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THE CO-INSURANCE CLAUSE.

Companies Appealing Against the Judgment of Justice Armour That it is Not Within the Law's Limits.

Osgoode Hall, Feb. 5, 1896.

In Wanless v. Lancashire Insurance Company, the defendant company and its co-defendant, the British American Assurance Company, appealed to the Court of Appeal from the judgment of Armour, C.J., in favor of the plaintiff, holding that the 75 per cent. co-insurance clause in the defendant's policies was not within sec. 116 of R.S.O., ch. 167. The co-insurance clause is as follows: "It is a part of the consideration of this policy and the basis upon which the rate of premium is fixed that the assured shall maintain insurance on the property covered by this policy of not less than 75 per cent. of the actual cash value thereof, and that failing to do so the assured shall be a co-insurer to the extent of such deficit, and in that capacity shall bear his, her, or their proportion of any loss." The learned Chief Justice held that the clause in question was not part of the contract between the parties, but an addition to the conditions and not being inserted as required by the statute, but appearing in the body of the policies, was void. He did not decide whether, if the clause were valid, it was "just and reasonable." Lash, Q.C. and H. D. Gamble for defendants British America Assurance Company. McCarthy, Q.C., and Frank Ford for defendants Lancashire Insurance Company. George H. Watson, Q.C., for plaintiffs. Judgment was reserved.

To-day's Peremptories.

Single Court, at 10 a.m.: Armstrong v. Pearson, McPhee v. Kennedy, Grey v. Coventry, Pudifin v. Cruttenden, re Solicitor, Moore v. Sutherland, Phelan v. Dodgson, Milburn v. Lappin, Thompson v. Clark, McKnight v. Mimico (village), Bank of Commerce v. Getty.

Divisional Court, at 11 a.m.: McCabe v. Marshall, Gerry v. Heyd, Boyd v. Tucker, Cook v. Baker, Patrick v. Walbourne, Taylor v. Walbourne.

Court of Appeal: Shaw v. Shaw (to be concluded), Ontario Forge and Bolt Company v. Comet Cycle Company (to be concluded), Northern SS. Company v. Hackett, Sombra v. Chatham, McGuinness v. Dafoe.

Special Trade Sale.

Messrs. H. A. Nelson & Sons, who for so many years have been in business at 56 and 58 Front-street west, Toronto, as well as in Montreal, have decided to consolidate their business in the latter city and from now until the 15th of April next will offer their entire stock of fancy goods, druggists' and tobacconists' sundries, smallwares, toys, china and glassware, baskets, walking sticks, etc., at very close prices, with liberal terms to large buyers. Dealers throughout the country will do well to take advantage of this sale as some extraordinary advantages will be offered. In the meantime Messrs. Nelson & Sons have their travelers on the road with the regular lines of seasonable goods and request their friends throughout the country to await their arrival. Messrs. H. A. Nelson & Sons have always been one of the leading houses in Toronto, and it is with much regret The World learns of their determination to remove from this city.

Orangemen at East Toronto.

Society Hall, East Toronto, was filled on Tuesday with Orangemen, the occasion being the annual election of officers for the district of Markham and the County of East York. Two separate meetings were held, Brother Davis presiding at the first-named lodge and Worshipful Brother Brown of Toronto at the latter. The following is the list of those elected:

Markham—Bro. J. C. Hunter, D.M.; Bro. W. Nabbott, D.D.M.; Bro. R. Davis, D. chap.; Bro. J. Foster, rec. sec.; Bro. A. McMillan, fin. sec.; Bro. J. Marsh, treas.; Bro. Stephenson, director of ceremonies; Bro. J. Martin, lecturer.

County of East York—Bro. J. Hewitt, C.M.; Bro. J. Marsh, D.C.M.; Bro. R. B. Wallace, chaplain; Bro. H. Taylor, rec. sec.; Bro. J. Smith, fin.sec.; Bro. Steele, treas.; Bro. McKenny, director of ceremonies; Bro. J. Martin, lecturer.

The different reports read showed the lodges to be prosperous and full of vigor.

Business Embarrassments.

Macrault & Co., drygoods, of Strathroy, have assigned to C.B. Armstrong.

H. H. Pigeon, drygoods, Ottawa, has assigned to P. J. Bazin.

James Kelman, drugs, Newmarket, has assigned to David Blackley.

