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AT OSGOODE HALL.

A Peculiar Action Regarding an Additional Signature to a Promissory Note—The Lists for To-Day.

In McLeod v. Noble, judgment was reserved by the Court of Appeal.

In Carrigue v. Beaty, judgment was also reserved. A promissory note for $500, payable one year after date, was made by William C. Beaty and James Beaty, in favor of Henry Carrigue. William C. Beaty was an accommodation maker. When the note became due it was not paid, and Mr. Carrigue, thinking that it ought to be paid, or that he get further security, Wm. C. and James Beaty, he says, procured John Albert Beaty to sign the note also as a maker. The question the court is called on to decide is not whether John Albert Beaty's signature to the note made it stronger, but, strange to say, whether it totally destroyed it. The Chancellor held that John Albert was really an endorser of the note, and that nothing had been done which had the effect of releasing him or the other makers. This court is now asked to overrule the Chancellor's decision.

TO-DAY'S LISTS.

Single Judge, at 10 a.m.: Canadian Mutual L. & I. Co. v. Nisbet, McArthur v. Beaton, re Schlueter, re Hughes, re Torrance, re Shanacy and Quinlan, Macpherson v. Toronto Hall & Building Co., Franklin v. McDonell.

Court of Appeal, at 11 a.m.: Clarke v. Buchanan, Armstrong v. Trusts Corporation, O'Neill v. Windham, Phillips v. Marsh, Boulton v. Boulton.

STRIKE ON PANAMA CANAL.

Negroes Cause Trouble and the Police are Kept Under Arms.

Colon, March 23.—There is a general strike among the negroes who were employed on the canal works at Culebra. Many of the strikers have arrived here. These men are under contract and the authorities will attempt to compel them to return to Culebra. It is feared that trouble will result when the attempt is made, as the negroes are apparently determined not to go back to work. They claim that the Canal Company is not observing the terms of the contract, and that they, therefore, have a perfect right to quit work. The situation is so critical that the police here are kept under arms.

The Noordland All Right.

London, March 23.—The Belgian steamer Noordland, Captain Loeswitz, from Antwerp, March 20, for New York, previously reported in collision with the Norwegian steamer Garonne, from Bordeaux, for Aberdeen, passed the Lizard to-day. She signalled that she had been in collision and had temporarily repaired the damage she sustained.

Railway News.

Michael Donnelly of Mount Forest, agent of the C.P.R., died on Saturday, aged 62.

W. T. Marlowe of the C.P.R. freight department, Union Station, has received an appointment with the company in Hong Kong.

The Dominion Construction Company has a large force of men ballasting the spur line at Hamilton and fixing it up so that the Canadian Pacific will be able to run trains early in the spring.

British Steamer Wrecked.

London, March 23.—The British steamer Salado, from Newport, Eng., for Buenos Ayres, has been wrecked off Lundy Island. All on board the steamer reached the shore in safety. The Salado was a steel schooner-rigged screw steamer of 1405 net and 2188 gross tons, 277 feet long, 39 feet beam. She was built at Middlesborough in 1890, and was owned by the Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railroad Company (A. Holland & Co.), Buenos Ayres.

Will He Follow Sullivan?

New York Press.

Hon. Mr. Corbett may now follow the example of Hon. Mr. Sullivan—abandon the tank-drama and become a tank.

Business Embarrassments.

A. T. Corp, painter, London, has assigned to C. B. Armstrong.

The millinery stock of the Misses Yates of Goderich has been sold at 15c on the dollar.

A. M. Thompson, boots and shoes, of Ottawa, has assigned to P. Larmouth, with liabilities in the neighborhood of $3000.

John McNaughton, general storekeeper, of Goderich, has assigned to R. G. Reynolds.

Charles McArthur, general merchant, Durham, has assigned to Langley & Hallworth. An offer of 70c on the dollar will be discussed at the meeting. The statement presented shows assets of $5000 and liabilities of $4000.

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MRS. ANNIE BESANT'S LECTURE.

