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STOCKS MORE BUOYANT WITH SHARP REACTION

More Cheerful Turn at London Favors New York—"Soo" Issues a Feature.

World Office,
Thursday Evening, Jan. 14.

The local stock market was firmer to-day, but the trading was not active. Improvement this morning was due to the better tone at the most important outside exchanges and to a prevalent opinion that money both here at at Montreal is gradually working easier. Some local interest was centred in the Soo issues, and tips are being freely distributed regarding an advance in these stocks. Most of the trading in the common stock was performed at New York, only 25 shares changing hands on the local board. There has been considerable doubt as to the intention of this company to make the common dividend one of 4 per cent. per annum the first dividend declaration of 2 not being accompanied by any authoritative information. It is now remarked that another dividend of 2 per cent. will be declared shortly, and on this apparently the price is being advanced. C. P. R. and Twin City both sold fractionally higher and the latter was more active. The earnings for Twin City for the first week of January exhibit only an increase of 5.75 per cent. over the same period last year, and the past phenomenal earnings of the road are displaying a gradual decline. The price was advanced to-day in sympathy with New York, where some buying was placed to a house with Western connections. Coal and Steels and other speculative favorites made little change. The advance in Cable was suspended and the price lost a fraction from yesterday. In the banks Dominion, Imperial and Hamilton sold at steady prices.

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At Boston to-day Dominion Coal closed bid 67½, asked 68, and Dominion Steel bid 8¾, asked 8⅞.

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Every reason to believe Goulds and Pennsylvania people are getting together.

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Eighty-seven roads for November show average net decrease .34 per cent.

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Thirty-four roads for first week January show average gross increase .01 per cent.

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Failing of further extension of time for depositing bonds Colorado Fuel reorganization plan will have to be abandoned.

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Coal miners' strike in Colorado will be reflected in Atchison earnings for December.

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Forget's London cable to-day quotes G. T. R. shares as follows: Firsts 111¼, seconds 95¼, thirds 43⅛.

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J. L. Campbell & Co.'s London cable to-day quoted Hudson Bay shares at £36.

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Since last Friday New York banks have gained $5,876,000 from the sub-treasury.

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Paris: There is much talk here of submitting Japanese-Russian question to the mediation of The Hague.

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Harris, Gates & Co., who have not hitherto endorsed bull sentiment on the stock, were buyers of Rock Island common during the day.—Dow Jones.

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London: Steamer Plassa, due here in ten days from India, with one million pounds of gold, the largest amount ever received in one shipment at this port from India.

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Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway issue circular to its stockholders relative to the authorization of a bond issue of $163,000,000 4 per cent. 30 year bonds, for refunding and other purposes. Of this amount $15,000,000 will be issued immediately.

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London bought about 15,000 shares or perhaps a little more, but sold nothing. Sentiment on other side is decidedly more bullish, especially in American stocks. Feeling on far eastern situation in London is more hopeful, but in any case there is a disposition there to buy American stocks as hedge. It is thought that in the event of war this market would be first to recover.—Dow Jones.

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The proposition to allow Steel employes to subscribe for preferred stock at 55 is presumptive evidence that the stock has a value above its present price, and that no improvement of preferred dividends is looked for not only for the next few periods, but as far ahead as foresight can grasp the situation.—News.

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A sensational fight to oust present management of American Ice Co. and Board of Directors has begun under the leadership of a committee consisting of C. I. Hudson, John Greenough and J. J. Bright, backed by a number of large stockholders. This committee claims that business of company is not being conducted properly and that most of the directors are practically paid employes. They want to reorganize the board and put new men at head and are soliciting proxies for the annual meeting.

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We have information from a reliable source that the largest financial interest in the street is unqualifiedly bullish, and its friends are told that regardless of the war situation, or of the Northern securities decision, the market will gradually develop a better character and that a substantial bull market can be expected in the spring months. It has been a steady buyer of stocks for a long period and it is now in a position to bring about a substantial advance. This does not mean that the market is to go right up. There will be reactions and profits should be taken on all sharp rallies and stocks bought back on recessions. On any temporary weak period the standard stocks should be bought.—Town Topics.

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Charles Head & Co. to R. R. Bongard: In the afternoon there were some fractional recessions, due to realizing by traders and some bearish pressure, but there was no noteworthy feature. The speculation is so dull and narrow that it is difficult to form any opinion as to its immediate future and the outlook contains little encouragement to hope for a resumption of activity, investors and speculators alike apparently preferring to await the outcome of the far eastern difficulty before making new commitments. With the prospects for a very favorable bank statement on Saturday and in the absence of unfavorable foreign news, it would seem as tho some further improvement might be looked for as the week closes, but there is nothing in the situation to warrant expectations of anything more than the continuance of a dull trader's market for the present.

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Local Bank Clearings.

Clearings of local banks for the week, with comparisons:

This week	$16,093,248
Last week	18,784,809
Year ago	16,791,428
Two years ago	14,867,160
Three years ago	11,513,000
Four years ago	10,558,957

Bank of England Statement.

London, Jan. 14.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased £1,893,000; circulation, decreased £501,000; bullion, increased £1,392,325; other securities, decreased £3,356,000; other deposits, decreased £1,039,000; public deposits, decreased £1,784,000; notes reserve, increased £2,011,000; government securities, decreased £1,287,000.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 43.45 per cent., as compared with 37.50 per cent last week. Bank rate unchanged.

Railroad Earnings.

The Twin City Rapid Transit Company's earnings for the first week in January amounted to $74,837, being an increase over the same period last year of $4079, or 5.75 per cent.

On Wall Street.

McIntyre & Marshall wired J. G. Beaty, King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market to-day:

Upturn in market to-day was a natural rally following the less alarming war news as regards the probabilities of an immediate rupture and as reflecting the oversold condition from yesterday's professional selling.

There seemed little warrant for any optimistic views regarding the probability of a peaceful settlement of the Russo-Japan embroglio, but, nevertheless, the foreign markets were all better, with consols advancing nearly ¼ point and Russian and Japanese securities rising 1 to 1½ points.

Our market naturally took its cue from London and with a rather active covering demand from local shorts and foreign houses taking back about 20,000 shares of various stock, together with a resumption of manipulation by clique brokers, the market developed pronounced strength and advances of a point or more were general thruout the list with the aid of Standard Oil support.

