BROOKLYN GAS HITS HIGHEST LEVEL

Speculative Favorites on Wall Street Give Way to Irregular Prices.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, May 7.—Selling orders were distributed in Congoleum and Colorado Fuel, the latter breaking two points, but other stocks forged upwards, particularly the oils and railroads. Some of the non-dividend paying rails were more active especially New Haven. Wabash preferred A, Seaboard Air Line preferred and Rock Island. International Harvester got up 2¾, and American Can, Woolworth and Northwestern were included in the shares, which showed advances of two points or better.

New York, May 7—Wall Street, noon.—Although initial buoyancy in industrials later gave way to an irregular trend, steadiness of speculative favorites encouraged operations for the rise in various sections of the list. Brooklyn Union Gas moved up 1½ to a new high price for the year at 63½. Favorable earnings influenced buying of Air Reduction and Otis Elevator, both of which gained more than 2 points. Coppers continued to give a good demonstration of group strength, and Western Pacific, Northwestern, Canadian Pacific and Louisville and Nashville led an advance in the railroad list. Realizing sales brought about a 3-point loss in Fisher Body. Independent weakness cropped out in Kelsey Wheel, which dropped 3 points to a 1924 low at 75, and heaviness developed in Mallinson and American Waterworks. Call money opened at 3½ per cent.

BUTCHER CATTLE PRICES ADVANCE

Few Heavy Steers Are Offered With 1,700 Stale Head On Hand.

Canadian Press Despatch

Toronto, May 7.—Including stale cattle, there are 1,700 for sale. Trade opened briskly at the week's advance. Few heavy steers are offered. Butchers sold from $6 to $8, according to quality. Cows and bulls are firm. Stockers and feeders are selling slow at $4.50 to $6.75 per cwt.

Calves are steady at $11 for tops. The bulk sold between $4.50 and $9 per cwt.

Packers are bidding 25c lower for hogs. Prospects are uncertain.

A few yearling lambs brought $15.50 to $16.50 per cwt. with spring lambs at $8 to $15 each. Sheep are strong.

Quotations:

Cattle—Receipts, 1,120.			
Beef steers, heavy	$7 50	to	$8 50
Butcher steers—			
Good to choice	7 00	to	8 00
Fair to good	6 50	to	7 00
Common to fair	5 50	to	6 50
Butcher heifers—			
Good to choice	6 75	to	7 75
Fair to good	6 00	to	6 75
Common to fair	5 50	to	6 00
Butcher cows—			
Good to choice	5 00	to	8 25
Fair to good	4 00	to	5 00
Canners and cutters	1 50	to	2 50
Butcher bulls, good	4 50	to	5 25
do, fair	4 00	to	4 50
do, bologna	2 50	to	3 50
Feeding steers, good	6 00	to	6 75
do, fair	5 50	to	6 00
Stockers, good	5 50	to	6 00
do, fair	5 00	to	5 50
Milch cows, choice	60 00	to	80 00
Springers, choice	70 00	to	90 00
Calves—Receipts, 563.			
Calves, choice	10 00	to	11 00
do, medium	7 00	to	9 00
do, grassers	4 25	to	6 50
Hogs—Receipts, 4,122.			
Hogs, select bacon	8 50	to	8 50
do, thick smooth	7 75	to	7 75
do, light	6 50	to	6 50
do, heavy	7 00	to	7 00
do, sows	4 50	to	5 50
Sheep—Receipts, 251.			
Sheep, good light	8 50	to	10 00
do, heavy and bucks	6 00	to	8 50
do, culls	4 00	to	6 00
Lambs, ewes, good	15 00	to	16 50
do, bucks	12 50	to	15 00
do, medium	14 00	to	14 50
do, culls	10 00	to	12 00

CHICAGO.

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, May 6. — Cattle — Receipts 16,000. Beef steers and yearlings closing more active tha nearly; mostly 10c to 15c lower than yesterday's high time. Spots off more on medium yearlings; later class numerous. Top matured steers $12.25; few loads $11 to $11.75; part load long yearlings $11; best in load lots $10.75; numerous loads light beef heifers $8.25 to $9.25; some $9.85 to $10; fat she stock less desirable uality considered about steady, slow; bulls closing weak to 15c lower; bulk bolognas $4.35 to $4.65; vealers mostly 25c higher; bulk to packers $8 to $9; few to outsiders upward to $10.50; stockers and feeders scarce, firm; bulk $6.85 to $8.50; meaty quality kind, upward to $10 on country accounts.