She Talks About Theosophy in Chickering Hall, New York, and Showed Pictures of Astral Bodies.

New York, March 23.—For the first time on the American stage, in Chickering Hall, last night, Mrs. Annie Besant of London, the Theosophical leader, gave an exhibition of aurae. In other words, she showed, with the assistance of a lime light and a male assistant, pictures of astral bodies.

Mrs. Besant was attired in a long robe of white silk and wore a shawl of some soft white material, draped around her left shoulder. She was introduced by her friend, Countess Vochmeister, who announced forthcoming lectures with a clear enunciation and a ringing voice. Across the back of the stage was strung a white sheet, upon which the lime light pictures were projected. The hall was filled with well-dressed persons, whose faces showed indications of a high order of intelligence. Mrs. Besant was applauded before she began her exhibition, and after she had finished. At some periods there were titters but illy suppressed from the audience, but Mrs. Besant did not seem to notice them.

"It is my duty to lay before you," Mrs. Besant began, "thoughts which will provoke criticism in the minds of thoughtful people. Since I last had the pleasure of addressing an audience in this city I have spoken in nearly every quarter of the globe, and everywhere I have heard the cry, 'Where shall men find knowledge of the eternal? Where shall certainty be found in the shifting sands of life?' This is the question the Theosophists propose to answer."

Mrs. Besant explained that the Theosophist studies the type division of the body, soul and spirit. She asserted that the vibrations of the astral body can be distinguished by the trained eye; that, in the astral body, every vibration shows itself in colors, which can be studied over and over again. With the higher vision Theosophists can see the thoughts of men, recognizing them by their color and form.

The aurae she proposed to show, she explained, were reproductions of pictures of astral bodies and thought forms drawn by persons who had seen them. The astral body, invisible save to the elect, envelopes the physical body and spreads out according as the body is educated. The astral body of Buddha projected for miles.

Mrs. Besant then showed a series of pictures such as have been explained in The Journal, and, among others, a picture of a love message from one astral body to another was shown. It was of vivid red. This thought, Mrs. Besant said, travels through the atmosphere and affixes itself to the astral body of the person thought about, bringing much joy and hope.

The last three pictures were of casual bodies, the highest body of the soul. They were all pink, and Mrs. Besant said that the colors they present when seen by one who can see them are as far superior to a sunset as an electric light is to a tallow candle.

RIOTOUS SOCIALISTS.

They Smashed Windows and Played Havoc Among the Jews.

Vienna, March 23.—The victories in this city of the Christian Socialists in the elections for members of the Reichsrath have made them impatient of defeat in any direction, and to-day they gave a very pronounced disapproval of the election of a Liberal in the second ward of Vienna. The Christian Socialists, which party includes all the Jew-baiters, under the leadership of notorious Dr. Lueger, were indignant when they learned of the defeat of their candidate, and to give vent to their feelings a large crowd, composed principally of anti-Semites, made attacks upon the stores kept by Jews in the district. They smashed windows and assaulted several of the shopkeepers, three of whom were seriously injured. The crowd had things all their own way for a time, but the police suddenly swooped down upon them, and, after arresting 50 of the more demonstrative of the rioters, dispersed the mob.

Working at the Problem.

Hamilton Times (March 17): We cannot see that any system of license or progressive taxation, with the intent of getting rid of the departmental store, could be made effective. If one city adopted it, another city would get all the trade. Make it applicable to the whole of Ontario, and mail orders would go to Montreal. If repression by such means were profitable, it would be impracticable. The experiment will, in our opinion, have to be worked out to the bitter end.

Hamilton Herald (March 17): Good judges have estimated that the department stores have caused a shrinkage of real estate values in Toronto amounting to several millions of dollars.

Now the question is, Is not the government of a community justified in checking an evil which threatens disaster to the community as a whole? It may be said that to interfere with the department store by a system of graded taxation would be class legislation. Perhaps it would be. But the exemption of $700 income from taxation is also class legislation; and the graded scale of succession duties is also class legislation; yet there are few who protest against either the one or the other on the ground of injustice. It may be affirmed as a general principle that a community is justified in interfering with private business in order to prevent serious injury to the community as a whole.

