TO THE TRADE

January 15th.

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At present American manufacturers are trying hard to unload some of their products in this market. For several of their lines we made offers which were accepted, one of the last being a clearing line in

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AT OSGOODE HALL.

That Notorious Political Case at Midland is Now Before the Divisional Court—Judgment Reserved.

In Reg. v. Nelson McRae judgment was reserved by the Divisional Court on the motion for a rule nisi to quash a summary conviction of defendant for assault. The facts of the case are fully reported in The World of November last. The conviction was made by the Mayor of the Town of Midland, and at the same time three other Magistrates gave a certificate dismissing the information. It was contended on the one hand that one Magistrate could not convict while the other three dissented, and on the other hand that the three Magistrates, though present, were not called upon by the Mayor to sit with the Mayor. Mr. Justice Street granted a certiorari on Nov. 9 last on the ground that there was a bona fide dispute as to how many Magistrates sat.

The Court of Appeal reserved judgment in Attorney-General v. Hamilton Street Railway Company, and the appeal of the defendants from the judgment of Falconbridge, J., upon the findings of the jury in action for breach of warranty upon a sale of the stallion "Bold Lion," partially heard. It will be concluded to-day.

TO-DAY'S LIST.

Judge's Chambers at 11 a.m.—Lea v. Lang, Battidey v. Witherspoon, Guardian Assurance Co. v. Dennee, Britannia Insurance Co. v. Dennee, Tate v. Natural Gas Co., D'Urry v. World Newspaper Co., Dublin v. Dobbin, Fisher v. Fisher, McDonald v. O'Neil, Anthony v. Anthony, Maganettiwan v. Alexander, Jones v. Jones, Turner v. Drew.

Divisional Court at 11 a.m.—Whitesell v. Fraser, Orpen v. Wilmot.

Court of Appeal at 11 a.m.—Holmes v. Bready (to be concluded), Biggar v. Mabey, Laughlin v. Harvey, Bicknell v. Peterson, Walker v. Allen, Lewis v. Moore.

AT THE CIVIL ASSIZES.

Miss Wallace's Case Against the Toronto Railway—That West York Suit.

The case of Miss Mary B. Wallace of St. Catharines against the Toronto Street Railway Company, which had been postponed to get the evidence of an eye witness of the accident, was concluded yesterday. The witness, Mrs. Mary Schario, who resided at 403 Queen-street west, was on hand yesterday, and her evidence was to the effect that the plaintiff got off the car while in motion. Judge Robertson, who tried the case without a jury, reserved judgment.

The partly heard action of Clarke v. Buchanan, the West York farmers' case, was brought to a conclusion yesterday. These are the questions put to the jury, with the answers:

1. Was there any agreement as to rent for 1894 made in March, 1894? A. Yes. (10 for; 2 against).

2. Is the statement made by defendant as to the conversation which took place in March, 1895, true? A. Yes. (10 for; 2 against).

3. If the amount of the rent was not fixed between the parties for 1894 and 1895 what do you say is a fair rental for those years? A. $600 a year. (Unanimous).

Judge Robertson thereupon entered judgment for the plaintiff for $150 and full costs of suit, and refused a stay of proceedings. One hundred and fifty dollars was offered by defendant before action. There will be an appeal. It is alleged that the jury say they intended their answers to the questions to be a verdict for the defendant. Two year's rent amounts to $1200, and the defendant paid $1050 in addition to $194 for taxes. It is claimed by the defendant that the answer to the second question is a finding that the taxes were paid on the plaintiff's account, and therefore that the plaintiff has been overpaid.

Cause list for to-day: Inglis v. H. G. & E. R. Co., Jenkins v. Corron, National Assurance Co. v. Dennie, Guardian Assurance Co. v. Dennie, Newman v. Allen, Morning Journal v. Georgian Bay, Perkins v. T. S. R., Thompson v. Pearson.

BUSINESS EMBARRASSMENTS.

The Crop of Failures in Canada Shows No Diminution.