Hogs—Receipts 28,000; uneven; desirable weighty butchers steady to strong; light weights steady to 5 cents lowre; packing sows steady to 10c higher; closed slow; killing pigs unchanged; bulk good and choice 250 to 325-pound butchers $7.40 to $7.50; top $7.55; bulk better grades 160 to 225 pounds $7.20 to $7.45; bulk desirable 140 to 150-pound average $6.80 to $7.10; bulk packing sows $6.70 to $6.90; bulk good and choice strong weight killing pigs $6 to $6.50; estimated holdover $14,000.

EAST BUFFALO.

Associated Press Despatch.

East Buffalo, N.Y., May 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 75; active and steady.

Calves—Receipts, 250; active; choice, $11.50 to $12; fair to good, $8.50 to $11; culls, $4 to $8; heavy, $6 to $8; grassers, $3 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,800; slow; pigs 25c higher, others 5c to 10c higher; heavy, 8.05; mixed, $8 05 to $8.20; yorkers, $8.40 to $8.20; do, light, $7.50 to $8.10; pigs, $7.25 to $7.50; roughs, $6.50; stags, $4 to $4.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,400; active and steady; lambs, $7 to $15.50; yearlings, $8 to $12; wethers, $9.50 to $10.25; ewes, $3 to $8.50; mixed sheep, $9 to $9.50.

POTATOES

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, May 6.—The tone of the potato market is firm. Per bag, carlots, $1.40 to $1.45.

FLOUR

Montreal, May 6.—Indications are that flour prices will be marked up in the near future. There was no change in millfeed, and local trade in rolled oats was quiet.

Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, $6.10; seconds, $5.60; strong bakers, $5.40; winter patents, choice, $5.55 to $5.65.

Rolled oats—Bag, 90 lbs., $2.80.

Bran—Per ton, $25.25.

Shorts—Per ton, $27.25.

Middlings—Per ton, $33.25.

Toronto, May 6.—Manitoba flour, first patents, $6.10, Toronto; second patents, $5.60, Toronto.

Ontario flour—90 per cent patents, $4.60, in jute bags, Montreal and Toronto; $4.25, bulk, seaboard.

Good fed flour—$1.90 per bag.

Bran—Per ton, $25.

Shorts—Per ton, $27.

Middlings—Per ton, $33.

How the Stocks Closed Today

New York

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum.
New York, May 7.—Close.

