PROFIT-TAKING SALES RESULT IN REACTION

Chicago Grain Futures Show Loss From Previous Day—Liverpool Options Firmer.

World Office,
Friday Evening, Feb. 28.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 2¾d higher than yesterday and corn futures ¼d higher.

At Chicago May wheat closed ½c lower than yesterday; May corn ½c lower, and May oats ⅜c lower.

Winnipeg car lots wheat to-day 110, year ago 77.

Chicago car lots to-day: Wheat 6, contract 1; corn 156, 1; oats 143, 3.

Northwest car lots to-day 224, week ago 243, year ago 708.

Primary receipts to-day: Wheat 324,000 bushels, shipments 325,000; week ago 317,000, 332,000; year ago, 763,000, 255,000. Corn to-day, 392,000, shipments 457,000; week ago, 981,000, 276,000; year ago, 629,000, 564,000. Oats to-day, 593,000, 415,000; year ago, 421,000, 478,000 bushels.

Argentine shipments: Wheat, last week, 5,888,000 bushels; previous week, 6,616,000 bushels; last year, 3,496,000. Corn, 143,171,000, 73,000 bushels.

Bradstreet's reports exports wheat and flour this week, 4,244,832 bushels, against 2,857,400 last year. Wheat and flour since July 1, 156,140,250 bushels, against 121,673,662 bushels last year. Corn, 2,481,394 bushels, against 3,360,456 bushels in 1907. Since July 1, 37,612,821, against 42,684,611 bushels last year.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 1600 bushels of grain, 45 loads of hay and a few dressed hogs and several loads of apples.

Wheat—Three hundred bushels fail sold at 88c to 99c.

Barley—One thousand bushels sold at 70c per bushel.

Oats—Three hundred bushels sold at 56c to 57c per bushel.

Hay—Forty-five loads sold at $18 to $20 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—Prices steady at $7 per cwt.

Grain—		
Wheat, spring, bush	$0 95	to $....
Wheat, fall, bush	0 98	0 99
Wheat, goose, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, red, bush	0 98	....
Rye, bush	0 84	....
Peas, bush	0 90	....
Buckwheat, bush	0 70	....
Barley, bush	0 70	....
Oats, bush	0 56	0 57
Seeds—		
Alsike, fancy, bush	$9 25	to $9 50
Alsike, No. 1, bush	8 25	8 75
Alsike, No. 2, bush	6 75	7 25
Red, fancy, bush	11 00	....
Red clover, No. 1, bush	10 50	11 00
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, per ton	$18 00	to $21 00
Cattle hay, ton	14 00	....
Straw, loose, ton	10 00	....
Straw, bundled, ton	15 00	16 00
Fruits and Vegetables—		
Potatoes, per bag	$1 00	to $1 15
Apples, per barrel	1 60	3 00
Onions, per bag	1 25	1 40
Poultry—		
Turkeys, dressed, lb	$0 18	to $0 22
Geese, per lb	0 12	....
Spring chickens, lb	0 14	0 16
Spring ducks, lb	0 12	0 13
Fowl, per lb	0 10	0 12
Dairy Produce—		
Butter, lb	$0 28	to $0 33
Eggs, strictly new-laid, per dozen	0 30	0 35
Fresh Meats—		
Beef, forequarters, cwt	$5 00	to $6 50
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	7 50	10 00
Beef, choice sides, cwt	8 00	9 00
Lambs, dressed weight	10 00	12 00
Mutton, light, cwt	7 50	9 00
Veals, common, cwt	5 00	6 00
Veals, prime, cwt	8 50	11 00
Dressed hogs, cwt	6 75	7 25

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

The prices quoted below are for first-class quality; lower grades are bought at correspondingly lower quotations:

Hay, car lots, bags	$17 00	to $....
Potatoes, car lots, bags	0 95	1 05
Evaporated apples, lb	0 07½	0 08½
Turkeys, dressed	0 15	0 16
Geese, dressed	0 09	0 10
Ducks, dressed	0 11	0 12
Chickens, dressed	0 12	0 14
Old fowl, dressed	0 08	0 09
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0 25	0 26
Butter, tubs	0 24	0 25
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 31	0 32
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 28	0 29
Eggs, cold-storage, dozen	0 21	0 22
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted, lb	0 11	0 12½
Honey, comb, dozen	2 75	3 00

Live Poultry Wholesale.