The creditors of D. W. Henry, drygoods dealer of Springfield, will meet on the 10th.

A statement showing assets of $2800 and liabilities slightly in excess of this sum was presented yesterday at the meeting of creditors of Miss L. Purvis, the insolvent milliner of St. Catharines.

E. J. Carter, the drygoods merchant of Bond Head, who assigned to J.W. Lawrence, of John Macdonald & Co., has liabilities of $5000 and assets of $4700. The creditors will meet at the Queen's to-day.

The creditors of Cleave & Co., boots, and shoes, Owen Sound, meet in the office of James P. Langley this afternoon.

Dyspepsia and Indigestion—C. W. Snow & Co.: Syracuse, N.Y., write: "Please send us ten gross of pills. We are selling more of Parmelee's Pills than any other pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint." Mr. Chas. A. Smith, Lindsay, writes: "Parmelee's Pills are an excellent medicine. My sister has been troubled with severe headache, but these pills have cured her."

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A GIANT COAL TRUST.

It Has Already Raised the Price of Hard Coal and Proposes a Further Boost of 60 Cents.

New York, Feb. 5.—A new trust, greater, richer, stronger, more important than any other trust now in existence, has been formed and began actual operations yesterday. Involving thousands of miles of railroad and more than $2,000,000,000 of capital of the Vanderbilts and J. Pierpont Morgan, it is far ahead of the wildest dream of wealth and monopoly which the late Jay Gould ever conceived.

Its operations will make the profits of a gold ring seem insignificant and trifling.

The anthracite coal mining and railroad companies sold last year 46,000,000 tons of coal at an average wholesale price of $3.08. It is proposed by the new trust to raise the price to $4 a ton. On decreased production an increased profit of $38,000,000 is assured and will be divided among 11 companies. It is easy to estimate what a per capita tax this means upon the country.

This trust has already advanced the price of coal 35 cents a ton. This increase is only the first step, but it means over $15,000,000 increased cost to consumers. The new trust is a giant compared to which the Standard Oil, the Sugar, the Tobacco and the Leather trusts are mere pigmies.

Excluding bonds, the new coal and railroad trust stands for nearly $1,900,000,000 capital and 24,530 miles of railroad. This capital stands for two and a half times the entire bonded debt of the United States.

The advance in the price of coal made by the trust is the first step. It is proposed soon to get about 90 cents a ton more for coal than last year's prices.

THE FAMILY WIPED OUT.

Richard Kloettke, Out of Work, Kills His Family and Suicides.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—An entire family consisting of seven persons was found dead this morning, the result of the murderous work and suicide last night of Richard Kloettke, a carpenter, residing at 207 Berteau-avenue. The dead are:

Richard Kloettke, aged 38.
Kate Kloettke, his wife.
John Kloettke, his father, aged 73.
Mina Kloettke, his mother, aged 71.
Mina Kloettke, his daughter, aged 9.
Ann Kloettke, daughter, aged 8.
Emma Kloettke, daughter, aged 7.

The victims were all killed by shots from a revolver, which was found by Kloettke's side. Kloettke had been out of work for some time, had no money and no prospect of getting work.

Canadian Historical Exhibition.

Arrangements are progressing satisfactorily for a successful meeting in the interests of the Canadian Historical Exhibition. The date and place of meeting has been changed to Monday, the 10th inst., at 8 p.m., in St. George's Hall, Elm-street.

The speeches and explanations of the purposes and progress of the exhibition scheme will be followed by an interesting object lesson contributed by Mr. Yeigh in line-light reproductions of views and historic pictures.

Among the speakers besides the Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, will be Dr. Parkin, Principal of Upper Canada College, and the Very Rev. Dean Harris, the eminent historian of the Roman Catholic Missions in Upper Canada.

East Toronto Notes.

An enjoyable party was given at Boston's Hall, East Toronto, on Tuesday night by Messrs. Bennett and Wright of Parliament-street. Some 35 took part in the supper and dance. A private car took the party back to the city.

The ice carnival at the Aberdeen Skating Rink was a well-attended affair and brought out some pretty costumes. The music was supplied by the York Citizens' Band.

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WHEAT WAS IRREGULAR.

THE TONE AT THE CLOSE, HOWEVER, WAS VERY FIRM.