Stocks—	Open	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem	72¾	73	72⅝	72⅝
Am Beet Sugar	40¼	40¾	40¼	40⅝
Am Can Co	102⅞	104⅝	102⅞	103½
Am Hide, pfd	54⅝	54⅞	54½	54½
Am Ice	88	88	88	88
Am Int Corp	23¼	23⅝	23	23¼
Am S and C	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Am Smelting	64⅝	65⅝	64⅝	64¾
Am Sugar Refin	43¾	44¼	42⅝	43
Am T and T	125⅝	125¾	125⅝	125¾
Am Woolen	65½	66¼	65½	65⅞
Anaconda Copper	32¼	32½	31¾	32
A T and S F	100¾	100⅞	100¾	100⅞
Atlantic Gulf	16¼	16¾	16¼	16¾
Baldwin Loco	113⅝	113⅝	112½	113
Balt & Ohio	53	53¼	53	53⅛
Bethlehem Steel	49¾	49⅞	49½	49¾
C. P. R.	148	148⅝	148	148
Cal. Pet.	24⅛	24⅛	23⅞	23⅞
Cen. Leather	12⅛	12⅜	12¼	12⅜
do, pfd.	40⅛	41¾	40⅛	41½
Cerro de Pasco	45⅝	46⅜	45⅝	46⅛
Chandler Motor	45½	45⅞	45	45
Ches. and Ohio	74⅝	74⅝	74¼	74¼
C., R. I. and P.	24½	25¼	24⅜	25
Chi. and Alton	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Chi. and G. W. p.	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Chile Copper	28	28	27⅞	27⅞
Chino Copper	16½	16¾	16½	16½
Coca Cola	66	66	65¼	65½
Col. F. and I.	41¾	42½	39	39½
Contin. Can	47⅜	47⅞	47¼	47⅜
Computing	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞
Consol. Gas	65⅝	65⅝	64¾	65
Con. Textile	3⅜	3⅜	3¼	3¼
Corn Prod. new	34¾	35⅛	34¾	35⅛
Cosden Co.	32	32⅜	31¼	31¼
Crucible Steel	53½	53½	53½	53½
Cuba C. Sugar	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
do, pfd.	58½	58½	57⅝	57¾
Cuban Am. Sgr.	32¼	32¼	32	32
Davison Chem.	52⅝	52⅝	51⅞	51⅞
Dome Mines	16	16	16	16
Dupont	121¼	121½	121	121
Eastman Kodak	107	107	106⅞	106⅞
Erie Railway	25	25¼	25	25¼
do, 1st pfd.	32⅞	33¼	32¾	33
Fleischmann	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Famous Players	69⅞	70	69½	69½
Fisk Rubber	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Gen. Asphalt	36¾	36⅞	36⅛	36⅛
Gen. Electric	220¾	222½	220	220¼
Gen. Motors	13⅜	13¾	13⅝	13¾
Gt. North. Ore	27⅝	27⅝	27½	27½
do, pfd.	58⅛	58⅜	57¾	57⅞
Gulf States Steel	68½	68½	68⅛	68⅛
Houston Oil	65	65	63⅞	63⅞
Hudson Motors	23	23	23	23
Hupp Motors	12⅜	12½	12¼	12¼
Insp. Copper	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞
Inter. Transit	21¾	22¼	21¾	22
Inter. Harvester	84½	87	84½	86½
In. Mer. Marine	9⅜	9¾	9⅜	9¾
do, pfd.	37½	37½	36½	36⅝
Inter. Nickel	12	12	11⅝	12
Inter. Paper	38⅝	38⅝	38¼	38¼
Invincible Oil	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Kelly-Spring.	15½	15½	15¼	15¼
Kenn. Copper	39	39⅝	39	39⅛
Lehigh Valley	41¼	41⅜	41	41
Lima Loco.	60	60¼	60	60¼
Maryland Oil	32¾	33¼	32¼	32¾
Mallinson Co.	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
May Stores	87½	87½	87½	87½
Mack Truck	80⅝	81½	80½	81¼
Maxwell M, A	43	43½	43	43⅛
Miami Copper	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Middle States Oil.	3⅝	3⅝	3½	3½
Mex Seaboard	19⅞	20⅞	19⅞	20
M K and T	11	11⅛	11	11⅛
Missouri Pacific	13	13⅛	13	13⅛
do, pfd	41¼	41¾	41	41½
Mother Lode	8	8	8	8
National Lead	131	132	131	131¼
New York Central	101¾	101⅞	101⅝	101¾
N Y-N Haven	19⅛	20⅛	19⅛	19⅝
Norfolk & West	123½	123¾	123	123
North American	24	24⅛	23⅞	23⅞
Northern Pacific	52½	53	52½	52¾
Philip Petroleum.	37¾	38⅜	37½	38
Pan-American	48½	49¼	48¾	49¼
do, B	46⅝	47¾	46⅜	47½
Pennsylvania	44	44	43¾	43¾
Penn S Steel	1⅞	1⅞	1¾	1¾
People's Gas	94	94	93½	93½
Pere Marquette	47⅞	48	47⅝	47⅝
Pierce Oil	1⅞	2⅛	1⅝	2⅛
Pittsburg Coal	58¾	58¾	58¾	58¾
Pressed Steel Car	49	49	49	49
Prod and Refin	25	25½	24⅞	25¼
Ray C Copper	9⅞	10	9⅞	10
Reading Co	53	53⅛	53	53
Republic Iron	46	46¼	46	46⅛
Reynolds Tobs	67	67¼	67	67¼
Reynolds Spring.	14	14	14	14
Royal Dutch	55¼	55¼	55¼	55¼
Shell Union	17⅛	17⅜	17⅛	17⅜
Sears-Roebuck	84¼	84½	84	84
Shulte Stores	104½	104½	104	104
Sinclair Oil	20	20⅜	18⅝	19½
Southern Pacific	88⅞	89½	88⅛	89
Southern Railway.	53¼	53½	53¼	53½
do, pfd	71¼	71⅞	71¼	71⅞
St. Paul	14½	14½	14¼	14¼
do, pfd	26⅞	27	26	26⅛
Stan Oil, Cal	57⅝	59¼	57⅝	58½
do, N J	35½	36½	35⅝	36⅜
Stewart-Warner	67	67¼	66½	67
Stromberg	63½	63½	63½	63½
Studebaker	85½	86⅜	85⅛	86⅛
St L and S F	21¼	21¼	21	21
Texas Co	41	41⅛	40¾	40¾
Tex-Gulf Sulphur	60	60	60	60
Tex-Pacific Oil	9¾	9⅞	9¾	9⅞
Tex & Pacific	30½	30½	29¾	29¾
Timken Roller	35½	35⅞	35½	35⅞
Tobacco Products.	59	59½	58⅝	59
Transcon. Oil	4⅛	4⅛	4	4⅛
Union Pacific	131	131	130⅞	130⅞
U. S. C. I. Pipe	90	90⅛	88¼	89½
U. S. In. Alcohol.	68¼	69½	68⅛	68⅞
U. S. Rubber	29¼	29⅜	29⅛	29⅜
U. S. Steel	98¾	99⅛	98¼	98⅜
Utah Copper	68¼	68½	68¼	68½
Vanadium Corp.	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝
Vivandau, Inc.	8	8	8	8
Wabash, A	45⅝	46	45⅝	45½
do, com.	16	16⅜	16	16
Westinghouse	56½	56½	56¼	56⅞
White Motor	52½	52⅝	52½	52⅝
Wilson & Co.	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Wills-Overland	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
do, pfd.	67½	67½	67	67
Woolworth	326	328	325	327½

