THE SITUATION IS STRONGER

The Extent of the Wall Street Reaction and Some Comments Thereon.

(Boston Transcript, Tuesday)

Today there was a warning on Wall Street just as the advance began to look too rapid. It came in the shape of sudden bidding up of the money rate to 8 per cent. Stocks naturally receded. Fifteen minutes later, or at 2.45 p. m. the rate was quoted at 5 per cent. It was a "flurry," only, but the room saw beneath it a distinct warning not to make haste too rapidly, to remember that this is not a boom any more, but a period of calm. There are some things under way that make it quite undesirable to have any more pyramiding; it is well enough for shorts to cover and go long of the market for a day or two; these in and out professional traders are all right, but apparently no more will be permitted. So the little warning came this afternoon and stocks responded with a recession from the highest—not enough to extinguish all of the gains, but enough to give quite an object lesson to him who trades.

The extent of the stock market reaction which seems to have reached its end, for the present at any rate, certainly warrants the suggestion of possible overselling and of too speedy a change from bull to bear in the professional ranks. At Saturday's low point Reading showed 29¾ decline from the highest. Anaconda 28 (7) Colorado Fuel 22 3-8, Sugar, 17 1-4, Great Northern pfd 18 1-2, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 15 3-8, St. Paul 14 1-2, Northern Pacific 14 1-2, Tennessee Coal & Iron 13, Union Pacific 10 1-4, Smelting 11 5-8, Amalgamated Copper 8 3-4, Steel common only 5 1-2. The average drop of the most active stocks, prominent of late, has been all of 14 1-2. This compares with an average fall of 7 in the average of closing prices of 25 stocks from Jan. 19 to Feb. 17. From 6 to 20 points is the range of decline in the main, and it is fair to call the market's reaction of the past four weeks just about a $10 affair. The 1905 rise began in late May, that of 1904 in March. From the high point of 1902 to late September, 1903, the market had a drop averaging over $50; it rose all of $55 or $60 up to a month ago; now we have had a $10 reaction.

These figures are approximate, but near enough to be taken as basis for considering the outlook. It seems to be admitted generally that business in most lines will have a good year, that orders ahead and coming in warrant that belief. Moreover, foreign trade is making new records and Europe, relieved from the monetary strain, looks approvingly on American conditions and participate in the new bond issues, rush of which since the year began, with money market uncertainty, labor unsettlement and the investigating disposition of legislative bodies, contributed so materially to bringing about this liquidation. Now it is plain that the cessation of pyramiding, quieting in the exploitation of "deals," liquidation of speculative accounts, have relieved the money market; call rates have not exceeded 5 per cent. in New York and loans of the banks have been reduced.

So far, the situation is stronger; a great deal of the unhealthy condition has been eliminated; a return to safety and sanity has been made; a "two-sided" market is here; there is a bear party as well as a bull party. Men are willing to admit that February and March are months of doubt of precedent; several important and basic factors in business, finance and speculation take shape in the spring months. The new crop comes in as a great factor; the monetary position has to be determined. Naturally this is a period for correcting evils of over-speculation and it will be cause for rejoicing if it prove that we are able to do this early instead of in the autumn, as was the case in 1902 and again in 1903. Fundamental prosperity remains; the market has shown that the brakes can be applied in time; the whole situation is better for this reaction. Merit will count, now, and men will figure values on a more correct system.

Mrs. Stubbins. "Oh ay, he's a handy man, is my John. He made that cuckoo clock go again as well as ever; only thing i sit 'coos' now before it 'cucks.' "—The Tatler.

STOCKS DIP FROM 5 TO OVER 29 P. C.

From the high level Wall Street stocks have dropped all the way from 5 to 29 points.

The sharp reaction in the market on Saturday, carrying a number of stocks to low points for weeks past, shows quite an interesting contrast when the low for the day is placed in a list with the high made this year.