The Local Hog Market is Firmer—Stocks Active and Higher on Wall-Street—Success of the New Bond Issue—Local Securities Are Stronger.

Wednesday Evening, Feb. 5.

Cash wheat in Chicago closed at 65⅝c. May wheat higher on curb at 67½c to 68c.

Puts on May wheat 66⅛c to 66¼c, calls 68⅞c to 69c.

Puts on May corn 30¼c bid, calls 30⅝c bid.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $4.40 cash, Feb. and March.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 145, corn 203, oats 160. Estimated for Thursday: Wheat 60, corn 140, oats 110.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 25,000; official Tuesday 17,257; left over 2500; market slow and 5c lower. Heavy shippers $3.95 to $4.25. Estimated for Thursday 25,000.

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PRICES OF WHEAT.
Closing prices at leading points to-day:

	Cash.	May.
New York	74½c	73¼c
Chicago	65⅝c	67⅝c
Milwaukee	64⅞c	66⅞c
St. Louis, hard	66c	68¼c
Toledo	74½c	76⅝c
Detroit, red	75c	76⅝c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	61¾c	...
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	60¾c	64¼c
Toronto, white	85c	...
Toronto, No. 1 hard	80c	...

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LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Flour—The market is firmer, with sales of straight rollers at $3.75, Toronto freights. Manitoba patents quoted at $4.20 to $4.25, and strong bakers' at $3.85.

Bran—Cars of bran are firm at $11.75 west, and shorts at $13 to $14.

Wheat—Offerings of Ontario wheat are restricted. White and red sold west at 80c, and red on Northern at 80c. No. 2 fall wanted at 83c here, and No. 3 at 80c, but none offered. No. 1 Manitoba hard offered at 82c N.R., with 80c bid, and No. 2 hard at 78c without bids. No. 1 Northern offered at 86c Sarnia, grinding in transit, without bids, and it sold at 75c at Midland. No. 1 frosted offered at 70c with 69c bid to arrive N.R., and No. 2 frosted offered at 66c. Scoured wheat sold at 79c to 78c North Bay.

Barley—The market is quiet, with No. 1 quoted at 45c and extra at 47c. No. 2 at 40c, and feed at 29c to 30c.

Oats—Trade quiet, and prices unchanged. White wanted at 23c outside, and mixed sold west at 22c.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

McIntyre & Wardwell report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—May	67	68½	66¾	67⅜
" —July	66⅝	68	66⅝	67¼
Corn—May	30⅝	30¾	30¼	30⅞
" —July	31½	31¾	31⅜	31½
Oats—May	21¼	21½	21¼	21¼
" —July	21½	21½	21⅜	21½
Pork—May	10 35	10 50	10 35	10 47
" —July	....	....	....	10 62
Lard—May	5 80	5 82	5 75	5 77
" —July	5 92	5 95	5 90	5 90
Ribs—May	5 30	5 37	5 30	5 35
" —July	5 45	....	....	5 35

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FINANCIAL.

The local stock market was dull and firm to-day. Cable rose 1 per cent., selling at 158¾, and closing at 158½.

Postal Telegraph firmer, there being sales to-day at 84¾ to 85.

Consols are ⅛ lower, closing at 108⅛ for money and account.

Canadian Pacific weaker in London, closing at 59¼. St. Paul closed at 75⅝c, Erie at 16⅝, Reading at 7½, N.Y.C. at 100 and Illinois Central at 99½.

The Railway and Transportation Committee of the Board of Trade held their first meeting of the year yesterday.

A despatch from New York says: The Reichstag has passed the sugar bounty bill by a vote of 36 to 21. There is a good business in raw sugars at best recent prices. Sugar stock reached 109⅞, closing at 109⅝.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Rates of exchange, as reported by Aemilius Jarvis & Co., stock brokers, are as follows:

	Counter. Buy.	Counter. Sell.	Bet. Banks. Buy.	Bet. Banks. Sell.
N. Y. Funds	⅛ to ¼	¼ to ⅜	⅛ to 1-16 dis	⅛ to ⅛ dis
Stg. 60 days	9¾ to 9⅞	9⅞ to 10⅛	9⅝ to 9¾	9⅞ to 10⅛
do. demand	10 to 10⅛	10⅛ to 10⅜	9⅞ to 10	10⅛ to 10⅜

RATES IN NEW YORK.