The firm of John Bland, tailors, Adelaide-street, who was reported in financial difficulties a few weeks ago, has assigned to Mr. D. O. Cameron. The creditors will meet on the 21st inst.

Edwin Skedden, brushes, Hamilton, is offering to compromise with his creditors.

R. O. Smith, books, etc., Orillia, has assigned to Henry Barber.

J. H. Glendenning, Streetsville, has assigned to J. J. Hafey.

F. VanCamp, hardware, Lindsay, has assigned to James Doherty. Creditors will meet on the 20th inst.

Joseph Cornfield, grocer, Acton, has assigned to J. A. Mowat.

W. H. Pelton, grocer, Brussels, has assigned to F. S. Scott.

J. L. A. Garian, tailor, Huntsville, is offering to compromise at 40c on the dollar.

J. W. Marks, tailor, Petrolea, is offering to compromise at 75c on the dollar.

The creditors of J. A. McClung & Co., dry goods, St. Catharines, will meet at the Walker House, this city, on the 19th inst.

A meeting of the creditors of J. R. Jackson, stoves and tinware, Guelph, has been called for to-day at the Walker House.

At a meeting of the creditors of the estate of Kelly & Co., general storekeepers of Tavistock, held in Assignee Barker's office, a statement was presented showing assets of $2000, with liabilities nominally the same. The estate will be wound up.

DROWNED IN THE LOCK.

Robert Johnston's Body Fished Up From the Canal by a Diver.

Port Dalhousie, Ont., Jan. 14.—The body of the missing man Johnston, who was last seen alive on Monday night, and whose cap was found in lock two, new canal, this morning, was at 1 o'clock this afternoon found by the Government diver at the bottom of lock two, and brought to the surface in about five minutes after he went down in search of him. He was found within 10 feet of where he was supposed to have fallen from off the upper gates of the lock. Johnston, who was born here, was employed in the gate yard since it opened, was about 45 years of age, was last year a member of the village council, and leaves a widow and five daughters.

Board of Trade Matters.

The present council of the Board of Trade will meet for the last time this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

Mr. John Carrick is a candidate for the council.

There is little or no interest taken in the elections this year. Secretary Mills thinks it will revive next week.

President Osler and Secretary Wills will represent the Toronto Board of Trade at the banquet of the Brantford Board of Trade Jan. 21.

Dyspepsia or indigestion is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, loss of vitality in the stomach to secrete the gastric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also, being the principal cause of headache. Parmalee's Vegetable Pills, taken before going to bed, for a while, never fail to give relief, and effect a cure. Mr. F. W. Ashdown, Ashdown, Ont., writes: "Parmalee's Pills are taking the lead against ten other makes which I have in stock." ed

THE SHORTS WERE BUYERS

Wheat in Chicago is Higher Owing to Good Demand From Bears.

Liverpool Futures Were Dull and Weak at Close—Advance in Chicago Provisions—Bank Clearings at Toronto—Sterling Exchange is Higher—Local Stocks Quiet—Wall-Street Closed Strong.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 14.

Liverpool wheat futures are ¼d lower.

Cash wheat in Chicago ¾c higher, at 78c.

May wheat on curb 80½c to 80⅝c.

Puts on May wheat 79⅝c, calls 81⅝c.

Puts on May corn 24⅞c, calls 24⅞c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.30 for March.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago today 38,000, or 7000 less than expected. Official Wednesday 41,724; left over 4000. Estimated for Friday 30,000. Market firm and higher. Heavy shippers $3.10 to $3.45.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 11,000, market steady. Sheep 15,000, market steady.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 17, corn 176, oats 109. Estimated for Friday: Wheat 12, corn 340, oats 165.

There is a wide difference between the May and July options in the various markets. In Toledo July is selling 14c under May, while in New York it is only 3⅞c under, and in Chicago 4½c under. At St. Louis, July is 1⅞c discount and in Detroit 13c under.

Hog-packing in the West for the week is 465,000, as against 430,000 the corresponding week of last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth 219 cars, as against 423 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 9682 barrels and 30,778 sacks; wheat 80,852 bushels.