The appended table gives the high mark for the year, the low point made Saturday and the net declines:

Stock.	High for 1906.	Low made Feb 17	Net. Dec.
Amalg Copper	118¼	110½	8⅛
Am. Locomotive	78½	70¾	8¼
Am. Smelting	174	161¼	12¾
Am. Sugar	157	140	17
Anaconda	300	270½	29½
Brooklyn R T	94⅛	78⅛	15⅞
St. Paul	193	178¼	14⅞
Col Fuel and Iron	83⅜	60	23⅜
Erie	50⅞	42½	8⅜
Great Northern pref	346½	325⅞	20⅝
Northern Pacific	232½	219¼	13¼
Reading	164	134⅝	29⅜
Tenn Coal	165	152	13
Union Pacific	160½	149¾	10¾
U. S. Steel	46¼	40⅞	5⅜
U. S. Steel pref	113¼	106	7¼

REXTON

REXTON, N. B. Feb. 20—Contractor A Burns of St. John and a crew of men are here doing the masonry in connection with the putting in of the new boiler in Jardine's mill.

Capt. Henry McLean has sold the schr "Raeburn," 74 tons register, to Capt. Chapman of P. E. I.

The young people of Rexton and Richibucto are looking forward to the skating carnival which will take place at the rink in Richibucto Friday night.

Rev. Father Martineau of Richibucto Village is confined to his bed with a severe attack of la grippe.

Kirk, son of G. F. Atkinson is recovering from pneumonia. One of Edward Hannay's children is very ill with the same trouble.

Word has been received here of the death at his home in Scotland of Capt. Andrew G. Slater, brother of the late Mrs. Nathaniel Hutchinson of this place, and uncle of Mrs. J. L. Hutchinson and Mrs. R. L. Lennox, of Rexton.

Roderick D. Granville, who has been bookkeeper for E. Hannay for some years has gone to St. John where he has accepted a position with the Frost & Wood Co., Ltd. T. E. Girvan, who travels for Emerson & Fisher is renewing old acquaintances in town.

Thomas Bowser of Portland, Me., is visiting his mother.

Daniel Woods returned home from the State of Maine.

W. H. McLeod has been gazetted a member of the pilotage authority for Richibucto. Harry Walthen of Kent Junction has been successful in sending in the second largest number of subscribers to McClure's Magazine, thus getting the prize of $100.

A. T. Hatcher let yesterday on a business trip to Nova Scotia.

Richibucto Division, No. 42, S. of T. will celebrate their 52nd anniversary tomorrow.

RUNAWAY AT BAYSWATER

What almost proved a serious accident occurred at Bayswater on the evening of the 14th. Everett Barlow and party including Walter Souther, George Souther, Charles Miller and George McCrae started on a sleigh drive. When nearing the bridge crossing Milkish Creek, the horse took fright and became unmanageable. Mr. Barlow did all he could to control the animal but without avail. The banging of the sleigh could be heard for some distance as it went from side to side of the road. Just below the ferry landing is a high stone wall, at this point the sleigh collapsed, some of the occupants were thrown over the wall and marvellously escaped with slight injuries. The horse was recaptured by Mr. Barlow later in the evening.

The cash prizes to be awarded the best costumed attendants at the big carnival in Victoria Rink Tuesday evening will amount to thirty dollars, which will be split up as follows: $10 for the best combination, and four $5 prizes for ladies and gentlemen who will wear the most original and the best all-round get-ups.

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ALBANI'S VIOLINIST

Haydn Wood the great violinist who will be heard with Albani next Wednesday night, is said to have been the sensation of the London musical season. He is but eighteen and promises as did Kubelik at that age to become a maestro. This fine concert will be the leading entertainment event of the season, and as the prices are within the reach of all the opera house should be crowded. The plan opens Saturday morning at the box office.