Turkeys, young	$0 18	to $....
Turkeys, old	0 14	....
Geese, per lb	0 10	....
Ducks, per lb	0 11	....
Chickens, fancy, large	0 12	....
Chickens, medium	0 10	....
Fowl	0 09	....
Squabs, per dozen	2 00	3 00

Hides and Skins.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealers in Wool, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Furs, Tallow, etc.:

Inspected hides, No. 1 cows, steers	$0 06	
Inspected hides, No. 2 cows, steers	0 05	
Country hides	$0 04	to $0 04½
Calfskins	0 08	0 09
Kips	0 06	0 07
Horsehides, No. 1, each	2 50	....
Horsehides, No. 2, each	1 50	....
Horsehair, per lb	0 25	....
Tallow, per lb	0 04½	0 05½
Lambskins	0 85	0 95

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

The following were the last prices made at the call board of the Toronto Board of Trade. Prices are for outside shipping points, except when mentioned:

Winter wheat—No. 2 white, buyers 95c; No. 2 red, no quotations; No. 2 mixed, sellers 95c, buyers 94½c.

Spring wheat—No. 2 Ontario, sellers, 90c; No. 2 goose, sellers 92c.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, sellers $1.26½, North Bay; No. 2, $1.23 North Bay.

Barley—No. 2 sellers 74c; No. 3X, sellers 74c; No. 2, no quotations.

Oats—No. 2 white, sellers, 52c, buyers 51c; No. 2 mixed, buyers 52c; sellers 53c.

Bran—Buyers $24, Toronto; sellers $25.

Buckwheat—Buyers 69c.

Rye—No. 2, sellers 91c.

Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, $3.50 bid, for export. Manitoba patent, special brands, $6; second patents, $5.40; strong bakers', $5.30.

Peas—No. 2, buyers 86c, sellers 88c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, no quotations.

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Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $4.40 in barrels, and No. 1 golden, $4 in barrels. These prices are for delivery; car lots 5c less.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures to-day:

Wheat—Feb. $1.09¼ bid, May $1.12½ bid.
Oats—Feb. 49c bid, May 54c bid.

Chicago Markets.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beaty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	99	99¼	97¾	97⅞
July	93¾	93¾	92½	92⅝
Sept	90	90¼	89⅝	89¾
Corn—				
May	62½	62¼	61⅛	61⅜
July	59⅞	59⅞	59¼	59⅜
Sept	59	59¼	58⅝	58¾
Oats—				
May	53½	53⅝	53	53
July	45½	45½	44⅞	44⅞
Sept	37¾	38	37⅞	37⅞
Pork—				
May	11.65	11.67	11.55	11.57
July	12.00	12.07	11.95	11.95
Ribs—				
May	6.62	6.67	6.52	6.52
July	6.92	6.95	6.82	6.85
Sept	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10
Lard—				
May	7.62	7.65	7.55	7.55
July	7.85	7.85	7.75	7.75
Sept	7.97	7.97	7.97	7.97

Chicago Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co., to J. G. Beaty at the close of the market:

Wheat—Market failed to hold the bullish tendency, which characterized it yesterday.

Foreign markets showed a tendency to follow us, and some cash business of a domestic kind was reported.

Market, however, showed lack of stamina and attempted profit taking, led by the interests who have advertised an unchangeable belief in higher prices, found the buying power exhausted.

We see nothing new in the situation to change our opinion, believing that the advance has been illegical and wheat is still a good sale on bulges.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell:

Wheat—Foreign markets responded liberally to our advance of yesterday. Receipts at all points were light and Argentine shipments slightly under the estimate, which, with the bullish sentiment prevailing, gave us a higher opening, after which the market became very erratic, finally closing at 1½c lower than last night.

Accrued profits were very tempting to many longs and thruout the session heavy realizing sales were the feature. To-day's reaction is only natural and in view of the very liberal profit-taking revealed a strong undertone to the market and we are inclined to look for a higher level tomorrow.

Corn and Oats—Opened higher, but encountered heavy selling by local longs and bear pressure, which resulted in a generally lower price level.