Sterling, 60 days	Posted. 4.87	Actual. 4.86⅞ to 4.87
do. demand	4.88½	4.87⅞ to 4.88

MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is unchanged at 5½ to 6 per cent. At New York the rates were 5 to 6 per cent, but closed at 2½ to 3 per cent., while in Montreal they were 6 to 7, and at London at ¼ to ½ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 2, and the open market rates 15-16 to 1 per cent.

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Peas—The market is dull and heavy without buyers. Quotations are 50c to 51c north.

Buckwheat—The market is unchanged, being quoted outside at 33c.

Oatmeal—Business quiet, with prices unchanged at $2.90 to $3 on track and small lots at $3.25.

Corn—The market is steady, with offerings outside at 32½c and 32c bid.

Rye—The market is quiet, with sales outside at 48c.

THE FARMERS' MARKET.

The offerings of produce to-day show a little increase. Prices generally are steady. Hogs firm and pickled eggs weak. White wheat higher, a load selling at 85c. Receipts of 1200 bushels of barley, and 600 oats at unchanged prices. A load of blue peas sold at 57c. Hay in fair offer, 25 loads, and straw easy. Mr. Harris to-day was offering $4.40 for the best live hogs, weighed off cars.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Wheat, white, bushel	$0 84	to $0 85
" red winter	0 82	0 83
" goose	0 66	0 67
Barley, bushel	0 40	0 45
Oats, bushel	0 26½	0 27
Peas, bushel	0 55	0 57
Buckwheat, bushel	0 36	0 36½

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, per ton	$16 00	to $17 50
" baled, cars, per ton	14 50	14 75
Straw, per ton	10 50	11 00
" baled, cars, per ton	8 25	9 00

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, choice tub	$0 16	to $0 17
" bakers'	0 09	0 12
" pound rolls	0 17	0 20
" creamery, tub	0 20	0 21
" " rolls	0 21	0 23
Eggs, pickled, dozen	0 12½	0 13
" ordinary, dozen	0 15	0 17
" new laid, dozen	0 20	0 22

POULTRY AND PROVISIONS.

Chickens, pair	$0 40	to $0 60
Ducks, pair	0 70	0 80
Turkeys, per lb.	0 08	0 09
Geese, per lb.	0 05½	0 06½
Hogs, dressed, selected	5 25	5 40
" heavy	4 90	5 10
Smoked hams, per lb.	0 09½	0 10½
Backs, per lb.	0 08½	0 10
Rolls, per lb.	0 07	0 07½
Pork, mess	14 00	14 50
" short cut	14 50	14 75
" shoulder mess	12 00	13 00
Lard, per lb.	0 08¼	0 08¾
Bacon, per lb.	0 06½	0 07
Beef, forequarters, per lb.	0 03½	0 04
" hindquarters	0 04½	0 07
Mutton, per lb.	0 04½	0 06

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Feb. 5.—Wheat, spring, 5s 10d to 5s 10½d; red winter, 5s 10½d to 5s 11d; No. 1 California, 5s 10½d to 5s 11d; corn, new, 3s 2¼d; peas, 4s 9½d; pork, 53s 9d; lard, 28s 6d; tallow, 21s 3d; bacon, heavy, 26s 0d; do., light, 27s 0d; cheese, 45s 6d.

London, Feb. 5.—Opening—Wheat off coast nothing doing, on passage week English country markets steady. Maize on passage quiet.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures easy at 5s 9¼d for Feb., 5s 10d for March and 5s 9¾d for April, May and June. Maize quiet at 3s 2¼d for March, 3s 2d for April and 3s 2½d for May and June. Flour 10s 3d.

Paris wheat 19f 10c for March; flour 41f 15c for March.

London—Close—Wheat off coast nothing doing. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris wheat dull at 19f for March; flour easy at 40f 9c for March.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady at 5s 10¼d for March and 5s 10d for April, May and June. Maize firm at 3s 2½d for March, and 3s 2¼d for April. Flour 19s 3d.