Windsor Salt

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TRADE IN CANADA.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Daily Bulletin says: Trade in Montreal presents no specially new features. Travelers are all again on their routes, but do not speak altogether encouragingly about business, as the weather, though seasonably cold, is still unaccompanied by the necessary snow, and general business and lumbering operations are adversely affected thereby. Collections too, rule poor. The only reported result of the rolling mill men's convention last week is the issue of a new price list for wire nails, gauges and prices being revised, and discounts fixed at 80 and 2½ per cent., for Quebec and 80 per cent. for Ontario. Pig iron and other heavy metals continue very dull, with no looking for an improved demand this month. The boot and shoe factories are again fairly at work, on good orders as a rule for spring delivery, and there is rather more demand, though not an active one, for leather, in which line values continue firm. The present demand for green hides is hardly equal to receipts, but prices are fairly steady of late, and sheepskins are markedly advanced. The results of the annual January raw fur sales in London, which begin next Monday, are anxiously looked for, as local values will be largely affected thereby.

Business in wholesale circles at Toronto has been quiet this week. The large number of failures has an unfavorable influence, and the state of country roads checks the movement of produce. There is a hand-to-mouth trade, while collections are somewhat restricted. Stocks of merchandise in hands of retailers are comparatively small. Travelers are taking moderate orders for seasonable goods, but are practically doing little in spring goods. This trade, however, will increase next week. With good sleighing business would naturally increase in volume. The leading staples are not quotably changed in prices. The wheat market, however, is disappointing. Lower prices in Britain and the United States cause buyers to hold off. White and red wheat are nominal at about 80c. The export demand has fallen off, and No. 1 Manitoba hard would not bring over 93c. Toronto freight. Peas are weaker, while barley is steady.

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LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

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

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	78c	80⅝c
New York	86⅝c	87c
Milwaukee	77½c	80⅝c
St. Louis	80⅝c	86⅞c
Toledo	82c	93c
Detroit	90½c	92c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	78⅝c	81⅛c
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	78⅝c	81⅛c
Toronto, white	80c	..
Toronto, No. 1 hard	93c	..

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LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—Business is very dull, and prices heavy. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, Toronto freight.

Bran—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Bran is quoted at $7 to $7.50 west, and shorts at $9 to $9.50.

Wheat—The feeling to-day was a little better, but not much business was transacted. White is held at 81c to 82c, and red at 80c outside. Manitoba No. 1 hard is quoted at 90c, North Bay, and at 93c to 94c, Toronto freight.

Buckwheat—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 28c outside.

Barley—The market is firm. No. 1 sold at 35c, No. 2 at 30c, No. 3 extra at 25c, and No. 3 at 23c.

Oats—The market is quiet and prices are steady. White sold at 19c west, and mixed at 18c west.

Peas—Trade quiet and prices easier, with sales at 41c to 41½c, north and west.

Corn—The market is steady, with new yellow quoted at 22½c to 23c outside. Old yellow is quoted at 25c to 26c outside.

Rye—The market is unchanged, with sales at 35c west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and featureless. Car lots are quoted at $2.95 to $3.00.