During the afternoon the market reacted on some fresh selling for both long and short account on the failure of any outside investment or speculative demand to materialize and the lack of response from any of the commission houses of any importance.

The action of market thruout plainly shows the continuation of hesitation on the part of rank and file of operators, and, as we have previously stated, we do not look for any revival of activity or anything better than a comparatively narrow traders' market pending a solution of far eastern question, which clearly continues the dominant factor on sentiment. From what we can gather, there seems to be absolutely no question but Standard Oil people are still maintaining their bullish position, and they are still the largest holders of stocks generally.

The knowledge of their bullish position alone will help to have a steadying influence and restrict aggressive bear raids, but it will require the development of some extraordinarily bullish sentiment to cause active bullish speculation.

With the speculation continuing to be dominated almost entirely by the character of war news from day to day, it is hard to see how anything better than a comparatively narrow traders' market for small quick turns is to be expected until the far eastern question has been definitely decided one way or the other.

Thus, it is plain that we are not likely to see any extensive fluctuations or any great activity during the interim.

The latest and most reliable information is quoted in the late press cables from London, which says: "The British Foreign Office officials, after reading Japan's reply to Russian note, says it only takes the crisis a step further in a less hopeful direction. The devices are considered by Foreign Office as being fearful that Russia will not accept Japan's proposition."

McMillan & Maguire received the following from Floyd, Crawford & Co.

Important developments occurred in the stock market to-day. Judging from the best sources of information, we find that it is almost certain that peace has been established between the Pennsylvania and Gould factions. This is most important. It means that the Rockefellers, who are behind the Goulds, have achieved another victory. We believe that the Pennsylvania and Gould issues will advance on this information. The inception may be noted in the exceptional strength of the Wabash securities. Pennsylvania was strong to-day also. Missouri Pacific shared in the better feeling. Another important piece of news was the announcement of the R. I. bond issue, and in view of it and other information we have, we are inclined to strongly recommend the purchase R. I. securities, believing that a campaign will be shortly commenced in them. The significant part about the bond issue is the fact that nearly 40,000,000 is reserved to buy other roads and we should not be surprised to see the Alton pass under the wing of the R.I. It is significant that the R. I. people deemed the time propitious to issue bonds for which there is now noted a better demand.

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and the Orient, tributary to
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One of the Finest Deep Water Harbors in the World, and the only one North of Vancouver on the Pacific Coast Suitable for—and is named in the Charter Application of the Grand Trunk Pacific as —the Terminus of the New Transcontinental Railway.
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Beautifully situated for town site, land gently rising from the harbor.
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Nearest seaport to the great Yukon country. Two days nearer the Orient than Vancouver, Seattle or San Francisco.
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Money will be made by those who get in first. For fuller particulars of ground floor offering write or call immediately, as time of option is very short.
FOX & ROSS, Standard Stock Exchange Bldg., TORONTO.
When writing mention The Toronto World.

Low Grade Milling.

A new mill for the treatment of the low grade ores of the Centre Star and War Eagle mines is being installed by the Gooderham-Blackstock Mining Syndicate at Smelter Junction. The output of the mill will be 400 tons a day. The high grade ores will continue to be shipped to the Trail Smelter.

Foreign Exchange.

Messrs. Glazebrook & Becher, exchange brokers, Traders' Bank Building (Tel. 1091), to-day report closing exchange rates as follows:

	Between Banks Buyers	Sellers	Counter
N.Y. Funds..	par	par	1-8 to 1-4
Mont'l Funds	15c dis	par	1-8 to 1-4
60 days sight..	8 1-2	8 9-16	8 13-16 to 8 15-16
Demand stg..	9 3-16	9 1-4	9 1-2 to 9 5-8
Cable Trans..	9 5-16	9 3-8	9 5-8 to 9 3-4

—Rates in New York—

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days...	4.83	4.82¾ to 4.82¼
Sterling, demand...	4.86	4.85¾ to 4.85½

Price of Silver.

Bar silver in London, 27 5-16d.
Bar silver in New York, 59c.
Mexican dollars, 45¼c.

Money Markets.

The Bank of England discount rate is 4 per cent. Money, 2½ to 3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 3¼ to 3⅜ per cent.; three months' bills, 3⅜ to 3 7-16 per cent.; New York call money, highest, 2¼ per cent.; lowest, 1¾ per cent.; last loan, 2 per cent. Call money in Toronto, 5½ to 6 per cent.

Toronto Stocks.

