### **BONDS** MARKET

228.
Gould Pfd., 10 @ .79 1-4.
Sawyer Massey Pfd., 10 @ 93 1-4.
Pulp, 25 @ 20 1-2.
Bell Phone, 1 @ 146.
Penman's Pfd., 200 @ 84.
Rich, and Ontario, 25 @ 115, 35 @ 228.

lould Pfd., 10 @ .79 1.4.

lawyer Massey Pfd., 10 @ .93 1.4.

lulp, 25 @ .20 1.2.

lell Phone, 1 @ .146.

lemman's Pfd., 200 @ .84.

lich and Ontario, 25 @ .115, 35 @ .136.

l.2.

l.8. 25 @ .143 1.4, 25 @ .143.

lucketts, 25 @ .57 1.4, 53 @ .57, 100

loughed Bank, 1 @ .221.

loyal Bank, 1 @ .221.

loughed Bank, 2 @ .126.

Zinc ...

East Butte ...

North Butte ...

Lake ...

First National ...

Trinity ...

Davis ...

lse Royale ...

Lucketts, 25 @ .55 1.2.

luchec Bonds, 1,000 @ .57, 100 @ .56

loyal Bank, 1 @ .221.

Mayflower ...

Osceola ...

### MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

Morning.

Brick—1 at 64; 25 at 64½.

Wyagamack—25 at 33½; 25 at 33¼.

W. C. Power—50 at 70½.

Tram Power—5 at 39; 5 at 38; 50

1.33¾; 15 at 39.

B. C. Canners—1 at 43,

Wyagamack Bonds—\$100

at 78;

The railroad securities, especially those that have been looked upon as fundamentally atrong gradually faded [24, 27]; corresponding week April, 11, 1000 at 78¼. 000 at 78%. Brick Bonds—\$100 at 62.

Afternon.

Mex Northern—20 at 18½.

Brick Bonds—\$2,000 at 82.

Fram Power—100 at 39.

Wyagamack—25 at 33.

Wyagamack—25 at 35.

Close.

Ames Holden—18½ to 19.

Ames Holden Pfd—76½ to 77.

Mex. Northern—18½ offered.

Brick—64¼ to 64½.

Brick Bonds—82 to 82½.

Tram Power—39 to 39¾.

Wyagamack—32¼ to 32¼.

Wyagamack Bonds—78 to 78½.

Bridge—124 to 125.

### MONTREAL STOCKS.

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

Asked. Bid.
Pac. 240½ 240

n Reserve 395 390
Steel. 50½ 50½
Textile. 88 87%
Trac Pfd. 91 90%
entide 220% 220
St. P. and S. 135 132½
real Power 228½ 228
Steel. 81 80%
an's Com. 56½ 56
and Ont. 114% 114½
inigan 136 134
sto Railway 143½ 143 an. Pac...
rown Reserve...
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s. Trac. Pfd...
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hawhingan...

CLOSING COTTON LETTER.

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, April 24.—The marke remains absolutely deadlocked. The general news containing an advance for the firemen and the uneasiness i Europe over the occupation of Scitari, is unfavorable, but I doubt it has any effect of importance on the market, which acts as if it would continue within very narrow limits pending some new important developments. (J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

New York, April 24.—Market opend steady at an advance of 1 to 4 oints, there was an active demand uring the early trading. Liverpool and the New Orleans houses were mong the buyers here. There seemed to be considerable demand from commission houses, supposedly covering hovers. In addition to the covering novement there was doubtless considerable buying for a reaction. Many raders seemed to thinky that until nore is known of the cold, weather predicted for the southwest tonight, thay not be wise to take too aggressive a stand on the short side, this probably restircted sales. During the sy trading was very quiet; there was

NEW YORK COTTON RANGE.

THE BOSTON CURB.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

EVANS ON STOCKS.

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H. BRADFORD, Manager,

The railroad securities, especially those that have been looked upon as fundamentally strong gradually faded toward lower figures, which helped to depress the rest of the market. If the railroads had not enough now to create pessimism with regard to their issues, the board of arbitration in their action in the demands of firemen has not only strengthened these views but given a forerunner of what may be expected in the future. First the engineers then the firemen, and probably now the conductors will demand more compensation, resulting in a still higher percentage of operating expenses with no prospect of increases in gross earnings. The damages sustained by recent floods and storms are also to be considered. Drives were made against some of the specialties today evidencing the fact that the feeling against these stocks has not changed but there is no reason why they should show firmness when better class of stocks are gradually being handed out.

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Gaspereaux, per doz 0.00 " 0.34

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