Colored Man Shot a Colored Woman.

Brooklyn, March 23.—Hadley Stouthland, colored, in a jealous frenzy, this morning, shot and killed Sarah Wrenn, also colored, with whom he had been living. He chased her from their apartments, firing at her as she ran. The woman succeeded in reaching the street, but a bullet from her pursuer's revolver struck her in the side, when but a short distance from the house, and she fell to the street, dying shortly after Southland was arrested, but only after a struggle, during which he tried to shoot a policeman.

Ruling as to Rates.

New York, March 23.—The Board of Managers of the Joint Traffic Association have made a ruling fixing the rate on dressed beef and articles, car loads, from Buffalo and Niagara Junction to points taking less than Albany rate on basis of third-class rates

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Her Cargo on Fire.

London, March 23.—The British steamer Astronomer, Captain Whitmore, from New Orleans, March 3, for Liverpool, passed Kinsale to-day. She signalled that her cargo was on fire.

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CHICAGO WHEAT STRONGER

The Crop Reports From Illinois Are Very Bad.

LIVERPOOL IS DEPRESSED.

Business on the Canadian Stock Exchanges Fairly Active.

Commercial Cable Weak and Montreal Gas Lower—A Slight Advance in Consols—Activity on Wall-Street—Prices Were Depressed—Lard is Weaker in Liverpool—A Large Decrease in the World's Visible Supply of Wheat—Latest Commercial News.

Tuesday Evening, March 23.

Lard is 3d lower in Liverpool.

Liverpool wheat futures 1¼d to 1½d lower and corn ¼d to ½d lower.

Cash wheat in Chicago ⅝c higher at 72½c.

May wheat on curb 73½c.

Puts on May wheat 72½c, calls 74⅛c.

Puts on May corn 24⅝c, calls 24⅝c to 24¾c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.22 for March.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 18, corn 222, oats 187. Estimated for Wednesday: Wheat 15, corn 140, oats 110.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 410 cars, as against 705 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Receipts of hogs at Chicago to-day 11,000, or 7000 less than expected. Estimated for Wednesday 20,000. Market weak and 5c lower.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 7810 barrels and 6062 sacks; wheat 8087 bushels. Exports at four ports of flour and wheat equal 240,000 bushels.

Bradstreet reports a decrease in the world's visible supply of wheat of 5,000,000 bushels for the week. Corn decreased 871,000 bushels.

Stocks of wheat at Port Arthur and Fort William are 2,901,800 bushels, as against 2,874,918 bushels last week, and 3,445,616 bushels a year ago.

Prime says that practically no seeding has been done yet, and no prospect for ten days at least. Receipts of grain are only nominal, and not likely to increase. The season is late, and how much of the backwardness will be overcome the future can only reveal.

The weekly export of corn from the United States of nearly 4,000,000 bushels indicates that the March clearances are likely to exceed the 20,000,000 bushels output for February. There was a report from Kansas City of exporters at Southern ports trying to resell corn which was found too soft for foreign shipment. Several houses had evidence of a fresh export movement. Even the great export movement has caused no sign of weakening in prices on the other side.

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LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	72½c	73⅛c
New York	80⅞c	79⅞c
Milwaukee	72⅞c	73⅞c
St. Louis	94c	90c
Toledo	..	95¼c
Detroit	90½c	92⅛c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	75c	..
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	73⅝c	74½c
Toronto, white	76c	..
Toronto, No. 1 hard	87c	..

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LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Straight rollers nominal at $3.65 to $3.70.

Bran—Trade quiet, with offerings limited; ton lots quoted at $11 to $12 west, and shorts $10 to $11 for car lots.

Wheat—There is a moderate trade, with prices firmer. Red winter sold at 74c and white at 75c on the Northern. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 84c Midland, and it offers at 87c west, with 86c bid. No. 2 hard quoted at 82c Midland.