	Jan. 13. Last Quo. Ask.	Bid.	Jan. 14. Last Quo. Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	...	249½	...	...
Ontario	...	125	...	125
Toronto	226½	...	226½	224
Merchants'	...	150	...	...
Commerce	151	...	151	...
Imperial	214½	212	214	213
Dominion	226	224	225½	224¼
Standard	...	...	...	...
Hamilton	210	...	210	...
Nova Scotia	270	...	...	...
Ottawa	215	...	215	...
Traders'	...	133	...	133
Royal	...	...	...	...
Union Life	...	...	...	...
Brit. America	...	97	...	96
West. Assurance	97	96	...	96
Imperial Life	...	149	...	149
National Trust	...	...	...	...
Tor. Gen. Trusts	...	...	...	...
Consumers' Gas	...	207½	...	207
Ont. & Qu'Appelle	...	94	...	94
Canada Life	...	...	...	...
Can. N.W.L., pref.	...	98	...	98
C. P. R.	117¼	116¾	117¼	117⅛
do., com	...	...	...	...
M. S. St. Paul	121	118½	...	121
do., com	60	59	...	61¼
Tor. Elec. Light	...	132	134	132
Can. Gen. Elec.	142	...	140	138½
do. pref	...	...	...	...
London Electric	105	...	105	...
Com. Cable	180¾	180½	180	179¼
Cable coup. bonds	...	...	...	...
Cable, reg. bonds	...	...	...	...
C. N. R. bonds	...	...	...	...
Dom. Tel.	...	112	...	112
Bell Tel.	...	...	...	...
Richelieu	81½	79	81	80
Niagara Nav	...	112	...	...
Nor. Nav.	80	75½	...	74¾
St. Law. Nav.	120	110	...	...
Toronto Railway	100	98¼	99½	98
London St. Ry	...	...	...	...
Twin City	89	88½	90	89¼
Winnipeg St. Ry	...	160	...	160
Sao Paulo	90½	88½	90	88
Toledo Railway	...	...	...	...
Luxfer Prism	...	...	...	...
Packers (A), pf	...	...	...	...
do. (B), pf	...	...	...	...
Dom. Steel	9	...	9¼	8¾
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
do., bonds	56	...	...	...
N. S. Steel, com	80	...	80	70
do., bonds	106	104	...	104½
Dom. Coal	...	...	68	67⅝
Lake Sup., com	...	...	...	...
Can. Salt	117	...	117	...
War Eagle	...	...	...	...
Payne Mining	...	...	...	...
Cariboo (McK.)	...	...	...	...
Virtue	...	...	...	...
North Star	...	...	...	...
Crow's Nest Coal	350	...	350	...
Brit. Can., xd.	...	80	...	80
Can. Landed	...	101	...	101
Can. Permanent	...	121	...	121
Can. S. & L	...	119	...	119
Central Can. Loan	...	150	...	150
Dom. S. & I	...	70	...	70
Ham. Provident	...	118½	...	119
Huron & Erie	...	178	...	178
do., new	...	...	...	...
Imperial L. & I	...	...	...	...
Landed B. & L	...	119	...	119
London & Canada	...	90	...	90
Manitoba Loan	...	...	...	95
Tor. Mortgage	...	85	...	...
London Loan	120	...	...	...
Ont. L. & D	...	121	...	121
Real Estate	...	...	...	...
Toronto S. & L	...	130	...	130

Morning Sales—Dominion, 30 at 225¼, 20 at 225; Hamilton, 5 at 205¾; Cable, 50 at 180¼, 25 at 180⅛; Can. Gen. Electric, 25 at 139½; C. P. R., 20 at 117, 105 at 117⅜; Soo pref., 25 at 119; Twin City, 25 at 89¾, 25 at 89¼, 125 at 89¾, 10 at 89¼, 25 at 89⅜, 25 at 89¾; N. S. Steel, 70 at 71¼, 100 at 79, 9 at 79¾, 25 at 79¼, 25 at 79¾, 5 pref. at 116; Coal, 50 at 67⅝, 50 at 67¼, 100 at 67¼; Dominion Steel, 50 at 9.

Afternoon Sales—C. P. R., 100 at 117¼; Imperial, 10 at 213¼; Soo, 25 at 62; Western Assurance, 12 at 97; Toronto Electric, 25, 10 at 133; Cable, 150 at 180; Niagara, 5 at 114; Twin City, 25 at 89¾, 25 at 89¾; Sao Paulo, 6 at 89; Coal, 25 at 67⅝; Canada Permanent, 85 at 121¼, 500 at 122.

Montreal Stocks.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—Closing quotations to-day:

	Ask.	Bid.
C. P. R.	117⅝	117¼
Toledo	22	20½
Montreal Railway	202	201¼
Toronto Railway	98½	98⅛
Detroit Railway	65	64
Halifax Railway	90	86
Twin City	89⅝	89½
Dominion Steel	9⅛	8¾
do., pref.	30	25
Richelieu	80¾	80⅜
Cable	181	180
Bell Telephone	...	...
Nova Scotia	79¼	79
Ogilvie, pref.	122	115
B. C. Packers (A)	...	...
Montreal Telegraph	162	158
Montreal Light, H. & P.	72¼	72
Dominion Coal	67¾	67⅝
Montreal Cotton	105	...
Colored Cotton	...	...
Dominion Cotton	...	...
Merchants' Cotton	...	...
Bank of Toronto	...	...
Commerce	151	...
Hochelaga	...	...
Montreal Railway bonds	105	103½
Dominion Steel bonds	...	...
Merchants' Bank	150	...
Molsons Bank	198	195
Northwest Land pref.	...	...
Ontario Bank	...	...
Royal Bank	205¾	...
Quebec	...	...
Bank of Montreal	...	...
Lake of the Woods	...	...
War Eagle	...	...
Imperial	...	...
Nova Scotia	...	...
Laurentide Pulp	...	...
Union	134	132¾
M. S. M., com.	65	62
do., pref.	125	122

Afternoon Pacific, 25 at 117, 25 at 117⅛, 100 at 117¼, 100 at 117⅜; Twin City, 50 at 89½, 50 at 89¾, 100 at 89⅞, 50 at 89½; Montreal Railway, 25 at 202; Cable, 4 at 180; Richelieu, 10 at 80¼; Coal, 10 at 68, 25 at 67, 75 at 67½, 25 at 67¼, 1 at 67⅜, 50 at 67, 25 at 67¼, 150 at 67½; Toledo, 50 at 21; N. S. Steel, 25 at 78⅝, 75 at 79, 25 at 79¼; Union Bank, 15 at 132¼; Molsons Bank, 14 at 195½; Merchants' Bank, 50 at 151¾; Montreal Ry. bonds, $2000 at 103½.

Afternoon sales: C.P.R., 100 at 117¼; Montreal Power, 25 at 72¼; Detroit Ry., 25 at 65, 25 at 64¾; Coal, 100 at 67½; Cable, 20 at 180; Molsons, 10 at 195½; Merchants', Bank, 10 at 152.

New York Stocks.