NEW YORK CURB

Reported for The Advertiser by Arthur E. Moysey & Co., Toronto.
New York, May 7.

Industrials.	High	Low	Noon
Acme Coal	1½	1½	1½
Durant of Delaware	17¼	17	17¼
do, Indiana	6	6	6
Reo Motors	16¾	16¾	16¾
Radio, com.	3⅞	3⅝	3⅞
do, pfd., 4 3-16-4⅛			
Tobacco Products	4¾	4¾	4¾
U. P. Sharing	6⅝	6⅛	6⅜
U. R. Candy	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Candy Products	1½	1⅜	1⅜
Mining:			
Divide Extension	3	3	3
Eureka Croesus	5	5	5
Parmac	35	35	35
Florence	17	17	17
Tonopah Divide	25	25	25
United Eastern	59	58	58
West End	48	48	48
Oils:			
Anglo-American	16¼	16¼	16¼
Cities Service	143¼	143¼	143¼
Carib Syndicate	4¼	4¼	4¼
Engineers	11	10	11
Federal	20	20	20
Glenrock	32	32	32
Inter. Petroleum	18¼	18	18¼
Imperial	103	103	103
Mutual	10¼	10⅛	10¼
Pennock	14¾	14¾	14¾
Standard of New York	39¾	39⅛	39¾
do, Indiana	58⅞	58¼	58⅞
do, Kentucky	105	105	105

CHEESE

Associated Press Despatch.

Montreal, May 5.—Prices for cheese were unchanged. Finest westerns, 14½c; finest easterns, 13½c.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, May 6.—Cheese steady; receipts, 145,918.

COFFEE

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, May 6.—The market for coffee futures today closed at net declines of 21 to 27 points. Sales were estimated at 18,000 bags. Closing quotations: May, $13.75; July, $13.06; Sept., $12.37; Oct., $12.23; Dec., $11.96; March, $11.71.

Toronto

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, May 7.