Provisions—Ruled firm all day, with a good character of buying in evidence. We would not be surprised to see a sharp advance before long.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Butter, weak; receipts, 6175; creamery, special, 30½c to 31c; do., extra, 30c; creamery, third to first, 25c to 29c; held common to special, 25c to 31c; state dairy, common to fair, 20c to 25c; process, second to special, 23c to 25c; western factory, first, 23c; second, 21c to 22c; do., held, 21c to 23c; imitation creamery, first, 24c to 25c.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 879.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 7622; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy, 30c; do., good to choice, 25c to 28c; mixed and brown fancy, 24c to 25c; firsts, 23c to 23½c; western firsts, 23c; seconds, 22c to 22½c.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 28.—Wheat, spot steady; No. 2 red, western, winter, 7s 1½d; futures, strong; March, 7s 1¾d; May, 7s 2¾d; July, 7s 4½d. Corn, spot, prime mixed American, new, steady, 5s 2½d; prime mixed, American old, quiet, 5s 4½d; futures, steady; March, 5s 1¾d.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Flour—Receipts, 14,137; exports, 9500; sales, 7400; unsettled, with a moderate demand. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour dull. Cornmeal—Steady. Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Receipts, 25,000; sales, 2,800,000 bushels futures. Spot steady; No. 2 red, $1.02, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.03, f.o.b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.18, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.14, f.o.b., afloat. Following the lead of strong cables, wheat made sharp forenoon advances, which, however, attracted such heavy profit-taking that afternoon prices sustained severe reactions. The market closed easy, ⅛c net loss. May $1.04¾ to $1.05⅞, closed $1.05; July $1 to $1.01, closed, $1.

Corn—Receipts, 34,400 bushels; exports, 107,157 bushels; sales, 10,000 bushels futures. Spot firm; No. 2, 70c, elevator, and 62½c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 white, 63c, and No. 2 yellow, 63c, f.o.b., afloat. Option market was generally weak all day under talk of larger receipts and poor cables, closing ⅝c net lower. May 70⅝c to 70⅞c, closed 70½c; July closed 68⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 94,500 bushels. Spot quiet; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 57½c; natural white, 26 to 32 lbs., 58c to 61½c; clipped white, 32 to 40 lbs., 60c to 66c.

Rosin—Quiet. Turpentine—Steady, 54c. Molasses—Quiet.

New York Metal Market.

Pig-iron—Quiet. Copper—Quiet. Lead—Quiet, $3.65 to $3.75. Tin—Quiet; Straits, $29.25 to $30; spelter quiet.

New York Sugar Market.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3.38½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.88½c; molasses sugar, 3.13½c; refined steady.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Bradstreet's weekly bank clearings:

New York, $1,091,348,000, decrease 29.4; Chicago, $195,671,000, decrease 8.4; Boston, $103,394,000, decrease 22.6; Philadelphia, $98,533,000, decrease 27.6; St. Louis, $58,078,000, increase 2.6; Pittsburg, $38,251,000, decrease 31.0; San Francisco, $27,632,000, decrease 36.8.

Dominion of Canada—Montreal, $21,198,000, decrease 15.7; Toronto, $17,011,000, decrease 20.0; Winnipeg, $8,776,000, decrease 4.0; Vancouver, $2,931,000, decrease 12.8; Ottawa, $2,362,000, increase 6.4; Quebec, $1,702,000, increase 18.0; Halifax, $1,333,000, decrease 5.1; Hamilton, $1,172,000, decrease 21.6; Calgary, $925,000, decrease 28.0; St. John, N.B., $1,010,000, increase 1.2; London, Ont., $886,000, decrease 6.2; Victoria, B.C., $1,149,000, increase 12.9; Edmonton, $474,000, decrease 45.1.

BROKEN RAIL DITCHES TRAIN

C. P. R. Overland Express Wrecked at Eganville Junction.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—A broken rail at Eganville Junction caused a wreck to the overland express, No. 96, on the C.P.R. this morning at 6.58. The engine and one car got over the break, but the others went off the track. The sleeper, dining car and express car went down the embankment, while the mail car was placed crosswise on the track. The other cars were derailed, but did not go over.

It was marvelous that no one was seriously injured. The rolling stock was much damaged.

William Dewar May Withdraw.