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1906

February	Sun Rises	Sets	Tides High	Low
19 Mon.	7.22	5.54	4.27	11.33
20 Tues.	7.21	5.55	5.34	12.00
21 Wed.	7.20	5.57	6.32	0.49
22 Thurs	7.18	5.58	7.23	1.40
23 Fri.	7.16	6.00	8.08	2.25
24 Sat.	7.14	6.01	8.49	3.05

The Time used is Atlantic Standard, for the 60th Meridian, which is four hours slower than Greenwich mean time. It is counted from midnight to midnight.

STEAMERS FOR ST. JOHN.

Name	Date of Sailing.
Evangeline, from London	Feb. 7
Numidian from Liverpool	Feb. 8
Lake Michigan, London	Feb. 13
Lake Champlain from Liverpool	Feb. [illegible]
Melville from New York	Feb. 15
Concordia from Glasgow	Feb. 17
Manchester Trader, Manchester	Feb. 20
Lake Erie from Liverpool	Feb. 27

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

February 22.

Stmr Senlac, 614, McKinnon, from Halifax and call points; Wm Thomson & Co, pass and mdse.

Coastwise:—

Schr Clara A. Benner, 37, Phinney, Back Bay and cld.

Cleared

Schr F & E Givan, 98, Melvin, for Boston, 119,546 ft spruce and hemlock scantling; L B Tufts.

Schr Maple Leaf, 98, Smith, for Red Beach, Maine, was in for harbor from Parrsboro.

Sailed.

Stmr St. Croix, 1064, Thompson, for Boston, via Eastport.

DOMINION PORTS.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 21—Ard, stmr Numidian, Liverpool, and sailed for St John, N B; Florence, Saint John, N B; schr Alberta, Boston.

Cld—Brigt Marconi, Liverpool, N S; schr Sainte Marie, for New York.

BRITISH PORTS.

LONDON, Feb 21—Sld, Saint John City, St John, N B.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb 21—Sld, stmr Saxonia, Boston.

SOUTHAMPTON, Feb 21—Sld, stmr Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, New York.

LIVERPOOL, Feb 21—Sld, stmr Sachem, Boston.

KINSALE, Feb 21—Passed, stmr Briardine, Halifax for Manchester.

FOWEY, Feb 19—Sld, stmr Gulf of Ancud, Boston.

FOREIGN PORTS.

PERTH AMBOY, N J, Feb 21—Ard, stmr Duncan, Sydney, C B.

CITY ISLAND, Feb 21—Bound south, stmr Amethyst, Halifax, N S; schr Laura, Savannah-la-Mar, Ja.

PORTLAND, Me, Feb 21—Ard, stmrs Cornishman, Liverpool; Nanna, from Parrsboro, N S.

Passed Cape Elizabeth—Schrs Hunter, New York for St John, N B; Eugene Borda, do, for Rockland.

CALAIS, Me, Feb 21—Sld, sch Clifford I White, Broad Cove, for a harbor.

NEW YORK, Feb 21—Cld, stmrs La Bretagne, Havre; Idaho, Hull; ship Fitzgerald, Melbourne, etc; schrs Harry, Bridgewater, N S; Chas H Valentine, Charleston.

Sld—Stmr Majestic, for Liverpool; bark St Marys Bay, Touron; Schr J R Bodwell, Rockland.

PORTSMOUTH, N H, Feb 21—Ard, schrs Ida May, St John for Boston.

BOSTON, Feb 21—Ard, stmr Yitchtenfels, Calcutta.

Cld—Stmrs Columbian, for London; Devonian, Liverpool; Sardinian, Glasgow; Alexandra, Copenhagen; bark Belmont, Buenos Ayres; schr Cyril, La Have, N S.

Sld—Stmr Catalone, for Louisburg, C B; bark Ymer, Rosario; schrs W S Wynot, Mahone Bay, N S; Thomas Hix, Portland.

HAMBURG, Feb 16—Sld, stmr Leuctra, Grant, Norfolk.

RECENT CHARTERS.

Grain—British steamer Leuctra, 19,000 qrs, Baltimore to two Danish ports, 2s 6¾d, March 1 and 25.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

Rockland parties who bought the cargo of laths of brig Atlanta, before reported wrecked on Seal Island, will clear about $8,000.