J. G. Beaty, King Edward Hotel, reports the following fluctuations in New York stocks to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
B. & O.	80	80⅛	79⅛	79¾
Can. Sou	...	...	...	...
C. C. C.	...	...	...	...
C. & A.	34¼	...	33¾	...
C. G. W.	16½	16¾	16½	16½
Duluth	...	...	...	...
do. pref.	...	...	...	...
Erie	28	28¼	27¾	28
do., 1st pref.	67¾	68	67¾	...
do., 2nd pref.	48	48¼	48	...
Ill. Central	130¾	131¼	130⅞	131
N. W.	...	...	...	...
N. Y. C.	119½	120¼	119¾	119¾
R. I.	21⅜	22	20¾	21⅜
do., pref.	58¾	59	58¾	59
Atchison	66⅝	67¼	66⅝	67
do., pref.	88⅝	...	88½	88⅝
C. P. R.	117¼	117⅝	117¼	...
Col. Sou.	18½	...	18¼	...
do., 2nds.	27	...	...	...
Denver, pref.	...	...	...	...
K. & T.	17¾	...	...	...
do., pref.	39½	39⅝	39½	...
L. & N.	108	...	...	...
Mex. Central	13¼	...	12⅝	12¾
Mex. Nat	...	...	...	...
Mo. Pacific	92⅜	92⅝	91⅛	...
San Fran	...	...	...	...
do., 2nds.	40⅝	...	40½	...
S. S. Marie	60	62	59½	62
do. pref.	119½	122	119½	121⅞
St. Paul	142⅜	143⅜	142⅛	142⅛
Sou. Pacific	48¾	49⅜	48⅝	...
Sou. Ry.	20⅝	20½	20¼	20⅝
do., pref.	29¼	...	...	...
S. L. S. W.	...	...	...	...
do., pref.	34½	...	...	...
U. P.	78⅜	79	78¼	78⅝
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
Wabash	20	20⅝	20	20¼
do., pref.	38⅛	39	37⅝	38⅛
do., B bonds	64½	65¾	64¼	65½
Wis. Central	19¼	19⅜	19⅛	19½
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
Texas Pacific	25	25⅝	25	25¼
C. & O.	33¼	33½	33¼	33½
C. F. & I.	29⅝	30	29⅝	30
D. & H.	166	...	...	...
D. & L.	...	...	...	...
N. & W.	57⅜	...	57½	...
Hocking Valley	...	...	...	...
O. & W.	21⅝	...	21⅝	...
Reading	44½	44⅞	44¼	...
do., 1st pref.	...	...	...	...
do., 2nd pref.	...	...	...	...
Penn. Central	119⅝	120¼	119¼	119⅝
T. C. & I.	37	37½	36⅝	...
A. C. O.	...	...	...	...
Amal. Copper	50¼	...	49⅝	...
Anaconda	...	...	...	...
Sugar	125¾	125⅞	124¾	125⅝
B. R. T.	49¼	49⅝	48⅝	...
Car Foundry	18⅝	...	...	...
Consumers' Gas	191	191¾	191	191¾
Gen. Electric	174	...	...	...
Leather	...	...	...	...
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
Lead	...	...	...	...
Locomotive	17¼	...	17	...
Manhattan	142⅝	...	142⅞	...
Metropolitan	121	121¾	121	121⅝
Nor. American	...	...	...	...
Pacific Mail	27⅜	28½	27¼	28
People's Gas	97½	97⅝	97⅛	97½
Republic Steel	...	...	...	...
Rubber	...	...	...	...
Sloss	31¼	33	31¼	33
Smelters	48¼	48⅝	48¼	...
U. S. Steel	10¼	10⅜	10¼	...
do., pref.	57½	58	57⅝	...
Twin City	90	...	...	...
W. U.	87⅜	...	...	...

Sales to noon, 203,500.
Total sales, 343,300.

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA
HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.
Capital Paid Up $2,998,500
Rest 2,650,000
Branches in Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, British Columbia and Northwest Territories.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
Deposits received and interest at current rate credited twice a year.
BRANCHES IN TORONTO.
Corner Wellington St. East and Leader Lane
Corner Yonge and Queen Streets.
Corner Yonge and Bloor Streets.
Corner King and York Streets.
D. R. WILKIE, General Manager.

London Stocks.

	Last Quo. Jan. 13.	Last Quo. Jan. 14.
Consols, account	87⅝	88 1-16
Consols, money	87⅝	88 3-16
Atchison	68⅜	69¼
do., pref.	91	91½
Anaconda	3⅜	3⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	...	34⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	81½	82⅜
St. Paul	147	147
D. R. G.	21	21⅝
do., pref.	71	72
Chicago Great West	16½	16½
C. P. R.	120	121
Erie	28⅜	29¼
do., 1st pref.	69⅜	69⅝
do., 2nd pref.	49½	49½
Illinois Central	135	135
Louisville & Nashville	111	111
Kansas & Texas	17⅝	17⅝
New York Central	124	123½
Norfolk & Western	58⅛	59⅝
do., pref.	89	89
Ontario & Western	22	22¼
Pennsylvania	61½	61½
Southern Pacific	50½	50⅝
Southern Railway	20⅝	21⅛
do., pref.	81	81½
United States Steel	10⅝	11
do., pref.	58½	*57½
Union Pacific	80⅜	81¼
do., pref.	92	92
Wabash	20¼	20½
do., pref.	39	39⅜

*Ex-div.

Standard Stock & Mining Exchange

	Jan. 13. Last Quo. Ask.	Bid.	Jan. 14. Last Quo. Ask.	Bid.
Black Tail	4	2	4	2
Brandon & G. C.	...	...	...	...
Can. G. F. S.	4	3	4	3
Centre Star	23	22	23	22
Cariboo (McK.)	6	3	6	3
Cariboo (Hyd.)	70	...	70	...
California	...	...	...	...
Deer Trail Con.	2	1	2	1
Dominion Con.	2	1	2	1
Fairview Corp.	4	3	4	3
Giant	2½	1	3	1
Granby Smelter	425	375	425	380
Iron Mask	6	...	6	...
Lone Pine	2	...	3	...
Morning Glory	3	...	3	...
Morrison (as.)	4	2	4	2
Mountain Lion	18	14	18	15
North Star	7	...	7	...
Payne	15	12	16	12
Rambler Cariboo	35	25	35	25
Olive	...	...	...	...
Republic	3	...	3	...
Sullivan	6	4	7	4
St. Eugene	39	30	39	30
Virtue	6	...	6	...
War Eagle	12	10	12	10
White Bear, as. pd.	5	4	5	4
Winnipeg (as.)	4	...	4	...
Wonderful	3	...	3	...
Waterloo	8	...	7	...
Jumbo	...	...	...	...
C. P. R.	117½	117	117¼	117
Duluth, com.	...	...	...	...
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
Soo Ry., com.	60	59	62½	62
do., pref.	...	...	122	121
Crow's Nest Coal	260	200	260	200
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
Lake Sup., com.	...	...	...	...
Twin City	...	...	91	90
Dom. Coal, com.	68	67	67½	67
Dom. I. & S., com.	...	...	9	6½
Dom. I. & S., com.	...	...	...	...
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
N. S. Steel, com.	...	...	...	...
do., pref.	...	...	...	...
Richelieu	...	...	...	...
Can. Gen. Elec.	...	...	...	...
Tor. Elec. Light	...	...	...	...