Sales	Stocks:	High	Low	Noon
10	Abitibi Power	56¼	56¼	56¼
75	Barcelona	17½	17½	17½
130	Brazilian	51⅝	51¼	51⅝
30	B. C. Fishing	11¾	11	11
7	Bell Telephone	127½	127¼	127½
88	C. P. R.	150⅝	150¼	150⅝
185	Con. Smelters	35½	34¼	34½
5	Dom. Canners	24¾	24¾	24¾
25	Duluth-Superior	20⅞	20⅞	20⅞
10	Twin City	50½	50½	50½
49	Winnipeg, pfd.	77½	76¾	77
	Mines:			
125	Dome	16.35	16.25	16.25
10	McIntyre	16.10	16.10	16.10
	Banks:			
32	Commerce	181½	181½	181½
5	Molsons	150	150	150
4	Toronto	173½	173½	173½
	Bonds:			
500	Electrical Dev.	98	98	98
2000	Victory, 1924	10040	10040	10040
3000	do, 1934	10260	10260	10260

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, May 7.—Noon.

Stocks—	Bid	Ask
Atlantic Sugar	15¼	..
Abitibi	56	56½
Barcelona	17½	18
Brazilian, T L and P	51	51½
Bell Telephone	127¼	..
Can Bread	65	..
Can Gen Elec, new	53	53⅛
City Dairy	44	..
Cons Smelters	33¾	34¼
Consumers' Gas	161½	..
Dominion Canners	23¾	..
Duluth-Superior	20¼	20⅞
Mackay	111¼	112½
Spanish River	99¼	101
Steel of Can	71	..
Toronto Railway	88½	..
Twin City	50	50½
Win Electric Railway	25	25½
do, pfd	76¾	78
Banks—		
Commerce	181	181½
Dominion	183	..
Imperial	170¾	..
Molsons	150	151
Royal	215½	..
Standard	161	162
Toronto	173	173½
Union	106	..

STANDARD EXCHANGE

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, May 7.—With light trading this morning's session of the Standard Mining Exchange was very quiet. A number of further recessions took place, and one to two scattered gains were recorded, but otherwise there was no change. Argonaut was 2 points lower at 49c, with Dome down 10c at $16.25, and Columbus Kirkland 1c at 3½c. Mining Corporation recovered 5c at $3.05, and Trethewey was up ⅝c at 13⅝c. Some activity developed in Atlas and Baldwin, but they remained unchanged in price.

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum Co.
Toronto, May 7.

Stocks:	Open	High	Low	Close
Apex	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Atlas	3¾	3	3¾	4
Argonaut	49	49	48½	48½
Baldwin	2¾	2¾	2½	2½
Bidgood	7¾	8	7¾	8
West D. Lake	23¼	23¼	23	23
Clifton	15	15	15	15
Columbus	3	3	3	3
Dome Mines	16.25	16.35	16.25	16.35
Galdale	19½	19½	18	18¾
Hattie	5⅝	5⅝	5¼	5⅝
Hunton	10	10	9½	9½
Hollinger	12.50	12.55	12.50	12.55
Indian	20⅞	21	20⅝	21
Keora	8½	8½	8¼	8½
Kirkland	21½	22	21½	21¾
Lake Shore	370	370	370	370
Moneta	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
McIntyre	16.05	16.10	16.05	16.05
Porcupine Crown	8	8	8	8
Preston E. Dome	11	11¾	11	11¼
T. O. Burnside	67	67	66	67
Teck-Hughes	118	118	115	115
Vipond	107	108	107	108
West Tree	3½	3½	3¼	3¼
Wright-H.	285	285	285	285
Capitol	35	35	35	35
Crown Reserve	58½	58½	58	58
Castle Trethewey	74	74	74	74
Everett	9	9	9	9
Keeley	220	220	219	219
La Rose	9	10	9	10
Lorraine	12	12	11½	12
Trout Lake	133	133	133	133
McKinley	12½	12½	12½	12½
Mining Corp.	305	305	302	302
Temiskaming	23	23	23	23
Wettlaufer	25	25¼	25	25¼