PORTLAND, Me, Feb. 16—Geo A Gilchrist, of Belfast, has sold schr Theoline to M P Smith & Sons Co, of New York. She will be commanded by Capt. Sawyer, formerly of schr Lavinia M.

ST. ANDREWS, Feb. 19—Ard on Saturday evening, 17th inst, from Boston, the schr Marguerite of Weymouth, N S, J J Thibadeau master, with cargo of 145 tons fertilizer, to be forwarded by the C. P. R. to Houlton, Me., for distribution through Aroostook Co.

VESSELS IN PORT

Not Cleared to Date—Showing the Tonnage and Consignee:—

STEAMERS.

Athenia, 5112, Schofield & Co.
Bengore Head, 1619, Wm Thomson & Co.
Manchester Importer, 2538; Wm Thomson & Co.
Melville, 2872, Wm Thomson & Co.
Montreal, 5552, C P R Co.
Oruro, 1249, Schofield & Co.

BARK

Shawmut, 406, John E Moore.

SCHOONERS

Abbie and Eva Hooper, 276, R C Elkin.
Abbie C. Stubbs, 295, master.
Abbie Keast, 95, A W Adams.
Adelene, 190, R. C. Elkin.
Alice Maud, 119, N. C. Scott.
Annie A Booth, 160, A W Adams.
Annie Isles, 275, Master.
Calabria, 350, J Splane & Co.
Clayola, 123, J. W. Smith.
D W B, 126, D J Purdy.
Domain, 91, J W McAlary.
Eric, 119, N C Scott.
Frank and Ira, 98, N C Scott.
Freddie A Higgins, 78, J W Smith.
Georgia, 291, J W Smith.
Genevieve, 124, A W Adams.
G H Perry, 93, F Tufts.
Harry Knowlton, 277, J A Gregory.
Harold B Cousens, 360, Peter McIntyre.
I. N. Parker, 98, A. W. Adams.
J. L. Colwell, 99, A. W. Adams.
Ida M Barton, 102, J W McAlary.
Laura C Hall, 99, F Tufts & Co.
Lena Maud, 98, D. J. Purdy.
Lotus 98, A W Adams.
Lois V. Chaples, 191, A. W. Adams.
Lucia Porter, 284 P. McIntyre.
Lula Price, 121, Master.
Manuel R Cuza, 258, P McIntyre.
Mary E, 95, F Tufts.
Millie, 638, J W Smith.
Myra B. 95, Master.
Nellie Watters, 96, F Tufts & Co.
Norman, 299, R C Elkin.
Onward, 92, A. W. Adams.
Pardon S. Thompson, 162 A. Cushing & Co.
Phoenix, 397, F Tufts & Co.
Rebecca W Huddell, 210, D JFurdy.
Rewa, 122, D J Purdy.
Sebago, 234, P McIntyre.
Tay, 124, Peter McIntyre.
Three Sisters, 288, John E Moore.
Uranus, 73, J W McAlary.
Walter Miller, 118, N C Scott.
William Elkin, 229, J W Smith.
Wm. Marshall, 250, P. McIntyre.
Winnie Lawry, 215, D. J. Purdy.

Note—This list does not include today's arrivals.

MARINE NOTES

A new steamer for the Halifax-St. Pierre, Miquelon, route was launched at Dunkirk, France, on January 27. She was named the St. Pierre Miquelon and will take her place on the route in April.

BALTIMORE, Feb 18—The British bark Trinidad passed up Sparrows Point at 11 a. m. yesterday, with the loss of her mizzentopmast. She comes from Rosario via Barbadoes.

The barkentine Westfield, Captain Larsen, from New York for Charleston, with cargo of cement, came in on Friday with the loss of her foretopmast head and other minor injuries.