Sales: Atchison, 10 at 67¼, 10 at 66¾, 40 at 66⅞; Mo. Pacific, 20 at 92, 20 at 92⅛; St. Paul, 50 at 143⅛, 20 at 143; Pennsylvania, 80 at 119⅝; Copper, 30 at 49½; May wheat, 5000 at 87½, 5000 at 87⅛; May corn, 5000 at 48½; May oats, 5000 at 48⅜.

Price of Oil.

Pittsburg, Jan. 14.—Oil closed at $1.85.

Cotton Market.

The fluctuations in cotton futures on the New York Cotton Exchange to-day (reported by McIntyre & Marshall) were as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	13.38	13.40	13.24	13.32
March	13.75	13.75	13.50	13.56
May	13.93	13.99	13.68	13.78
July	14.00	14.05	13.78	13.83

Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 13.80; do., gulf, 14.05; sales, 1800 bales.

Cotton Gossip.

McIntyre & Marshall wired J. G. Beaty (King Edward Hotel), at the close of the market to-day:

The heavy selling which has characterized the trading during the last few days on all the strong periods was again in evidence to-day, and notwithstanding a continuance of all bullish influence. The contract market has had a reaction of about 50 points from the highest of the week.

This is at once an evidence of flexibility of market, as well as the effect of realizing sales even when the greatest strength was the thing most expected by traders.

It is the old story of over-speculation and the necessity for the process of digestion to follow a market which had broadened with undue haste.

The falling off in receipts has now become a fixed fact, and will, we believe, continue on a basis of from 25 to 30 per cent. less than last year. We take no stock in the suggestion that cotton is being held back by farmers or merchants on speculation to an extent sufficient to justify belief in a crop anywhere near equal to last season's.

All of our information and investigations are contrary to this theory. The question only to determine is, what price will the world be obliged to pay for their supplies in the next seven months, and when will another wave of speculation take hold of staple and advance it.

We have been reluctant to follow the market above 14 cents up to this time, as with 7,500,000 bales of crop marketed, we feel that its absorption by consumers must relieve speculators to a greater extent before a further advance can be sustained.

Three Prisoners Cremated.

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 14.—Three prisoners were cremated, two fatally burned and two others seriously hurt in the burning of the town jail at Pratt City. All but one were negroes. There were 15 men and four women in the jail.

GRAIN PRICES ARE FIRM LIVERPOOL IS HIGHER

Price Current Reviews the Week—Large Hog Receipts on the Local Market.

World Office.
Thursday Evening, Jan. 14.

Liverpool late quotations in wheat and corn futures to-day are at an advance of ⅛d.

At Chicago May wheat closed ⅜c lower than yesterday; May corn ½c higher, and May oats ¼c higher.

Carlots at Chicago to-day: Wheat 30, contract 0, estimated 25; corn 283, 1, 285; oats, 83, 4, 75.

Northwest receipts to-day 442 cars, week ago 356, year ago 288.

Primary receipts wheat to-day 692,000 bushels, against 453,000; shipments 432,000, against 263,000. Receipts corn 668,000, against 535,000; shipments 493,000, against 478,000. Export clearances wheat and flour as wheat 87,000 bushels, against 554,000.

The Cincinnati Price Current says to-day: The condition of the growing wheat crop has not essentially changed. Snow has been general in the east and north, but the weather has been dry in the southwest. In southern portions, the top growth has been unfavorable, but the roots are believed to be sound. The movement of grain is about seasonable and normal, but complaints of the poor quality of the corn are being received. Shipments are fair or increasing, except in Iowa and Ohio.

Foreign Markets.

London—Close—Wheat, on passage, buyers indifferent operators. Parcels No. 1 Nor. Man., about due, 32s 1½d. Maize, on passage, quiet, but steady. Spot American, mixed, 21s, new. Flour, spot Minn., 27s.

Paris—Close—Wheat, tone quiet; Jan., 22f 20c; May and Aug., 21f 30c. Flour, tone firm; Jan., 29f 15c; May and Aug., 28f 80c.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing quotations at important wheat centres to-day:

	Cash.	Jan.	May.
New York	....	....	90¼
Chicago	....	....	86⅝
Toledo	91	91	89½
Duluth, No. 1 Nor	84¾	84¾	86½

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Flour—Manitoba, first patents, $4.80 to $4.90; Manitoba, second patents, $4.50 to $4.60; and $4.40 to $4.50 for strong bakers', bags included, on track at Toronto; 90 per cent. patents, in buyers' bags, east or middle freight, $3 to $3.05; Manitoba bran, sacked, $18 per ton; shorts, sacked, $20 per ton, at Toronto.

Wheat—Red and white are worth 79c, middle freights; goose, 72c, middle; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, 97c to 98c, grinding in transit; No. 1 Northern, 94c.

Barley—No. 2 at 43c; No. 3X at 40c to 41c, and No. 3 at 38c for export.

Oats—Oats are quoted at 30c north, 30c middle, 31c east for No. 1.

Corn—Canadian, arriving in poor condition, at 43c to 44c; American, 55c, on track at Toronto.

Peas—Peas, 62c bid, high freight.

Rye—Quoted at about 52c middle, and 52c east.

Buckwheat—Buckwheat, 47c, Eastern freights.

Oatmeal—At $3.00 in bags and $3.80 in barrels, car lots on track, Toronto; local lots, 25c higher.

Bran—City mills sell bran at $16 and shorts at $18, car lots, f.o.b., Toronto.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $4.18 and No. 1 yellow, $3.49. These prices are for delivery here; car lots 5c less.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Receipts of farm produce were 800 bushels of grain, 25 loads of hay, 1 load of straw, with 200 dressed hogs.

Wheat—Two hundred bushels sold as follows: White, 100 bushels at 82½c; goose, 100 bushels at 74c to 76c.