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THE FARMERS' MARKETS

The offerings of grain were: Wheat 400 bushels, barley 500, oats 700, peas 100.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.		
Wheat, white, bushel	$0 87	to $0 88
" red winter, bushel	0 86	0 86½
" goose, bushel	0 67	0 68
Barley, bushel	0 30	0 34½
Peas, bushel	0 44	0 45
Oats, bushel	0 21	0 23
Rye, bushel	0 32	0 34
DAIRY PRODUCE.		
Butter, choice, tub	$0 13	to $0 14
" bakers'	0 08	0 10
" pound rolls	0 15	0 16
" creamery tubs	0 17	0 19
" rolls	0 19	0 20
Cheese	0 09½	0 10½
Eggs, new-laid	0 20	0 22
" limed	0 15	0 17
HAY AND STRAW.		
Hay, per ton	$12 50	to $14 00
" baled, per ton	8 50	10 00
Straw, per ton	8 50	9 50
" baled, per ton	5 50	6 25
FRESH MEATS.		
Beef, forequarters, per lb	0 02½	to 0 04½
" hindquarters	0 05½	0 07
Mutton, per lb	0 04	0 05
Lamb	0 06	0 06½
Veal, per lb	0 05	0 06
PROVISIONS AND POULTRY.		
Hogs, dressed, selected	$5 00	to $5 50
" heavy	4 00	4 85
Backs, per lb	0 09	0 09½
Breakfast bacon	0 10	0 11
Mess pork	11 00	11 25
" short cut	11 25	11 50
" shoulder mess	9 00	9 50
Hams, smoked	0 10½	0 11
Lard, per lb	0 07	0 07¼
Bacon, per lb	0 05½	0 06
Chickens, per pair	0 30	0 50
Ducks, per pair	0 55	0 75
Turkeys, per lb	0 07	0 09
Geese, per lb	0 6	0 07

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

There was an average attendance for a Thursday at St. Lawrence Market yesterday. A considerable number of grain-laden wagons came to market.

Red wheat sold at 85c and 86c, and white brought 86 and 87c.

Oats ranged from 21c to 24c and timothy hay $14 to $16.

Heavy hogs brought $4.50 per hundred and light ones $5.50.

Butter was 16c and 17c per lb., and creamery 20c.

Turkeys sold at 9c per lb., and fowl from 30c to 60c a pair.

Mutton, by the carcase, sold at 5½c to 6½c; lamb, by the carcase, 7c; hindquarters of beef $4.50 to $6 per cwt., and forequarters $2.50 to $3.50.

To-morrow's and Saturday's markets are likely to be largely attended.

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HIDES, SKINS AND WOOL.

Hides are unchanged, with cured quoted a 7½c. Dealers pay 6½c for No. 1, 5½c for No. 2, and 4½c for No. 3.

Calfskins—Market is dull at 6c to 7c for No. 1 and 5c for No. 2. Sheep and lambs skins 85c to 90c.

Wool—The market is steady. Dealers are paying 21c to 22c for combing fleece, 17c for rejections. Pulled supers are 20c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

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Mining stocks bought and sold.
20 Toronto-street.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, Jan. 14.—Spring wheat, 6s 11½d to 7s 0½d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 7s 2d to 7s 3d; corn, 2s 9¾d; peas, 4s 6½d; pork, 48s 9d; lard, 21s 0d; bacon, l.c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 6d; do., s.c., heavy, 24s 0d; tallow, 19s; cheese, white and colored, 52s.

London—Wheat on passage nominally unchanged, Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures dull, at 6s 8¼d for Jan., 6s 9d for Feb., 6s 9½d for March, and 6s 8½d for July. Maize dull at 2s 9d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 9½d for March, 2s 9½d for April, and 2s 9¾d for May. Flour 24s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage dull. Maize on passage rather easier.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 22f 80c for Feb.; flour firm at 48f 10c for Feb.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat weak at 6s 8¼d for Jan., 6s 9d for Feb., 6s 9¾d for March and April, and 6s 8½d for July. Maize quiet at 2s 9d for Jan. and Feb., 2s 9¼d for March, 2s 9½d for April, and 2s 9¾d for May. Flour lower at 24s.

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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.	Close.
Wheat—May	79½	80⅝	79⅝	80⅝
" —July	75½	76⅛	75	76
Corn—May	24½	25	24½	25
" —July	25⅝	26	25⅝	26
Oats—Jan.	16⅝	..	..	16⅝
" —May	18½	19⅛	18½	19⅛
Pork—Jan.	8 02	..	..	8 02
" —May	8 00	8 15	8 00	8 15
Lard—Jan.	3 95	4 02	3 95	4 02
" —May	4 10	4 17	4 10	4 17
Ribs—Jan.	4 12	..	..	4 12
" —May	4 12	4 20	4 12	4 20

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January 14, 1897.