Buckwheat—The demand is limited, with sales at 25c east.

Barley—The market is steady, with a moderate demand. No. 1 quoted at 31c, No. 2 at 28c, No. 3 extra at 24c to 25c, and No. 3 sold at 21c.

Oats—The demand is fair, and prices firm. Sales of white at 18c to 18½c west, and of mixed at 17½c.

Peas—The market is quiet with sales at 38½c, north and west.

Corn—There is a moderate demand, with holders asking 28c for new.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots $2.80 to $2.90.

Rye—The market is dull; a car sold at 32c middle freight.

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TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts at the Western yards to-day were smaller than usual, being 33 car loads, including 150 head of sheep and lambs and 700 to 800 hogs. There were a good many inferior cattle in, and they sold slowly. Choice shipping cattle sold at 4c to 4¼c per lb., and ordinary at 3½c to 3¾c. Choice bulls are quoted at 3c to 3½c. Stockers sold at 2¾c to 3c. Butchers' cattle in moderate demand and firm, best qualities selling at 3¼c to 3⅜c; good to medium at 2½c to 2⅝c, and inferior at 2c to 2¼c per lb. Milch cows sell at $20 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

The following are the live stock shipments to the East Buffalo market: J. B. Shields, 81 head; J. L. Atkins, 150 head; J Rowntree, 155 head; Crawford & Co., 126 head.

Sheep and lambs steady, with receipts of 150 head. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and butchers' at 2½c to 2¾c. Lambs are firm, there being sales at 5c to 5½c per lb.

Hogs are firm for choice light qualities. The best sold at 5¼c, weighed off cars; thick fats at 4¼c to 4⅜c; lightweights at 4½c; sows at 3½c to 3½c, and stags at 2½c per pound.

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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

The receipts of grain to-day were moderate and prices generally unchanged. Wheat steady, 200 bushels of goose selling at C2½c to 63c. Red winter 74c and white 75c. Barley unchanged, with sales of 400 bushels at 27c to 30c. Oats steady, 300 bushels selling at 21c to 22½c. Peas sold at 41½c for 200 bushels. Hay steady, no outside offering at $11 to $13 a ton. Straw sold at $7 to $8 for a few loads. Fresh eggs 11c per dozen in case lots. Dressed hogs $6.25 to $6.75 for choice lightweights and $5.25 to $5.35 for heavy.

Wheat, white, bushel	$ 0 75	to $0 76
" red, bushel	0 73	0 74
" goose, bushel	0 62½	0 63
Barley, bushel	0 26	0 30
Oats, bushel	0 21	0 22½
Peas, bushel	0 41	0 42
Potatoes, bag	0 30	0 35
" car lots	0 20	0 21
Apples, barrel	1 25	2 00
Turnips, bag	0 15	0 25
Beets, bag	0 20	0 25
Red carrots, per bag	0 25	0 30
Cabbage, per doz	0 40	0 50
" red, per dozen	11 00	12 00
Hay, ton	8 00	10 00
" baled, ton	4 00	5 00
Straw, loose, ton	7 00	8 00
" sheaf, ton	8 50	9 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	5 50	6 75
Beef, forequarters	3 50	4 50
Veal, carcase, cwt	5 50	7 50
Mutton, carcase, cwt	5 00	6 75
Yearling lamb, carcase, per lb	0 08	0 09
Spring lambs, each	4 00	6 00
Dressed hogs, light, cwt	6 00	6 75
" heavy, cwt	5 25	5 50
Spring lambs, each	5 00	6 00
Turkeys, lb	0 10	0 12½
Geese, lb	0 06	0 07
Ducks, pair	0 80	1 00
Chickens, pair	0 50	0 75
Butter, lb. rolls, per lb	0 15	0 23
Eggs, new-laid, doz	0 11	0 12
" " case lots, doz	0 10½	0 12
Onions, bag	1 25	1 75
Alsike, clover seed, bu	4 25	4 35
Red clover, bu	4 90	5 10
Timothy, seed, bu	1 40	1 45