The following further particulars have been received from Savannah: The British schooner Cheslie, Captain Brown, from Carrabelle for St. John, N. B., lumber laden, put into Savannah in distress yesterday. The captain reports that on Sunday, Feb. 11, he encountered a gale which lasted until Monday evening. The vessel lost her rudder stock and is leaking. The gale was encountered off Savannah.

LONDON, Feb. 19—Fire broke out today on a lighter having on board 400 bales of coton from steamer Himera, at Genoa from Savannah. The lighter was scuttled, but evtent of damage has not yet been ascertained.

The schooner Fannie Palmer, which went ashore below Cape Henry, has been disposed of at private sale, and was not allowed to go for $1,300, the price bid for her at public sales last week, as reported.

During the past 48 house at Boston three vessels have arrived in port with cargoes of wool, one from Australia and two from Buenos Ayres. Steamer Egwanga brought in 8397 bales from Australia, bark Star of the East 1289 bales from Buenos Ayres, and bark Duncraig 413 bales, also from Buenos Ayres. The total duty paid on the combined cargoes is approximately $2,400,000.

EXPORTS

For Liverpool, per stmr Lake Manitoba:—Canadian goods—1,030 sacks oatmeal, 724 crts washboards, 60 cs oranges, 4,371 sacks flour, 161 bales rags, 45 cs typewriters, 36 cs pulleys, 1 box leather, 9 cs furs, 120 cs bacon, 10 cs pickets, 587 bxs cheese, 5 pkgs mdse, 1 bale flannelette, 40 bbls c milk, 69 pkgs lawn mowers, 6 cs handles, 51,489 ft spruce deals, 114,385 ft scantling, 147,232 ft ends, 8,305 ft boards, 301 tons birch timber, 3 cs scales, 145,910 bushels wheat, 1,608 bales hay, 305 bdls lumber, 726 bdls chair stock, 3 pkgs glass, 1 crt washing machines, 3 bbls sweepings, 100 bxs cheese, 50 csks tallow, 55 pkgs adv matter, 47 cs brooms, 14 cs brush backs, 26 bxs meats, 315 bxs phosperus, 2,104 pcs maple blocks—value $234,237.

Foreign goods—1 bale w coatings, 2 cs woollens, 100 bxs hams, 7,316 pkgs lard, 240 bxs provisions, 4,000 sacks flour, 62 pkgs sand paper, 619 bales cotton, 10,000 last blocks, 3,369 bdls maple flooring, 2,815 pkgs handles, 1,667 pcs lancewood, etc., 800 bags pemento—value $210,396.

Total value of cargo $444,633.

THE WORLD OF SPORT

HOCKEY

Mount Allison won the New Brunswick intercollegiate championship last night by defeating the University of New Brunswick, 1 to 0, in a rather slow game in the Queen's rink. Mt. Allison will now play the St. Francis Xavier College, of Antigonish (N. S.), for the maritime intercollegiate championship. The date has not yet been agreed upon, but will likely to arranged soon.

There was but a fair sized crowd on account of the inclement weather, and the ice was in a wretched condition for hockey, it being almost impossible to get the puck off the surface. Good shooting was therefore difficult, if not impossible. A number of delays also tended to take interest from the contest. One player was injured and one of each team had to leave the ice for a few minutes for broken skates. Eric Macneil was chosen referee, and it was about 8.20 when he called the teams on the ice. The line-up was:—

Mount Allison.		U. N. B.
	Goal.	
Murchie		Lunney (captain)
	Point.	
Bell		Smith
	Cover Point.	
Black (acting captain)		Gregory
	Right Wing.	
B. Russell		Coleman
	Left Wing.	
B. W. Russell		Bonner
	Rover.	
Norman		Malloy
	Centre.	
Wright		Winslow

For the first few minutes the game was very even, but the rubber gradually became a permanent fixture at the U. N. B. end, where it remained for the most part of the half and the game generally. The wet ice and good work on the part of Captain Lunney, however, prevented the Mount Allison septette from notching any goals during the first half. After about ten minutes' play, Wright received a severe cut in the face from a hockey stick and the game was delayed for a minute in consequence.