Barley—Two hundred bushels sold at 44c to 46c.

Oats—Four hundred bushels sold at 34c to 34½c.

Hay—Twenty-five loads sold at $10 to $11 per ton for timothy, and $7 to $8 for clover or mixed hay.

Straw—One load sold at $9 per ton.

Dressed Hogs—Prices easy at $6.75 to $7 for heavy, while light butchers' hogs are worth from $7.25 to $7.50.

Potatoes—Prices easy at 80c to 85c per bag from farmers' wagons by the load. Car lots are worth about 75c per bag, on track, at Toronto.

George Puddy bought 100 dressed hogs at $6.75 to $7.50 per cwt.

Grain—		
Wheat, red, bush	$0 81½ to	$....
Wheat, white, bush	0 82½	....
Wheat, spring, bush	0 81	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 74	0 76
Barley, bush	0 44	0 46
Beans, bush	1 35	....
Beans, hand-picked	1 65	....
Peas, bush	0 55	....
Rye, bush	0 54	....
Buckwheat, bush	0 46	....
Oats, bush	0 34	0 34½
Seeds—		
Alsike, choice, No. 1	$5 20 to	$5 50
Alsike, good, No. 2	4 00	4 50
Alsike, fancy	5 75	6 00
Red, choice	5 50	6 00
Red, good, No. 2	5 00	5 40
Timothy seed	1 00	1 50
Hay and Straw—		
Hay, per ton	$7 00 to	$11 00
Straw, loose, per ton	6 00	....
Straw, sheaf, per ton	9 00	10 00
Fruits and Vegetables—		
Potatoes, per bag	$0 80 to	$0 85
Apples, per bbl	1 00	2 00
Cabbage, per dozen	0 40	0 50
Cabbage, red, each	0 05	0 10
Beets, per peck	0 15	....
Cauliflower, per dozen	1 00	2 00
Carrots, red	0 30	0 50
Celery, per doz	0 30	0 50
Turnips, per bag	0 35	0 40
Vegetable marrow, doz	0 30	0 50
Poultry—		
Spring chickens, per pair	$0 75 to	$1 50
Spring ducks, per pair	1 00	1 50
Turkeys, per lb	0 15	0 16
Geese, per lb	0 11	0 13
Dairy Produce—		
Butter, lb. rolls	$0 20 to	$0 23
Eggs, held	0 25	....
Eggs, new-laid	0 40	0 45
Fresh Meats—		
Beef, forequarters, cwt	$5 00 to	$6 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	6 50	8 00
Mutton, light, cwt	6 00	7 00
Mutton, heavy, per cwt	5 00	6 00
Spring lambs, d's'd, cwt	7 50	8 50
Veal, carcase, cwt	7 00	7 75
Dressed hogs, cwt	6 75	7 50

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE.

Hay, baled, car lots, ton	$9 00 to	$9 50
Straw, baled, car lots, ton	5 00	5 75
Dressed hogs, car lots	6 10	6 15
Potatoes, car lots	0 75	0 77
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	0 17	0 18
Butter, tubs, lb	0 16	0 17
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 21	0 23
Butter, creamery, boxes	0 20	0 22
Butter, bakers', tub	0 14	0 15
Eggs, new laid, doz	0 30	0 35
Held eggs, per doz	0 25	....
Turkeys, per lb	0 11	0 13
Geese, per lb	0 09	0 10
Ducks, per pair	0 75	1 00
Chickens, per pair	0 60	1 00
Honey, per lb	0 08	0 09
Honey, per lb	0 06	0 07

Hides and Wool.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter, 85 East Front-street, Wholesale Dealer in Wool, Hides, Calf and Sheep Skins, Tallow, etc.:

Hides, No. 1 steers, insp't'd	$0 08 to	$....
Hides, No. 2 steers, insp't'd	0 07	....
Hides, No. 1, inspected	0 07½	....
Hides, No. 2, inspected	0 06½	....
Calfskins, No. 1, selected	0 09	....
Calfskins, No. 2, selected	0 08	....
Deacons (dairies), each	0 60	....
Lambskins and pelts	0 85	....
Sheepskins	0 90	....
Wool, fleece	0 16	0 17½
Wool, unwashed	0 09	0 10
Tallow, rendered	0 04½	0 05

Chicago Markets.

J. G. Beaty (McIntyre & Marshall), King Edward Hotel, reports the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	87⅛	87¾	86¾	86⅞
July	82⅞	82⅝	81¼	81⅝
Corn—				
May	48⅞	49⅛	47⅞	48⅜
July	47	47⅝	47	47
Oats—				
May	40⅝	41¼	40⅝	40⅝
July	36⅛	36⅛	36¼	36⅜
Pork—				
Jan.	12 72	12 72	12 72	12 72
May	13 15	13 30	12 95	12 95
Ribs—				
Jan.	6 27	6 27	6 27	6 27
May	6 70	6 75	6 60	6 60
Lard—				
Jan.	6 67	6 67	6 67	6 67
May	6 97	7 07	6 90	6 90

Chicago Gossip.

McIntyre & Marshall wired J. G. Beaty King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market to-day:

Wheat—The early grain markets were all decidedly firm, but at top prices, met with a good many realizing orders and last prices show a slight recession from last night's closing.

The main bull interest is supposed to have bought on the weak spots, but to have been a heavy seller on the early bulge.

Armour & Co. are in possession of their long line and until they liquidate it would seem to be good judgment to buy on breaks.

Corn—There was a big general market in corn to-day and while top prices were not maintained a good advance was scored and the late weakness was probably caused by profit-taking and the weakness in wheat. A local commission house was a heavy seller around 49c, supposed to be for Armour. The present run of receipts is very disappointing as to the grade and it is fair to suppose there will be little improvement from now on. Corn deliverance on May contracts may be a scarce article. N. Y. reported a good cash demand and 20 loads for export.

Oats—Shared in the general strength and a new high record was made. Patten and local longs were heavy buyers all day and are predicting 45 cents in the near future. Some slight increase in receipts is noted for the morning: 110 cars estimated, but as yet they are not burdensome and the cash demand is said to be very good and that local consumption takes about all the good oats that come on the table.