BRANTFORD, Feb. 28.—It is stated in political circles that William Dewar, Liberal candidate for the legislature in North Brant, who has been in the field for some months, will retire on account of serious sickness.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs 10c to 15c Higher at Buffalo and Chicago.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Beeves—Receipts, 3076; market, slow; steers, steady; medium and fat bulls, easier; cows, steady to slow; fat cows a shade lower; all sold except one car. Steers, $5.10 to $5.70; oxen and stags, $3.35 to $4.60; bulls, $3.35 to $4.50; cows, $2.15 to $4.20. Dressed beef, slow at 9c; extra beef, 9¼c to 9½c. Exports today none; to-morrow, 880 cattle and 6700 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 162. Market, firm; veals, $6 to $9; choice would exceed quotations; culls, $3.75 to $4.50; barnyard and western calves, nominal. Dressed calves, firm; city dressed veals, 8c to 13½c per lb.; country dressed, 7c to 12½c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9895 head; slow except for prime medium weights; four cars late arrivals unsold. Sheep, nominal; lambs, $7.25 to $7.70; no yearlings.

Hogs—Receipts, 3279; market steady; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $4.85 to $4.90.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 28.—Beef—Receipts, 500; good demand and firm; prime steers, $5.60 to $5.85.

Veals—Receipts, 800 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 7700 head; active and 10c to 15c higher; heavy and mixed, $4.75 to $4.80; yorkers, $4.70 to $4.80; pigs, $4 to $4.60; roughs, $4 to $4.25; dairies, $4.60 to $4.70.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 7000; active and steady; unchanged.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at about 2500; market steady; steers, $4.25 to $6.15; cows, $3.25 o $5; heifers, $2.50 o $5.25; bulls, $3.40 to $4.50; calves, $5.75 to $7.25; stockers and feeders, $2.75 to $4.90.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at about 23,000; market 10c higher; choice heavy shipping, $4.50 to $4.55; butchers', $4.45 to $4.55; light mixed, $4.40 to $4.45; choice light, $4.45 to $4.50; packing, $4.40 to $4.45; pigs, $3.50 to $4.35; bulk of sales, $4.40 to $4.50.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at about 10,000; market 10c to 15c higher; sheep, $4.25 to $5.65; lambs, $6 to $7; yearlings, $5.75 to $6.20.

British Cattle Markets.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—London cables are steady at 10½c to 13c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

Receipts of live stock at the City Market on Friday were 19 car loads, composed of 228 cattle, 269 hogs, 241 sheep and 41 calves. Besides the hogs on the market there were 86 shipped to Puddy Bros. and 143 to Gunn, Limited.

Total Live Stock.

The total receipts of live stock at the City and Junction Markets for the present week were as follows:

	City.	Junc.	Total.
Cars	165	102	267
Cattle	2542	1303	3845
Hogs	2005	2122	4127
Sheep	1224	364	1588
Calves	313	36	355
Horses	....	140	140

UNION STOCK YARD SALES.

The fact that cheap excursion rates will prevail next week, during the two big sales at the Union Stock Yards at the Junction, when Shorthorns of astonishing merit will be sold, ought to induce every farmer to be there. Remember Miller's and Gunn's sales on Friday next.

VISIT TO THE CAMP.

Confirms Broker Eastwood's Optimism of Cobalt's Future.

J. T. Eastwood & Co., in their weekly letter, say: In our letter of Feb. 6 we were very optimistic. A recent visit to the Cobalt camp convinces us that we were right. We spoke then particularly of Silver Queen, because we knew more about Silver Queen than any other mine.

The Silver Queen people have been doing things, are doing things now, and will do still greater things. For six months they have been quietly diamond-drilling a portion of the property, and the results have been highly satisfactory. They recently shipped four cars of ore, one of high-grade and three of low-grade. The high-grade car should bring them about $35,000. They have two more cars of high-grade about ready for shipment, and these have been taken out since my last letter. Keep close tab on the Silver Queen crowd; we predict they are going to show splendid results.

Don't buy Silver Queen now. It is too cheap. Wait till it goes higher. The same can be said of Foster and Trethewey. Don't touch them, they are too cheap. Wait till they go higher. People want to pay a high price for good things, then they realize they have got something. New Temiskaming, too; watch it. It is a cheap stock with a wonderful mine at the back of it. Don't buy it while it is cheap; wait til it goes higher. Record of production last year at Cobalt was 14,000 tons —$9,000,000. Hard to beat, isn't it?