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Wheat—May	72⅝	73⅝	72½	73½
" —July	70⅝	72⅝	70⅝	72½
Corn—May	24½	24¾	24½	24⅝
" —July	25½	25¾	25½	25¾
Oats—May	17⅛	17¼	17⅛	17¼
" —July	18	18¼	18	18¼
Pork—May	8 62	8 77	8 62	8 75
" —July	8 75	8 87	8 75	8 85
Lard—May	4 15	4 25	4 15	4 22
" —July	4 25	4 35	4 22	4 32
Ribs—May	4 70	4 70	4 65	4 65
" —July	4 70	4 72	4 67	4 70

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BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, March 23.—Spring wheat, 6s 4½d to 6s 6½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 3½d to 6s 5d; corn, 2s 7½d; peas, 4s 3d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 22s 0d; bacon, l. c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 27s 0d; do., short cut, 25s 6d; tallow 20s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 57s 6d.

London—Opening—Wheat on passage easy. Maize on passage easy.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures lower at 6s 2¼d for May, 6s 2½d for July and 6s 3d for Sept. Maize quiet at 2s 7¾d for April, 2s 8½d for May, and 2s 9¾d for July. Flour 23s

Paris—Wheat 21f 60c for April. Flour 44f 95c for March and April.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat dull at 6s 2d for May and July and 6s 0½d for Sept. Maize 2s 7½d for April, 2s 8½d for May and 2s 9¾d for July. Flour 22s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast quiet, on passage dull. Maize on passage steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat weak at 21f 30c for April. Flour 44f 60c for March and April.

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FINANCIAL.

Canadian stocks were quiet and irregular to-day. Cable and Montreal Gas were lower

Montreal Gas was to-day listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

Consols are ⅛ higher to-day, closing at 112 1-16 for money and 112⅛ for account.

Canadian Pacific is unchanged, closing in London at 50. St. Paul closed at 79⅝, Erie at 14½, Reading at 11⅞, N.Y.C. at 104⅛ and Ill. Central at 98.

The bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day was £436,000.

Three per cent. rentes in Paris are easier at 102f 45c.

United States 4 per cent. bonds are quoted at 123 to 123⅛.

The net gold balance of the United States Treasury is $151,441,000.

Postal Telegraph Company will make a bid for the quotations which the New York Stock Exchange say they will not renew with Western Union.

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MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is unchanged at 4½ per cent. for call loans. At Montreal the rate is 4, at London 1½, and at New York 1½ to 1¾ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 3, and the open market rate 1⅝ per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Aemilius Jarvis & Co., 23 King-street west, stocks and exchange brokers, Toronto, report local rates to-day as follows:

	—Counter— Buy.	Sell.	—Bet. Banks— Buy.	Sell.
N. Y. Funds	¼	to	5-64 to 1-10 pm.	
Stg. 60 days	9½	to	9⅝	9 5-16 to 9 7-16
do. demand	10	to	10⅛	9 11-16 to 9 13-16

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Montreal, March 23.—C.P.R., xd., 50½ and 49½; Duluth, 4 and 2½; do., pref., 10 and 7; Cable, xd., 164 and 163; Cable, reg. bonds, ex-int., 168½ and 165½; Telegraph, 170 and 166½; Richelieu, 90 and 86½; Street Railway, 226⅝ and 226¼; Gas, 192½ and 191⅝; Telephone, 162 and 160⅝; Toronto St. Ry., 70⅝ and 70; Montreal Bank, 230 and 227; Molsons, 190 bid; Merchants', 175 and 171; Commerce, 130 and 125; Toronto, 232 and 228; Ontario, 84 and 83.

Morning sales: Cable, 50 at 163¾, 100 at 163½; Telegraph, 5 at 167; Street Railway, 5 at 226½, 100 at 226⅝; Gas, 50, 21 at 192½, 75 at 192¼, 25 at 192, 100 at 191½; do., xd., 75 at 188⅝, 75 at 187½; Royal Electric, 5, 50 at 141, 25 at 141½, 15 at 141¾; Toronto Bank, 16 at 228½; Merchants', 2 at 172; Eastern Townships, 10 at 145.