Provisions—There was little or no snap to provisions to-day, trade being light and the early strength encouraged profit taking by the buyers of last few days. Closing prices were at about the bottom for the day and the tone inclined to be heavy. Local stocks of lard very small, about 12,000 tierces and on the breaks would advise purchases.

New York Dairy Market.

New York, Jan 14.—Butter, unchanged; receipts, 3482.
Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 4617.
Eggs—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 4118.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, Jan. 14.—Closing—Wheat, spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 3d; futures, steady; March, 6s 4⅞d; May, 6s 4½d. Corn, spot firm; American mixed, new, 4s 4d; American mixed, old, 4s 6½d; futures, firm; Jan., 4s 4d; March, 4s 2½d. Hams, short cut, quiet, 47s. Bacon, Cumberland cut, easy, 35s; short ribs, weak, 36s. Shoulders, square, quiet, 35s. Lard, prime western, firm, 35s 9d; American refined, firm, 36s 3d. Turpentine spirits, firm, 46s 3d.

CITY CATTLE MARKET.

Receipts as reported by the two railways amounted to 113 cars, consisting of 1375 cattle, 3822 hogs, 1590 sheep, 23 calves, and 1134 hogs to Park, Blackwell.

The city authorities report 107 cars, 1503 cattle, 2556 hogs, 1701 sheep, and 38 calves.

The quality of fat cattle was fairly good. Trade was good, considering the large run, with prices easier by about 20c per cwt. all round.

Exporters sold at $4.40 to $4.75 and one choice lot of 5 cattle sold by Wilson & Maybee at $5.10 per cwt., which, of course, was the top price paid.

Butchers' cattle generally sold at lower prices. Good to choice lots of butchers' sold at $4 to $4.25 per cwt.; medium to good at $3.50 to $3.75; common at $3 to $3.25; rough to inferior, at $2.50 to $2.75 per cwt.

Few feeders and stockers were offered, which sold at unchanged quotations.

About 25 milch cows and springers sold at $30 to $50 each, with one extra choice cow at $65.

Veal calves, of which there were 68 on the market, sold at unchanged quotations.

The run of sheep and lambs was large, 1590 all told, and, notwithstanding this fact, prices remained firm for all of good quality.

The run of hogs was large, 3822 on the market, and 1134 going to Park, Blackwell, which makes a total of nearly 5000, besides what went direct to the packing houses.

Prices were reported by the packing houses as unchanged, but weak at $5.25 for selects, and $5 for lights and fats.

Exporters—Best loads of exporters are worth $4.75 to $5.10 per cwt.; medium at about $4.25 to $4.50 per cwt.

Export Bulls—Choice quality bulls are worth $4 to $4.25 per cwt; medium bulls sold at $3.50 to $3.85.

Export Cows—Export cows are worth $3.60 to $4 per cwt.

Butchers' Cattle—Choice picked lots of butchers' 1100 to 1175 lbs. each, equal in quality to the best exporters, are worth $4 to $4.25; loads of good sold at $4; fair to good, $3.60 to $3.85; common, $3.15 to $3.30; rough to inferior, $2.25; canners, at $1.75 to $2.50.

Feeders—Steers of good quality, 1050 to 1150 lbs. each, at $3.50 to $3.80 per cwt.

Bulls—Bulls for the distillery byres at $2.50 to $3.

Stockers—One-year to 2-year-old steers, 400 to 700 lbs. each, are worth $2.75 to $3 per cwt.; off-colors and of poor breeding quality of same weights are worth $2 to $2.50 per cwt.

Milch Cows—Milch cows and springers are worth $30 to $50.

Calves—Calves sold at $2 to $10 each, or from $4 to $6 per cwt.

Sheep—Prices, $3.25 to $3.75 per cwt. for ewes and bucks, at $2.75 to $3.

Spring lambs—Prices ranged from $4.60 to $5 per cwt., and $5 to $5.50 for choice ewes and wethers for export.

Hogs—Best select bacon hogs, not less than 160 lbs. nor more than 200 lbs. each, fed and watered, are worth $5.25 per cwt.; lights and fats at $5; sows, $3.50 to $3.75 per cwt., and stags at $2 to $2.50 per cwt.

McDonald & Maybee, commission salesmen, sold: 24 butchers', 955 lbs. each, at $4 per cwt. and $5 over; 3 butchers', 920 lbs. each, at $4.25; 5 butchers', 1135 lbs. each, at $3.80; 9 butchers', 1155 lbs. each, at $4.50; 13 butchers', 939 lbs. each, at $3.75; 24 butchers', 1140 lbs. each, at $4.10; 10 butchers', 1140 lbs. each, at $4; 23 butchers', 890 lbs. each, at $3.80; 10 butchers', 1035 lbs. each, at $4; 2 export cows, 1550 lbs. each, at $3.60; 13 butcher cows, 1140 lbs. each, at $3.15; 9 butcher cows, 1135 lbs. each, at $3.20; 1 export bull, 1670 lbs. each, at $3.85; 1 export bull, 1700 lbs. each, at $3.50; 3 calves, at $5.60 per cwt.; 1 milch cow, at $48; 1 milch cow, at $34; 1 milch cow, at $37; 4 veal calves, at $5.50 to $6; 35 lambs, at $5.25; 45 sheep, at $3.75; 108 hogs, at $5.25

Wilson, Maybee & Co., commission dealers, sold: 5 exporters, 1500 lbs. each, at $5.10 per cwt.; 5 exporters, 1330 lbs. each, at $4.90; 9 exporters, 1320 lbs. each, at $4.85; 2 export cows, 1210 lbs. each, at $3.60; 10 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $4.30; 9 butchers', 950 lbs. each, at $4.15; 5 butchers', 850 lbs. each, at $3.80; 8 butchers', 1075 lbs. each, at $3.65; 10 butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $3.50; 12 butchers', 875 lbs. each, at $3.40; 6 butchers', 780 lbs. each, at $3.15; 2 butchers', 900 lbs. each, at $2.80; 2 butchers', 790 lbs. each, at $2.50; 20 stockers, 630 lbs. each, at $3; 3 stockers, 695 lbs. each, at $3; also a bunch of lambs, at $5.25, and sheep, at $3 per cwt.