Heron & Co. in their weekly letter say: The Cobalt market during the week has not exhibited any material change from its recent character. Price movements have been unimportant, and trading was in less volume than for some time. Temiskaming was again the leader in activity, with buying concentrated and selling scattered and persistent, particularly towards the close. There is still much enquiry for information regarding the company's finances. Another dividend of 3 per cent. for the month of April is now talked of, but it is felt in some quarters that should this be decided on the pace being set in this respect is a bit too fast to be maintained. On any sharp recession, however, the stock should be an excellent purchase, as the property is regarded as one of the richest in the camp.

Like the market, the speculative public's mind at the moment is more or less stagnant, with apparently a greater readiness to view the outlook despairingly, when conversely it is more than ever a time when a sour face should not be turned to optimistic comment.

That pessimism, unfortunately, preponderates to-day in stock market thought, to almost as great an extent as optimism dominated sentiment twelve to eighteen months ago, when prices were at the top, is, perhaps, but another proof of the adage, "that the public are always wrong."

Big profits cannot fail to accrue to those who buy stocks now, and ignore the fluctuations that may take place during the next few months, as the full return of confidence only awaits a general resumption of business activity.

PECULIAR TRANSACTIONS IN MINING SECURITIES

Prices at New York and Toronto Differ Widely — Cobalt Markets Are Dull.

World Office,
Friday Evening, Feb. 28.

A strange proceeding in to-day's markets for Cobalts was the sale of 1000 Cobalt Central at 21, at the Toronto Stock Exchange curb, while the stock was selling at New York upwards of five points higher. A transaction in the opposite direction was a sale of Foster at New York at 59. The both transactions were regarded as evidences of market rigging for the purpose of influencing outside opinion. The genuine market for mining securities to-day was about as dull as it has been. The small public participation has made it difficult for professionals to get a turn, and most of these have ceased operating until the markets really broaden out.

New York Curb.

R. R. Bongard (Charles Head & Co.) reports the following transactions in Cobalt stocks on the New York curb:

Nipissing closed at 6¼ to 6¼, high 6¼, low 6⅛, 2000; Buffalo, 2 to 2⅛; Colonial Silver, ⅜ to ¾; Cobalt Central, 25½ to 26½, high 26½, low 24½, 20,000; Foster, 59 to 61, 100 sold at 59; Green-Meehan, 10 to 20; King Edward, ⅝ to ¾, 200 sold at 11-16; McKinley, 70 to 75, 3000 sold at ¾; Red Rock, 1-16 to 3-16; Silver Queen, 84 to 87, 200 sold at 84; Silver Leaf, 8 to 8½; Trethewey, 53 to 55, 100 sold at 53; American Marconi, 15 to 18; Canadian Marconi, 1 to 1½.

Boston curb: Silver Leaf closed at 8 to 8½, high 8½, low 8, 1500.

Toronto Stock Exchange Unlisted Securities.

	Sell.	Buy.
Canadian Gold Fields	3½	2½
Consolidated M. & S.	70	...

—Morning Sales.—

Cobalt Central—1000 at 21.
Temiskaming—700 at 39½.

—Afternoon Sales.—

No sales.

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange.

	Ask.	Bid.
Cobalt stocks—		
Amalgamated	4	2
Buffalo	2.50	1.50
Cobalt Central	25	20
Cobalt Lake	11	10
Coniagas, XD	4.05	3.85
Foster	63	59
Green - Meehan	13	10
Hudson Bay	118	112
Kerr Lake	3.35	2.75
McKinley Dar. Savage	75	70
Nipissing	6.25	6.12
Nova Scotia	20½	19
Peterson Lake	13½	12
Red Rock	12	8
Right-of-Way	3.50	2.80
Silver Leaf	7⅞	7¾
Silver Bar	25	15
Silver Queen	90	83
Temiskaming, old stock	98	75
New Temiskaming	38¼	37½
Trethewey	54¾	52
University	3.00	1.50
Watts	....	20

—Morning Sales.—

Silver Leaf—500 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾; seller thirty days, 2000 at 7¾.