Afternoon sales: Toronto Railway, 25 at 70¼; Gas, xd., 100 at 187½, 250 at 187¼.

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET.

	1 p.m.		3.30 p.m.	
Montreal	231	227	230	226
Ontario	85	82¾	85	82¾
Toronto	231	228½	231	228½
Merchants'	174	170	175	170
Commerce	127½	127	127½	127
Imperial	183	182	183	182
Dominion	232½	231¼	232	230½
Standard	168½	166⅝	169	166⅝
Hamilton	159	156	159	156
British America	119	117¾	119	117¾
West. Assurance	159	158¼	158¾	158.
Consumers' Gas	205	202	206	203
Dom. Telegraph	126	124½	126	124⅝
Montreal Gas	192½	191½	192½	191½
do. xd.	188	187½	188¼	187½
C N W L Co., pref.	50	....	50	40
C P R Stock	51	50	50½	50
Toronto Electric, xd	134	132¼	133	132
General Electric	80	....	80	....
Com Cable Co.	163¾	163⅝	163¾	163½
Registered Bonds	96⅞	96⅝	97	96¾
Coupon Bonds	98½	97½	98½	97½
Bell Telephone	162	160⅝	161¼	160½
Toronto Railway	70⅝	70	70⅝	70
Fraser River	184	180½	185	181
Empress	21	20	22	20
Brit. Can L & I	102	....	....	....
B & L As	75	....	....	....
Can L & N I Co.	105	105	....	....
Canada Perm	119	....	....	....
do. do. 20 p.c.	110	....	....	....
Can S & L	....	105	....	....
Cent. Can Loan	120½	118¼	....	....
Dom S & I Soc	78½	77	....	....
Farmers' L & S	90	....	....	....
do. do. 20 p.c.	70	....	....	....
Freehold L & S	95	90	....	....
do. do. 20 p.c.	80	....	....	....
Hamilton Provident	110	....	....	....
Huron & Erie L & S	....	158	....	....
do. do. 20 p.c.	....	148	....	....
Imperial L & I	100	....	....	....
Landed P & L	112½	....	....	....
Lon. & Can L & A	90	....	....	....
London Loan	....	100	....	....
London & Ont.	100	....	....	....
Manitoba Loan	100	....	....	....
Ontario L & D	....	119	....	....
People's Loan	40	28	....	....
Real Est L & D	65	....	....	....
Union L & S	100	....	....	....
West. Can L & S	....	110½	....	....
do. 25 p.c.	100	97	....	....

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Cable, 25 at 164¼; Empress, 500, 500 at 20⅝, 100 at 20¾, 1000, 500 at 20.