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	Close. a.m.	Close. p.m.	Due. a.m.	Due. p.m.
G.T.R. East	6.00	7.45	7.30	9.40
O. & Q. Railway	7.45	8.00	7.20	7.40
G.T.R. West	7.30	3.25	12.40	p.m. 3.00
N. & N.W.	7.30	4.15	10.10	5.10
T., G. & B.	7.00	4.30	10.55	8.50
Midland	6.25	3.35	12.35	p.m. 9.20
C.V.R.	6.30	3.00	12.35	p.m. 8.50
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
G.W.R.	6.30	12.10 / 2.00 / 4.00 / 9.30	10 45	9.00 / 7.50 / 8.30
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
U.S.N.Y.	6.30	12.10 / 4.00	n. 10.45	9.00 / 10.50
U.S. Western States	6.30	12.10 / 4.00 / 9.30	9.00	8.30

English mails close on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 9.30 p.m., and on Thursdays at 7.15 p.m. Supplemental mails to Mondays and Thursdays close occasionally on Tuesdays and Fridays at 12 noon. The following are the dates of English mails for the month of February: 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 27.

N.B.—There are branch postoffices in every part of the city. Residents of each district should transact their Savings Bank and Money Order business at the local office nearest to their residence, taking care to notify their correspondents to make orders payable at such branch postoffice.

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET.

	Noon.		3.30 p.m.	
Montreal	220	217	219	217
Ontario	81	78	80	78
Toronto	240	234	240	234
Merchants'	166	163	166	163
Commerce	135½	135¼	135⅝	135⅜
Imperial	183½	182½	184	182½
Dominion	243	237	243	237
Standard	161½	160	162	160½
Hamilton	153	152	153	152
British America	116½	116	116½	116¼
West. Assurance	161	160	161	160
Consumers' Gas	196	195	196	195
Dominion Tele.	129½	125	127	125⅝
C N W L Co., pref.	51	...	51	...
C. P. R. Stock	59	58¼	59½	58¾
Tor Electric Light	...	141	...	141
Incan Light Co.	...	142	...	142
General Electric	70	60	...	60
Com Cable Co.	158⅝	158¼	159	158¾
Bell Tele Co	158	156	158	157
Montreal St Ry.	218	216	218	216
Toronto Ry Co.	75¼	74½	76	74½
Brit Can L & Inv.	112	...	...	...
B & L Assn.	80	...	...	...
Can L & N I Co.	110	107	...	...
Canada Perm	148	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	130	...	...	...
Canadian S & Loan	...	110	...	...
Central Can Loan	120	119½	...	...
Dom S & Inv Soc	...	81	...	...
Farmers' L & S.	103	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	80	...	...	...
Freehold L & S.	152½	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	94	...	...	...
Hamilton Prov	120	...	...	...
Hur & Erie L & S.	...	165	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	155	...	...
Imperial L & Inv.	110	103	...	...
Lon & Can L & A.	110	...	...	...
London Loan	...	102	...	...
London & Ontario	110	...	...	...
Manitoba Loan	100	...	...	...
Ontario L & D.	...	124½	...	...
People's Loan	39	...	...	...
Real Est., L & D.	65	...	...	...
Tor Sav & Loan	116½	114	...	...
Union L & S.	110	...	...	...
West Can L & S.	150	...	...	...
do. do. 25 p.c.	135½	...	...	...

Sales at 11.15 a.m.: Imperial, 1 at 183; Western Assurance, 50, 50 at 160; Cable, 25 at 158, 25 at 158⅛, 25 at 158¼; Canada Landed Loan, 5 at 108.

Sales at 1.15 p.m.: Imperial, 20 at 183; Standard, 20 at 161; Western Assurance, 20 at 160; Cable, 25, 25, 25 at 158¾, 25 at 158½; Canada Permanent Loan, 6 at 144½; Canada Landed, 1 at 108; Western Canada, 3 at 146.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Standard Bank, 30 at 161; Western Assurance, 50 at 160; Dominion Telegraph, 1 at 125; Telephone, 25 at 157.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—C.P.R., 59½ and 58¾; Duluth, 6½ and 6; do., pref., 15 and 14; Cable, 159½ and 158¾; Telegraph, 164 and 161½; Richelieu, 100 and 87; Street Railway, 217 and 216¾; Gas, 199½ and 198; Telephone, 158 and 157½; Toronto Street Railway, 75½ and 74⅞; Montreal, 219 and 217; People's, 6 and 2; Molsons, 177 asked; Merchants', 169 and 164; Merchants' of Halifax, 166 and 158; Commerce, 136 and 135; Northwest Land, pref., 50 asked.