Nova Scotia—100 at 19½, 100 at 21.

Nipissing—20 at 6.25.

McKinley Darragh Savage—100 at 75, 100 at 76.

Cobalt Lake—1500 at 10¼, 500 at 10¼.

—Afternoon Sales.—

Silver Leaf—2000 at 7¾, 500 at 7¾.
Cobalt Lake—2000 at 10.
Silver Queen—100 at 84.
New Temiskaming—500 at 38.

NEW SILVER DISCOVERIES.

MONTREAL, Feb. 28.—The discovery of several new and wonderfully rich silver fields in the Lake Temiskaming district was made public this morning.

The new fields are situated on the shores of the lake at Finn Point, on the Ontario side, and at Lavellee Bay in Quebec.

Locomotive Ran Away.

BROCKWAYVILLE, Pa., Feb. 28.—A locomotive running wild thru the Erie Railroad yards here crashed into the rear of a freight train, killing two men.

Eleven Hurt in Collision.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Feb. 28.—Eleven persons were injured in a collision between a Southern Railroad freight engine and an electric train on the Washington, Alexandria & Mount Vernon Railway.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made on behalf of the Municipal Corporation of the Town of North Toronto to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session for legislation—

1. To validate and confirm a Bylaw of the said town creating fire limits and imposing building restrictions, and restrictions on factory sites.

2. To empower the Council without the assent of the ratepayers from time to time to borrow on the credit of the Corporation any amount sufficient to cover the deficits occasioned, or which may hereafter be occasioned, by the sale of any debentures of the Corporation now made or hereafter to be made, below par, and to issue debentures therefor, payable within 20 years from the date of issue thereof.

3. To validate the Debenture Bylaws passed by the Council of the said Corporation, the particulars of which are shown as follows:

No. 768—Providing $7459.23 by the consolidation of certain Bylaws for the construction of water mains.

No. 788—Providing $1550 for a drain on Balliol-street.

No. 793—Providing $7200 for the construction of a steel water tower.

No. 877—Providing $1830 for vitrified brick sidewalks on Glen Grove-avenue.

No. 880—Providing $1078 for 9-inch drain on Merton-street.

No. 899—Providing $2789 for tar, gravel and plank sidewalks.

No. 900—Providing $4724.12 for the construction of water mains on certain streets.

No. 901—Providing $8657 for concrete sidewalks on certain streets.

No. 902—Providing $3662.88 for the town's share in certain local improvements.

Which Bylaws may be seen at the office of the Town Clerk at the Town Hall, Eglinton.

4. To empower the Council to open up streets within the said town running parallel to Yonge-street, and to expropriate and purchase the land necessary therefor, or assess the cost thereof as a local improvement, as may be equitable, and to expend sums not exceeding in the aggregate $15,000 for such purpose, and without the assent of the ratepayers to borrow said amount or so much thereof as may be necessary on the credit of the corporation, and to issue debentures therefor, payable within 20 years from the date of the issue thereof, and to confirm all purchases of lands for streets already made.

5. To compel the opening of a street or streets from north to south through Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

6. To authorize the Council to furnish water or light, to corporations, firms or persons, either free of charge or at reduced or special rates, either within or outside the limits of the Corporation.

7. To authorize the Council to enter into agreements with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, or any company, corporation, person or persons, for the supply of light, heat or power to the said Corporation and the inhabitants thereof.

8. To amend the provisions of the Assessment Act relating to telephone companies, to enable the town to assess either the income of such companies derived from the said town, or the poles, wires and plant of such companies situate within the limits of the town.

9. To amend Section 3 of Chapter 93 of 53 Victoria (O.), being an act to incorporate the Town of North Toronto, by dividing the said town into four wards, and allowing a representation of two councillors for each ward to the Municipal Council.

T. A. GIBSON,
Solicitor for the Town of North Toronto.

Dated the 28th day of January, 1908. 6

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the Corporation of the City of Toronto to the Legislature of Ontario at its present session for an Act.