Play had hardly been resumed ten minutes when B. W. Russell, also of the "Mount A." seven, broke a skate, causing further delay. The half ended with the puck in U. N. B. territory.

The second half started off lively, Mount Allison rushing matters, and in a hot mix-up in front of the U. N. B. goal, "Corkey" Norman plumped the rubber in the net for the first and only score of the game. The red and black then took a brace ,and for a time kept the college boys from the Tantramar marsh on the defence, Dick Malloy sending a pretty one at Mr. Murchie, "the man behind."

The remainder of the game, however, was all in favor of Mount Allison. About five minutes before the end, Malloy, of the U. N. B., broke his skate, which was the cause of another short wait.

For the winners, Norman, B. Russell and Black did excellent work for their team; while Dick Malloy, Coleman, Bobby Winslow and Captain Lunney were the most noticable for U. N. B. Captain Jakeman, of the Mount Allison team, was ill, and consequently unable to be with his team.

THE RING

The death is announced in London of Joe Vickers, the old-time fighter. For years Vickers kept the Old Wheel Inn, Coventry, England, but several years ago he removed to Leamington. In his prime Vickers was a game and skilful fighter under prize ring rules, and in 1866 he frequently challenged all England at 7 stone 8 pounds. He was about 60 years of age. To the late Queen Victoria, to King Edward and Queen Alexandra, to the late Sir Henry Irving, Vickers sent watches and portraits, which were accepted, and in return he received acknowledgements, which were highly prized.

Jack Curley, financial director for Hart and Ryan, wires from Santa Monica, Cal., that Jeffries's enmity for Hart, due to Hart's statement that Jeffries tried to give him a raw deal when he refereed the Hart-Root battle July last at Reno, Nev., has caused the king of fighters to say that "if Hart whips Burns easily I will meet the Kentuckian in the ring and whip him within an inch of his life."

Curley says Hart is more than willing, and adds: "You can lay your loose change that Jeffries will return to the ring to give Hart a battle."

Right on top of the possibility of Jeffries returning to the ring comes the announcement that Hart will retire. A sister of Hart in Louisville, Ky., is in receipt of a letter from him in which he says that he is tiring of life on the road and yearns for home. He says that he intends to be busy this year and after twelve months fighting will quit the ring for good. Hart owns a small farm on the Bardstown pike.

In referring to his contest with Burns, Hart says:

"I shall win easily. I am training on the beach at Santa Monica, Cal. I have never been in better shape and my friends will not be disappointed in my performance in the ring this month."

February 22, 1906

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Although the price of many articles is so much higher, we have a large force of work people to keep employed, and rather than carry over many lines of manufactured goods, we will close out such lines as we have a surplus of, and give special terms for payment to enable purchasers who do not wish to invest the cash now to take advantage of this sale and get possession of Furs that will next season cost a lot more money.

Remember, this only applies to manufactured Furs. The skins we have we hold. They cannot be replaced at an average advance of 30 per cent.; but our stock of Manufactured Furs is heavy, and the chances are we will have something in stock to suit you. We still have on hand a good assortment of sizes in the following Furs:

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AT THE OPERA HOUSE

With each succeeding year Manager Charles H. Yale evolves a new edition for his "Everlasting Devil's Auction," each one of which surpasses its predecessor with the beauties of its ensembles, scenic grandeur and marvelous ballets. The production for this, the twenty-fourth continuous year of success, will be far and way ahead of former presentations of this wonderful play. New ballets, new scenery, music and specialties should make this season's production of Chas. H. Yale's Everlasting always to be remembered, never forgotten, never excelled, always welcome "Devil's Auction" a memorable one. To appear Friday and Saturday next. Bargain matinee Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Spear left last Tuesday evening by the Maritime Express on her return to her home in Moncton, after a pleasant visit to her mother, Mrs. Jennie F. Saunders, 173 Mill street.

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