oats—May	30⅞	31¼	30⅝	30¼
" —July	29½	30	29⅝	29⅞
Pork—Jan.	12 77	12 82	12 75	12 75
" —May	12 85	12 87	12 75	12 75
Lard—Jan.	7 82	7 85	7 80	7 80
" —May	7 60	7 62	7 57	7 57
Short Ribs—Jan.	6 60	6 60	6 52	6 52
" " —May	6 60	6 67	6 60	6 60

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

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—The market opened lower on a correction of yesterday's statement of flour stock, the decrease for December being but 26,000 bbls. instead of 235,000. There were but 18,400 bbls at Duluth on Dec. 1, instead of 227,000. On the decline there was some good buying, which alarmed shorts and caused a rally of ⅜c. Long wheat came out on the rally, and the demand being poor the market eased off in the last hour. Exports light, equal to 195,000 bushels, but receipts at primary markets were also light, 331,000, and in the Northwest they were but 211 cars. Cable advices report severe weather all over Europe, with bare wheat fields on the Continent and threatened damage to the growing crop. This had considerable influence early in the day, but it was neutralized by closing cables, which did not indicate much apprehension abroad nor much sympathy with our advance. Corn and oats fluctuated with wheat, manifesting no independent strength. The market is held down by fear of increased receipts, which we think are groundless. On the soft spots buy them. Provisions are steady, but featureless.

Closing the Books for the Year.
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Schwartz, Dupee & Co. wired Dixon: The wheat market to-day was active, opening with a slight decline, but soon advanced under local buying. At the advance realizing set in, causing a decline of a cent from the top, the market closing at the bottom. Clearances were not large, being less than 200,000 bushels. Cables were higher, evidently reflecting our advance of yesterday. Exporters did not seem to have much confidence in the stability of prices. Receipts continue light. Corn was firm early with wheat, and toward the close yielded. Receipts 329 cars, overrun some. The estimate for Saturday was 425 cars. Cash demand for shipments has fallen off because of advance in east-bound rates. Since Jan. 1 all car lots been sold to go in store. Cables were higher, exports large, 271,000 bushels. Provisions ruled firmer and some higher until near the close, when the early advance was lost. The trading was mixed, several western packers were covering, while local packers were sellers. There was a small increase in outside business. We look for liberal receipts of hogs the next 10 days, and favor the selling side, but if the local and eastern demand for hogs keeps up we may not have much lower prices at present.

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British Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—Spring wheat, nominal; red, 5s 3½d; No. 1 Cal., 5s 6½d; corn, 4s 3d; peas, 4s 11d; pork, 80s 0d; lard, 45s 6d; bacon, heavy, 40s 6d; light, 41s 6d; tallow, 27s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 56s 6d.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Beerbohm says: Floating cargoes of wheat firmer, maize nil. Cargoes on passage—Wheat and maize firmer, held higher.

Mark Lane—English wheat steady, foreign firmer; maize turn dearer. Flour firmer. Spot good 2 club Calcutta 24s 6d, was 24s 6d; American maize 19s 6d, was 19s; straight Minn. flour 15s 9d, was 15s 6d; good cargoes 1 Cal. wheat, off coast, 27s 9d, was 27s 6d.

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Liverpool—Spot wheat, firm at advance; maize, upward tendency. No. 1 Cal. wheat 5s 6d, ½d dearer; red 5s 2d, ½d dearer; spring 5s 4½d; flour 16s, unchanged; maize 4s 2½d, ½d dearer; peas 4s 10½d, 1½d cheaper.

Weather in England and Continent, generally hard frost.

French country markets firmer.

4.30 p.m.—Liverpool wheat futures firm: red winter 5s 2d for January, 5s 4½d for March and 5s 5½d for May. Maize quiet at 4s ½d for January, at 3s 11d for March, and at 3s 11½d for April. Antwerp: Spot wheat firm; red

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44f 75c, was 14f 62 1-2c. Paris—Wheat and flour firm: wheat 21f 30c, was 21f 10c for Feb.; flour 45f 40c, was 44f 90c for March.

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Cotton Markets.

At Liverpool to-day cotton was quiet at 4 5-16d for American middlings.