1. To enable the said city to use St. Andrew's Market Block for other than market purposes;

2. To enable the council of the said city, without submitting the same to a vote of the ratepayers, to pass a bylaw or bylaws, authorizing the issue of debentures to an amount sufficient to raise not more than $135,000 for the cost of the bridges, grading, re-paving, purchase of land, etc., necessary to afford access for a street railway line from Bathurst-street or other street to the Exhibition grounds through the Garrison Commons, and to enable the said City to use a portion of the revenues derived from the Toronto Railway Company to lay permanent or other pavements for the street railway tracks in and thru said commons.

W. C. CHISHOLM,
6 City Solicitor.
Dated at Toronto, 11th February, 1908.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the Corporation of the City of Toronto to the Legislature of Ontario at its present session, for an act:

1. Permitting the Council of the said City to appoint a commission of five members to manage the parks of the city, or to pass bylaws providing for the election by the electors of a commission of five members for said purpose, and for regulating such election, and the time or times when the same may be held, and to pass bylaws for defining the duties and powers of such commission and their term of office.

2. To amend the act relating to the Toronto Railway Company, so as to provide that in case of the company refusing to lay down and operate new lines, as provided in the conditions attached to the agreement between the company and the city, the said city may lay down and operate such new lines, and also to provide that the said city may construct and operate lines of street railway in the territory added to the city since the date of the agreement with the said company.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1908.

W. C. CHISHOLM,
6 City Solicitor.

Ontario Liquor License Act

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Toronto will be held on Thursday, March 12th, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., to consider the following application for the transfer of license.

Mary McCarron Estate, 23 East Queen-street, asking to transfer the tavern license to Martin McCarron.

All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

JOSEPH JOHNSTON,
Chief Inspector.
Toronto, Feb. 28th, 1908.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

BANK OF MONTREAL

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of two and one-half per cent. upon the paid-up capital stock of this Institution has been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at its banking house in this city, and at its branches, on and after Monday, the 2nd day of March next, to shareholders of record Feb. 14.

By order of the Board,
E. S. CLOUSTON,
General Manager.
Montreal, Jan. 17, 1908. 36

MEETINGS.

THE McKINLEY-DARRAGH-SAVAGE MINES OF COBALT, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the McKinley-Darragh-Savage Mines of Cobalt, Limited, will be held at Room "A," Confederation Life Building, Yonge-street, Toronto, on Thursday, the 5th day of March, 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to receive and consider the statement of accounts and balance sheet of the Company, the report of the Directors, to elect Directors, and to transact the other ordinary business of the Company.

The Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company will be closed from the nineteenth day of February, inst., to the fifth day of March next, both days inclusive.

Dated at Toronto, this 18th day of February, A.D. 1908. 3163

By order of
DAVID GREENE,
Secretary.

THE ONTARIO BANK

A special general meeting of the shareholders of the Ontario Bank will be held at the Head Office of the Ontario Bank on Wednesday, March 4th, 1908, at 2.30 p.m., for the purpose of considering, and if thought advisable, of passing the following resolution:

"That the shareholders hereby approve of the action of the directors in instituting legal proceedings against the late directors of the bank, and hereby authorize the board of directors in their judgment and with legal advice, to incur what expense may be necessary and expedient to prosecute the suit, and to use the funds of the bank for that purpose."

By order of the board,
A. D. BRAITHWAITE,
General Manager.
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THE CANADA NORTHWEST LAND COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Head Office of the Company, No. 21 Jordan-street, Toronto, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive a statement of the affairs of the Company for the year ending 31st December last past; to receive and consider the schedule prepared in terms of Section 12 of the Act of Incorporation, to elect Directors, and for other business.

By order of the Board.

S. B. SYKES,
Secretary-Treasurer.
Dated at Toronto, this 5th day of February, 1908. 26

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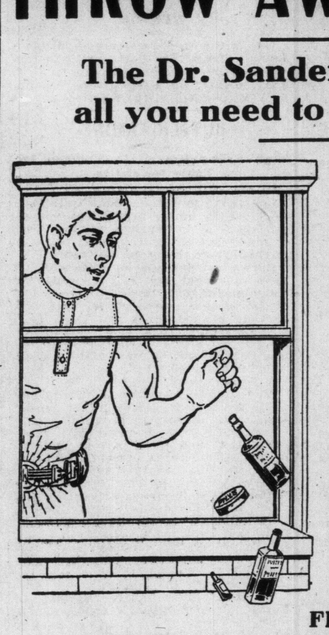

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