B. J. Stevens & Co., live stock commission merchants, report the following sales at city yards: 17 steers and heifers, average 1278 lbs. each, at $4.10; 6 butchers (mixed) 1091 lbs. each, at $3.50; 6 butchers' (mixed), 1180 lbs. each, at $3.90; 6 butchers' cows, 1163 lbs. each, at $3.10; 4 feeding steers, 926 lbs. each, at $3.40; 4 butcher steers, 1025 lbs. each, at $4.45; 3 cows (common), 1350 lbs. each, at $2.75; 1 butcher steer, 1120 lbs. each, at $3.65; 1 export bull (medium), 1490 lbs., at $3.75.

Crawford & Hunnisett bought 1 load exporters, 1300 lbs each, at $4.65; 1 load exporters, 1300 lbs. each, at $4.10, and $7.50 over on the lot; 1 load mixed, 950 to 1250 lbs. each, at $3.25 to $4.50 per cwt., and 1 load of good butchers', at $4.20 per cwt.

W. H. Dean bought two loads exporters, 1300 lbs. each, at $4.65 per cwt., and 1 load, 1240 lbs. each, at $4.40.

R. J. Collins bought 13 butchers' cattle, 1200 lbs. each, at $4.25; 20 mixed butchers', 1100 to 1300 lbs each, at $3 to $4 per cwt.

H. J. McDonald sold 1 load butchers', 1000 lbs. each, at $4.15.

Gregg & Stephens of Claremont, Ont., sold 70 hogs at $5.25 per cwt., fed and watered; 6 lambs, at $5 per cwt.; 1 calf at $5.50 per cwt.

George Puddy bought 1 load of hogs at King Station, at $5 per cwt.; 1 load at Claremont at $5.10, f.o.b., cars, and 1 load of lambs at $5.25 per cwt.

Robert Kell of the Laing Packing Co., Montreal, bought 2 loads butchers', 1100 lbs. each, at $4.25 per cwt.

Charles Mitchell of Cobourg bought 2 loads of butchers', at $3.50 to $4 per cwt.

James Ryan bought 7 milch cows, at $32 to $42.

W. J. Neely bought 70 fat cattle for the Park Blackwell Co., at $4 to $4.25 per cwt. for good; medium at $3.60 to $4; common, at $3 to $3.35.

F. Hunnisett bought 35 butchers' of good to choice quality: heifers and steers, 900 to 1150 lbs. each, at $3.75 to $4.25.

Corbett & Henderson sold 1 load butchers', at $3.80; 1 load butchers', 980 lbs. each, at $3.65.

Wesley Dunn bought 360 lambs, at $5.12½ per cwt.; 170 sheep, at $3.75 per cwt.; 25 calves, at $7 each.

James Armstrong bought 12 milch cows and springers, at $32 to $65 each.

F. Hunnisett, jr., bought 35 butchers', good to choice heifers and steers, 900 to 1150 lbs. each, at $3.75 to $4.25, and 4 calves, at $9 each.

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Cattle Market Notes.

Drovers are paying $5.10 per cwt., f.o.b., cars, at Claremont, for hogs.

At points within 20 miles of Toronto the Davies Packing Co. are reported as paying $5.15 per cwt. for hogs.

Drovers admitted to The World that the shrinkage on hogs amounted to 25c per cwt., which, together with the freight charges, would amount to 40c or 50c per cwt.

If hogs are worth $5.10 per cwt. at Claremont, Ont., what are they worth on the Toronto market.

One dealer informed The World that hogs were worth $5.35 per cwt. within a radius of 50 miles of Toronto.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Drovers Hold for Higher Prices at Montreal.

New York, Jan. 14.—Beeves—Receipts, none. London and Liverpool cables unchanged. Exports to-day, 8 cattle to the West Indies. Calves—Receipts, 327. The market was slow and fully 25c lower; common to good veals, $4.50 to $8.35; no barnyard calves or westerns.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1726; sheep, active and strong, to 10c higher; lambs, quiet, but steady; common to choice sheep, $3 to $4.60; ordinary to choice lambs, $6.25 to $7.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 7890; steady; prime state hogs, $5.20.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, Jan. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 400 head, quiet; prime steers, $5.10 to $5.25; Veals—Receipts, 125 head; steady, $6 to $8.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; active, 5c to 10c higher; heavy, $5.20 to $5.25; mixed, $5.20; yorkers, $5.10 to $5.20; pigs, $5; roughs, $4.30 to $4.50; stags, $3 to $3.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,000 head; sheep, steady; lambs, slow, 15c lower; lambs, $5 to $6.85; yearlings, $5 to $5.75; wethers, $4.50 to $4.75; ewes, $4 to $4.35; sheep, mixed, $2.50 to $4.50.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—About 250 head of cattle were offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day, all of them having arrived yesterday. The only good medium cattle on the market were a car load of fat cows, which arrived too late for yesterday's market. Very few butchers came out in the storm and trade was almost nil, but the drovers are holding their stock at higher prices, as the snow blockade may cause a scarcity for some time to come. There were no calves, sheep or lambs on the market.

British Cattle Market.

London, Jan. 14.—Live cattle steady, at 10c to 12c per lb. for American steers, dressed weight: Canadian steers, 9½c to 11¼c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8c per lb. Sheep, 11½c to 12½c per lb. Lambs, 13½c, dressed weight.

HALES GAINED 34.

The officials engaged on the scrutiny of the Board of Education Ballots, finished with the First Ward yesterday, giving Hales a gain in his vote of 34. The others all gained slightly. The count resulted: Hales 850, instead of 816; Keeler 247, instead of 243; Ogden 358, instead of 351; Orr 314, instead of 307.

The recount continues to-day.

Bequests Repay Old Loans.

The will of Sarah Wilmott of Stouffville directs that her brother be repaid $43, borrowed 32 years ago, as a payment on her parents' monument, and $35 to another brother, borrowed 23 years ago, both with 6 per cent. compound interest added. She left $940 in stocks, and the Milton Branch, M.W. M.S., is given $100, and eleven nieces divide the remainder.

Poison in Ginger Ale.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 14.—As the result of drinking ginger ale, flavored with lemon extract, three men are dead from poisoning at Alexander, and two more are not expected to live.

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