Morning sales: C.P.R., 150 at 58¾; Duluth, 50 at 6; do., pref., 25 at 14, 25 at 13¾, 100 at 14; Cable, 3 at 157, 100 at 157½, 50 at 157¾; Telegraph, 7 at 162½; Street Railway, 150 at 217; Gas, 50 at 198; Montreal Bank, 216 at 218; Commerce, 3 at 134¾.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 25 at 158¼, 25 at 158½; Telephone, 30 at 157½; Montreal, 7 at 218, 1 at 217½.

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The range of prices is as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Sugar Trust	107¾	109⅞	107¾	109⅝
Amer. Tobacco	78¾	79½	78¾	79½
Cotton Oil	17⅞	18½	17⅞	18½
Canadian Pacific	....	....	....	58b
Atchison, 3 as's pd.	15⅞	16½	15½	16½
Chi., Bur. & Q.	78½	78¾	77⅞	78¾
Chicago Gas	65	66⅛	65	66
Canada Southern	49¾	50	49¾	50
C. C. C. & I.	36⅞	37⅛	36¼	37⅛
Dela. & Hudson	129	129¼	129	129¼
Dela., Lac. & W.	....	....	....	161b
Lake Shore	146⅜	146⅜	146⅜	146⅜
Louis. & Nashville	47⅞	48⅛	46¾	48
Kansas Texas, pref.	27	27½	26¾	27½
Manhattan	106¾	107½	106¼	107⅜
Missouri Pacific	23½	23⅞	22¾	23⅞
Leather	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼
do. pref.	65¾	67⅜	65½	67¼
Balt. & Ohio	41	41	41	41
N. Y. Central	98	98⅛	98	98
North. Pacific, pref.	15⅝	16	15⅝	16
Northwestern	101½	102¼	101⅜	102¼
General Electric	29¼	29¼	27½	29
Rock Island	72	73	71¼	73
Rubber	27	27⅜	25½	27⅜
Omaha	38	39	38	39
N. Y. Gas	157	157	155	156½
Pacific Mail	29¼	29¾	29	29¼
Phila. & Reading	14⅝	14¾	14	14¾
St. Paul	74	75¼	73⅝	75¼
Union Pacific	7⅞	8	7⅝	8
Western Union	84⅞	85¼	84¼	85¼
Distillers, paid-up	15⅞	16⅞	15⅞	16⅞
Jersey Central	109	109	108¾	108¾
National Lead	26¾	26¾	26½	26½
Wabash, pref.	17½	17¾	17	17¾
T. C. & I.	31⅜	32¾	30⅛	32¼
Southern Ruil	10⅝	10⅝	10¼	10⅝
do. pref.	30½	32	30½	32
Wheeling	12⅛	12⅝	12	12⅝

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TIPS FROM WALL-STREET.

The market closed very strong.

McIntyre & Wardwell send the following despatch to their branch office in Toronto: Subscriptions to the bond issue amounted to the phenomenal total of $680,000,000. It is believed that at least $565,000,000 of the amount were responsible bids. Some of the offers were evidently for effect or were made by eccentric people. The price of the sale ranges from 119 down to 110.68, the latter being the figure at which J. P. Morgan & Co. applied for any part of $100,000,000. It is thought that the firm in question will secure $30,000,000 to $40,000,000 of the bonds on this bid. The stock market was very strong this afternoon. It, however, evidently received a great deal of manipulation support and assistance. It closed buoyant at about the best prices of the day.

Earnings of Missouri Pacific for January increased $145,000.

The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar 36,700 shares, St. Paul 45,300, P. M. 2500, W. U. 4400, R. I. 13,200, N. P. 4800, J. C. 1200, Wax 2800, Reading 10,100, Mo. P. 11,500, L. & N. 10,500, Burlington 10,100, Atchison 9800, Manhattan 3200, T. C. I. 7400.

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CHICAGO GOSSIP.

Henry A. King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the following despatch today from Chicago:

Wheat opened ½c higher than last night's closing, and has ruled higher the better part of the session. Northwest receipts were somewhat smaller than yesterday, 446 cars, against 101 cars a year ago. The firmness was largely caused owing to the confirmation of the large quantity taken here for millers yesterday, amounting to about 200,000 bushels. A number of local traders who sold out on the break were heavy buyers on the decline, which helped to force a higher range of prices. May selling at one time at 68½c. Bradst