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum, Company.
Toronto, May 7—Final.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Apex	3	3½	Thom K	..	4⅛
Atlas	3¾	4	Vipond	107	108
Argon	48½	50	Vickers	12	..
Baldwin	2¾	3	Wasapika	2⅝	3
Beatty	4¼	4½	W-Hart	300	300
Bucking.	2½	3	Beaver	21	22
Bidgood	7⅝	8¼	Capitol	34	35
W D Lk	23¼	23½	Coniag.	180	190
Clifton	15	15½	Cr Res.	57½	58
Dome	1620	1640	C Treth	74	74¼
Goldale	18½	19	Everett	9	9¼
Gold R.	1½	2	Keeley	218	221
Hattie	5¼	5⅜	L Lor.	17	18
Hunton	9¼	9½	La Rose	9	11
Holl.	1252	1255	Lorrain.	12	12½
Inspir.	20¾	21	L Tr L	135	136
Keora	8½	8¾	McKin.	12½	13
Lake S	370	374	Min C.	304	305
Moneta	17	18	Ophir	2⅝	2¾
McIn.	1604	1610	Nipiss.	625	630
New R.	30	31	Peter L.	8	9
Por Cr.	..	7	Temisk.	23	..
Preston	11	11½	Trethew	13	13¼
T-Oakes	67	68	Wett'fer	25¾	26

Exchange

Associated Press Despatch.

London, May 7.—Bar silver, 33⅛d per ounce.

Associated Press Despatch.

Paris, May 7.—Prices were easy on the bourse today.

Three per cent rentes, 54 francs 120 centimes.

Exchange on London, 67 francs.

Five per cent loan, 69 francs 75 centimes.

The United States dollar was quoted at 15 francs 23 centimes.

London, May 7.—Trading was quiet on the stock exchange today.

Money, 2⅛ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 2⅞ to 3 per cent; three months, 3 to 3 1-16 per cent.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, May 7.—Sterling exchange steady. Demand rates: Great Britain, $4.38⅝; France, 6.50c; Italy, 4.48c; Germany, per trillion, .23¾c.

Canadian dollars, 1 21-32 per cent discount.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, May 7.—Bar gold, 94s 1d per ounce.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, May 7.—Bar silver, 64½c per ounce.

LINSEED

Associated Press Despatch.

Duluth, May 6. — Closing: Linseed, May, $2.48; July, $2.39; Sept., $2.21.

EGG MARKET REVIEW

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, May 6.—It is reported that receipts of eggs are slightly smaller due, it is believed, to many eggs being used for hatching purposes. Ontario country shippers are paying extras 23c; firsts 20c; seconds 16c, and report having made sales extras 28c; firsts 26c; seconds 20c in export cases, f.o.b. The movement of eggs into storage is now very heavy.

Toronto—Extras and firsts are firmer, and seconds weaker. Jobbing specials 30c; extras 28c; firsts 26c; seconds 23c.

Montreal—Firm; jobbing specials 32c; extras 29c; firsts 26c.

Montreal

Reported for The Advertiser by McDougall & Cowans.
Montreal, May 7.—Noon.

Stocks—	High	Low	Noon
Abitibi	56½	56½	56½
Bell Telephone	127	127	127
B C Fish	11	11	11
Brazilian	51⅞	51⅝	51¾
Breweries	50	49¾	50
Brompton	34¼	34¼	34¼
Canada Car	45	44¾	45
Can Steamships	14	14	14
Detroit United	44¼	44	44¼
Dominion Bridge	63	63	63
Dominion Glass	103	103	103
Montreal Tram	148	148	148
Montreal Power	157½	156	157½
Penmans	136½	136½	136½
Quebec Power	75	75	75
Shawinigan	126¼	126	126¼
Smelters	34¾	34½	34¾
Spanish River	99¾	99	99⅝
Steel of Canada	72	72	72
Toronto Rails	88½	88½	88½
Twin City	50	50	50
Front Brew	64½	64½	64½
South-Can Pac	57	57	57
Preferred—			
Spanish River	109	108¼	109
B E Steel, 2nd	9	9	9
do, 1st	36½	36½	36½
Can Woolens	40	40	40
Penmans	97	97	97
Quebec Power	93½	93½	93½
Tucketts	94½	94½	94½
Asbestos	55	54½	55
Can Cement	105½	105½	105½
Dominion Steel	40½	40½	40½
Banks—			
Commerce	182	182	182
Montreal	236	236	236
Bonds—			
Victory Loan, 1934	10270	10270	10270
do, 1937	10250	10250	10250