FINANCIAL.

The local stock market was quiet and generally steady to-day. Postal is becoming scarce, as large quantities are going to London.

The feature in Montreal this afternoon was the advance in Montreal Gas, which is 1½ higher than yesterday.

Cousols are ⅛ firmer, closing to-day at 111 12-16 for money and at 112 for account.

United States 4 per cent Government bonds are firmer at 120¾ to 121¼.

American stocks are quiet in London, Canadian Pacific closed at 57¾, St. Paul at 70½, Erie at 15½, Reading at 13⅝, N.Y., C. at 96⅛, xd., and Ill. Central at 95½.

At the weekly meeting of directors of the Bank of England to-day no change was made in the discount rate. The specie in the bank increased £1,076,190 during the week.

General Electric was weak on the local market to-day, selling down to 78.

Dun & Co. report 71 failures this week, as against 62 last week, and 81 the corresponding week of last year.

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BANK CLEARINGS AT TORONTO.

The clearings this week show a decrease, as compared with last week, but they are greater than for the corresponding weeks of two previous years. Following are the figures, with comparisons:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Jan. 8	$1,531,929	$208,757
Jan. 9	1,200,056	134,423
Jan. 11	1,037,204	158,881
Jan. 12	1,126,863	111,208
Jan. 13	1,065,937	82,252
Jan. 14	1,185,040	133,418
Totals	$7,150,028	$829,939
Last week	8,428,073	1,639,853
Cor. week, 1896	6,874,777	744,306
Cor. week, 1895	6,302,271	873,659

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MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is unchanged at 5 to 5½ per cent. for call loans. At New York the rates on call are 1½ to 2, and at London 1½ to 2 per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 4, and the open market rate easier at 3 per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

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

	—Counter— Buy.	Sell.	—Bet. Banks Buy.	Sell.
N.Y. Funds	⅛	¼	1-64 to 1-32	pre.
Stg. 60 days	9⅛	9⅜	9	9¼
do demand	9⅞	10	9⅝	9¾

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.85½	4.84½ to 4.85
" demand	4.88½	4.87½ to 4.88

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—C.P.R., 57 and 56¾; Duluth, 5 and 3½; do., pref., 12 and 7; Cable, 165¾ and 165; Postal Telegraph, 94½ and 94⅜; Telegraph, xd., 166 and 164½; Richelieu, 90 and 88; Street Railway, 223½; Gas, 189¾ and 189; Telephone, 156 and 154½; Toronto Street Railway, 71 and 70½; Montreal, 228 bid; Molsons, 185 bid; Merchants', 180 and 170; Commerce, 130 and 126½; Toronto, 230½ and 226; Ontario, 85 and 81.

Morning sales: Postal, 10 at 95, 75 at 94½, 200 at 94⅜; Street Railway, 25 at 223, 25, 15, 150 at 222½; Gas, 175, 5, 175 at 188; Toronto Railway, 425 at 70¾; Bank of Montreal, 11 at 230; Commerce, 15 at 126¾.

Afternoon sales: Cable, 25 at 165¼; Street Railway, 75 at 223½; Gas, 100 at 188, 475 at 188½, 25 at 188¾, 25 at 188⅝, 50 at 188¾, 25 at 188⅞, 50 at 188¾, 975 at 189; Toronto Railway, 100 at 70¾, 2 at 71.