Sales at 1 p.m.: Bank of Commerce, 3 at 127; Gas, 8, 5, 5, 22, 11, 29 at 203; Montreal Gas, 50 at 192; do., xd., 75 at 187⅝; Cable, 25 at 163⅝, 50, 50 at 163¾; Canada Permanent Loan, 20 at 118.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Bank of Commerce, 2 at 127; Dom. Telegraph, 5 at 125; Montreal Gas, xd., 25 at 187⅝; C.P.R., 25 at 50¼.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Sugar	114¼	114⅝	112½	113
Am. Tobacco	76	76	75½	75⅝
Am. Spirits	12⅛	12⅛	12½	12½
Cotton Oil	....	....	....	11b
C & O	17½	17⅝	17¼	17¼
Atchison	11⅝	11⅝	11⅜	11⅜
C, B & Q	76⅝	76⅝	74⅝	74⅝
Chicago Gas	81	81⅛	80	80½
Canada Southern	48⅝	48⅝	47⅝	48
C C C & I	31	31	29⅝	29⅞
Del & Hudson	108	108	107⅝	107⅝
D, L & W	154¼	154¼	154¼	154¼
Erie	....	....	....	13⅝b
Louis & Nashville	48½	48⅝	48	48
Kansas Texas, pref	31	31	30	30
Manhattan	83	83	83⅝	84¼
Missouri Pacific	18¼	18½	17⅞	17⅞
Pacific, pref.	57½	57⅝	57¼	57⅝
Balt & Ohio	....	....	....	15¾b
N Y C	101½	101⅝	99⅝	100
North Pacific, pref.	36½	36½	35⅝	36
Northwestern	108¼	108⅝	107¼	107¼
Gen. Electric Co.	35⅝	35⅝	34	34½
Rock Island	68¼	68⅝	66⅝	66⅝
Rubber	15½	15½	15¼	15¼
Omaha	61½	61⅝	59½	59½
Union Pacific	6¼	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛
N Y Gas	157½	157½	156⅞	156⅞
Pacific Mail	27½	27½	26½	26⅝
Phil. & Reading	22⅝	23¼	22½	22⅝
St. Paul	77¼	77¼	76½	76⅝
Western Union	84	84	83	83
Jersey Central	85⅝	85⅞	84⅝	85⅝
National Lead	23⅝	23⅝	23½	23½
Wabash, pref.	14	14	13⅞	13⅞
T C & I	27	27⅛	26⅝	27
Southern Rail	8⅝	8⅝	....	8⅝
do. pref	28¼	28¼	27½	27⅝

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TIPS FROM WALL-STREET.

The market was active and heavy at the close.

The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar 26,600 shares, St. Paul 17,900, N.Y.C. 6800, Rock Island 6400, Jersey Central 18,300, Reading 6300, N.Q. 5000, Mo. P. 1500, L. & N. 3500, Burlington 19,400, Omaha 10,100, Chicago Gas 12,300, Manhattan 4700, T.C.I. 1600, Tobacco 2000, Southern pr. 2500, Leather pr. 2100.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) send the following despatch to their branch office in Toronto:

Long stock is the cause of to-day's decline in the market. The Supreme Court decision in the Trans-Missouri case yesterday disturbed a good many plans for higher prices, and brought about the liquidation. It is a new speculative factor, and its effect cannot be estimated yet. Railroad men take different views of the subject. Some say the law cannot be enforced, and think the decision is a strained construction of fact, and that it would cause such utter chaos in railroad industry that Congress will have to repeal it. Burlington developed special weakness, and it is not surprising, in view of the very high price at which the stock is selling. But all Grangers were weak. Jersey Central closed three points down on the day's trading. Reading was active and lower. In the Industrial list, Sugar led in activity and weakness. Foreign news has been more pacific to-day. The New York Central funding syndicate, it is thought, is about completed. The total transactions to-day amounted to 195,000 shares. At the close the tone was weak.

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CHICAGO GOSSIP.

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

The bulls in the wheat trade met with disappointment from the start. The Liverpool cables were weak and 1¼d lower. The continental markets showed no firmness. The Northwest receipts were much heavier at 410 cars, against 250 last week and 705 last year. Bradstreet's showed a decrease of 5,000,000 bush. There were no outside orders or export sales. There were reported sales of 70,000 bush cash wheat to millers. The cable news told of a blockade of the ports of Crete, but the intimations were that the forces displayed by the great powers will result in the end in some peaceful settlement. The cablegrams intimated that neither of the principals in the controversy can long sustain the armies which have been called to the front. Altogether, the foreign situation lent less assistance to buyers than the uncertainty of last week. More than anything else, on the bear side, was the milder weather, the sunshine, the pretty general belief that crop damage has been exaggerated, and the outlook now for a bumper crop in the Southwestern States, while Illinois is the only one liable to show anything like serious shortage. It was on this class of news that wheat opened on a down turn. Paris cables stated tendency is weak, with inclination to operate. The only support of prices lies with the political eventualities. Without them, we think it would be considerably lower by this time. Nobody anticipates any serious political disturbances, and, consequently, a sharp decline is daily expected. During the last hour the market had a rally of ½c on good buying of Brosseau, Barrett and others, and closed inactive and dull around the