GOVERNMENT LOANS

Wood, Gundy & Co. bond dealers, Royal Bank Chambers, furnish the following prices and yields:

Year.			Yield
	5½% Victory.		
1924	100.45	100.55	4.49
1927	102.50	102.60	4.77
1933	104.80	104.90	4.86
1934	102.50	102.60	5.17
1937	106.75	106.85	4.83
	5½% Renewals.		
1927	101.80	101.90	4.96
1932	102.20	102.30	5.14
	5% War Loan.		
1925	100.70	100.80	4.57
1931	100.80	100.90	4.85
1937	102.40	102.50	4.75
	5% Refunding.		
1928	99.95	100.05	5.00
1943	99.90	100.00	5.00

PROVISIONS

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, May 7.—Provisions were firm, in line with hog values.

Liverpool, May 7.—Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 78s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs, 64s 6d; Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75 lbs, 70s; clear bellies, 14 to 20 lbs, 67s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 35 lbs, 71s 6d; short clear backs, 12 to 20 lbs, 73s 6d; shoulders, square, 12 to 16 lbs, 55s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, cwt, 64s 3d; American refined, in pails, cwt, 64s 1½d.

OILS

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, May 7.—Kerosene—No. 1, 1s 2d; No. 2, 1s 3d.

Turpentine Spirits—73s 6d.

Rosin—Common, 14s 6d.

CANADIANS IN LONDON

Reported for The Advertiser by A. J. Pattison, Jr. & Co.

Toronto, May 6.—Close—

C. P. R.	168½
B. E. Steel	21½
Hudsons Bay	57⅞
Brazilian	57½

COTTON

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, May 6.—Cotton futures close dsteady. Closing bids: Jan, 23.60c; March, 23.67c; May, 29.89c; July, 28.22c; Oct., 24.50c; Dec., 23.89c.

Spot cotton closed steady. Middling uplands, $30.25c.

GRAIN MARKET GOSSIP

Bromhall says: "Very latest investigations confirm our contention that the continent will require liberal supplies of foreign wheats before harvest time."

LeCount, wiring from Chillicothe, O., states: "Lots of good wheat in this territory, but most of the acreage from Dayton here is poor. Some localities will not average half a crop. Much spindly, sickly wheat that doesn't seem to be doing well. Country thoroughly soaked."

Canadian wheat visible supply decreased 10,414,000 bushels, following a decrease of 10,000,000 last week. The total is now 8,650,000 smaller than last year. The rate of decrease suggests a foreign demand larger than generally believed.

While the uncertainty exists as regards the action of Congress on the numerous anti-change bills, there is no disposition on the part of traders to extend their lines, and the trades are closely evened up daily.

Chicago cash wheat unchanged; corn unchanged to ½c lower; oats ¼c off.

BEANS

Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, May 6.—Beans, immediate and prompt shipment, $4.40 per cwt. at shipping points.

SEEDS

Associated Press Despatch:

Minneapolis, May 6. — Flour unchanged; shipments, 41,415 barrels.

Bran—Per ton, $19.50 to $21.

DETROIT DISCOUNT RATE

Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, May 6.—Detroit clearing-house banks' uniform rate of exchange on Canadian currency for Wednesday will be at a discount of $1.55 per $100.

SMELTERS IS MOST ACTIVE ON MARKET

Brazilian Is Firm at Close With C. P. R. Stock Slightly Higher.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, May 7.—This morning's session of the local stock exchange was uneventful, with trading light and fluctuations narrow. Brazilian was firmer at the close, advancing ⅜ to 51⅝, with C. P. R. ⅝ higher at 150⅝. Smelters was the most active issue, advancing ½ to 34½ on transactions approximating 200 shares. Dome Mines lost 15c at $16.25.

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, Man., May 6.—A large accumulation of orders over the week-end and today, together with higher Liverpool cables, gave the wheat market early strength today, and prices continued to advance, the close showing a net gain of ¾c for May, ⅝ for July and ⅞c for October. At the high point of the day May touched $1.03⅝ and July $1.04¾, the spread between the two months narrowing to 1