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET

	1 p.m.		3.30 p.m.	
Montreal	232	226½	231½	228
Ontario	85	81	84½	81
Toronto	229	227	230	227
Merchants'	175	168	175	168
Commerce	128	127½	128	127
Imperial	179	176½	179	176½
Dominion	226	221¾	226	222
Standard	165	162	165	162
Hamilton	153½	152	153	152
British America	118	116	119	116¾
Western Assurance	155¾	155¼	156	155¼
Consumers' Gas	202	198½	202	199
Dom. Telegraph	125	123	125	123
C N W L Co. pref.	50	39	50	39
C.P.R. Stock	57	56	57	56
Toronto Electric	132	125	132	125
General Electric	82	78	81	77
Com. Cable	165	164¾	165¼	164¾
Postal	94½	94⅜	94½	94¼
Bell Telephone	155	154½	155	154½
Montreal St. Rail.	224	223	224	223
Toronto Railway	70¾	70¼	71	70
Fraser River M. Co.	161½	159½	161½	159½
Crown Point	40½	38	40	38
Empress	23	21¾	24	21½
Brit. Can. L. & I.	102	...	...	...
B. & L. Assn	75	...	...	...
Can. L. & N. I. Co.	...	104½	...	...
Canada Perm.	128	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	116	...	...	...
Canadian S. & L.	110	107	...	...
Central Can. Loan	120	118	...	...
Dom. S. & I. Soc.	79	75	...	...
Farmers' L. & S.	90	...	...	...
do. 20 p.c.	70	...	...	...
Freehold L. & S.	95	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	80	...	...	...
Hamilton Prov.	110	...	...	...
Hur. & Erie L. & S.	...	156	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	146	...	...
Imperial L. & I.	100	...	...	...
L. & L. & L.	112½	..	...	...
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	90	..	...	...
London & Ontario	101	..	...	...
Manitoba Loan	95	...	...	...
Ontario J. & D.	...	118	...	...
People's Loan	30	...	...	...
R. E. L. & D. Co.	65	...	...	...
Toronto S. & Loan	115	113½	...	...
Union Loan & S.	100	...	...	...
West. Can L. & S.	...	107	...	...
do. do. 25 p.c.	100	...	...	...

Sales at 11.30 a.m.: Cable, 25, 25, 25, 25, 25 at 165; Postal, 25 at 94¾; Crown Point, 100 at 39½.

Sales at 1 p.m.: Bank of Commerce, 2 at 127½, 6 at 127¼; British Am. Assurance, 60 at 116¼; General Electric, 10 at 80.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: General Electric, 5 at 78; Cable, 25 at 165; Postal, 25 at 94½, 25, 25 at 94¾.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: General Electric, 5 at 78; Cable, 25 at 165; Postal, 25 at 94½, 25, 25 at 94¾; Western Canada Loan, 19 at 108.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

The range in prices is as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Am. Sugar Trust	111⅝	113¾	111⅝	113¾
Am. Tobacco	78⅝	79½	78⅝	79
Am. Spirits	13¼	13¼	13¼	13¼
Cotton Oil	14½	14½	14½	14½
Canadian Pacific	...	...	...	55⅝ b
Atchison, 3 As's. pd.	14½	14¼	14	14
Chi., Burl. and Q.	72⅛	72⅝	72⅛	72½
Chicago Gas	75⅝	77½	75⅝	77¼
C.C.C. and I.	28½	28½	28½	28½
Dela., and Hud.	111⅛	111⅛	110⅝	111
Erie	...	...	...	14⅝ b
Lake Shore	152½	152½	152½	152½
Louis. and Nash.	49½	49½	49⅛	49½
Kansas, Texas, pf.	30¼	30¼	30	30¼
Manhattan	88	89¼	87⅞	89
Missouri Pacific	20⅝	20⅝	20¼	20⅝
Leather	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
" pref	61⅞	61⅞	60¾	61⅞
Balt. and Ohio	15½	15½	15	15
N.Y. Central	...	...	...	103⅝ b
Northern Pac., pf.	33	33¼	33	33¼
Northwestern	103⅝	103½	103⅝	103⅝
Gen. Electric Co.	33½	34⅛	33⅛	33¾
Rock Island	67¼	67⅝	67⅛	67⅝
Rubber	24	24	24	24
Omaha	49⅝	49⅝	49¼	49⅝
N.Y. Gas	142	142⅝	142	142⅝
Pacific Mail	24	24⅛	24	24⅛
Phila. and Read.	26⅞	27	26⅝	26⅞
St. Paul	74½	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
Union Pacific	7	7⅛	6⅞	7
Western Union	83½	83⅝	83⅝	83⅝
Jersey Central	102	102½	102	102½
National Lead	24½	24½	24½	24½
Wabash, pref.	16	16	16	16
T.C. and I.	28¼	28¼	28¼	28⅝
Southern Rail., pf.	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝
Wheeling	3⅝	3⅝	2⅝	2⅝

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TIPS FROM WALL STREET.

The market closed strong.

Chicago Gas advanced 1½ per cent. today.

Pullman is higher, closing at 156½.

Gross earnings of Wheeling for the first week of January amounted to $16,353, a decrease of $6075 from the figures of last year. Since July 1, 1895, gross earnings have been only $675,222, a falling off of $112,160.

The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar 31,400, St. Paul 5000, Rock Island 700, Burlington 5300, N. P. 1600, D. & H. 1100, L. & N. 1700, Chicago Gas 6200, Manhattan 2100, T. C. I. 3300, G. E. 1400, Tobacco 2900, Wheeling 9400.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) send the following despatch from their branch office in New York:

Sugar was the feature this afternoon. The buying was led by Moore & Schley. It induced considerable covering. An estimate that the net profit on 100,000,000 pounds of raw sugar the trust refined was about $5,000,000 more than the dividends paid out by the company in 1893 was circulated. Chicago Gas has been strong all day. The buying in this case was based on expectation of another dividend soon and favorable legislation. In the railway list weakness continued in the Wheeling & Lake Erie and other stocks of soft coal roads. Brown Bros. advanced posted rates of exchange ½ point this afternoon.

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CHICAGO GOSSIP.

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

Wheat opened weak, but has been held firm most of the day within a narrow margin on shorts covering and some buying on a small scale by scalpers. Liverpool cables were weak; Berlin steady; Paris firm; all fractionally lower. Receipts in Canada reports little better demand there for cash wheat. Receipts in Northwest about half that of last year. We keep hearing from that section that there is not enough wheat in that country to supply the milling demand, but there is wheat enough here to supply any speculative demand, and speculation is what is wanted to keep the price above 80c. The only thing that has held this market as strong as it was was the short interest. Fourteen loads taken in New York to-day for export (Jan. and Feb. loading). Price Current says: "Some talk of damage to wheat crop, but not much change indicated in average position. Positively favorable reports predominate." The crowd got too much short wheat out and in the last hour when they started to cover found the supply had vanished. Their buying caused a sharp advance to 80⅝c. The close is strong at the top. We believe there is a large short interest left in the market. And would not be surprised to see a further advance to-morrow. Corn and oats held strong. The pit trading was without special feature. Cash demand fair, crowd bearish and short interest large. We believe in buying corn and oats on all weak spots. Provisions stronger and more active. Those interests which have been conspicuous sellers of late were noted as buyers to-day. Armour bought lard and ribs. Baldwin and packers bought pork. Week's packing 456,000, against 430,000 last year.

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McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch to-day from Chicago:

Wheat—The market opened lower this morning on lower cables, but at the same time New York reported fair buying for foreign account. Selling, however, was not in any great volume, and the market speedily advanced ½c, and after some erratic fluctuations market became strong, mainly because there was no selling pressure and shorts bought heavily. St. Louis contributed in the buying, and probably bought several millions wheat during the day. Closing is firm at best prices of the day. Character of buying to-day cannot be called good, as the wheat will probably be resold should not our advance meet with immediate response abroad. Cash demand here only fair, there being about 50,000 bushels reported. New York reports 20 loads for export. There was some talk to the effect that there is more disposition to sell wheat in the northwest. Receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth continue small, being for four days this week 1123 cars, against 787 cars same time last week.

Provisions—Very strong all day, buying by local speculators. Commission houses best sellers, selling long stuff. Last half hour market strong on liberal covering by shorts. Market closed strong at top.

Only those who have had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain in your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day; but relief is sure to those who use Holloway's Corn Cure. ed

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