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THE STEEL OUTLOOK.

Manager of Dominion Iron and Steel Company in an Optimistic Mood.

SYDNEY, Oct. 7.—In Saturday's issue of the Post there appeared an article dealing with the steel question from the point of view of the United States Steel Corporation. The caption of the article was "The steel industry in the republic to the south of us make the statement that last year they exported less than ten per cent of the total steel sold, and that so far various companies have kept their mills manned at most to their maximum capacity but that a heavy falling off in new business over the last three months will soon be reflected in a sharp reduction in the working forces. Should prevailing conditions continue with regard to labor both in the United States and Canada, it is evident that the Dominion manufacturers will increase their business to such an extent as to far exceed anything that has ever been accomplished heretofore."

Interviewed by the Post reporter Mr. Jones of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company said: "With regard to the falling off of business and reduction of forces by American corporations, which as yet it had not reached the acute stages, nevertheless is bound to come." "How will this state of affairs affect the local works?" "You may state for me that condition of your works and influx from day to day of new orders is such that we will not only maintain the present strength of our forces but it will very likely be necessary to materially increase them in the near future."

"Will the forecasted reflection in steel be of lasting character, and so would it affect your company?" "This would depend entirely on the attitude of the consumers, but would not be of any duration judging from the present outlook."

"How about your company?" "Well the state of our business is such that we have a long period of contracts enough to carry us over any reasonable reactionary period."

In conclusion Mr. Jones repeated that so far as the Sydney works were concerned no apprehension need be felt, as the general condition of the country was good and the outlook promising.

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MONTREAL, Oct. 7.—A driving accident which cost three lives is reported from Chambley near here. A party was driving along the Tow Path of Chambley Canal, when the horses took fright and plunged into the waters. Details are difficult to secure and names of victims are yet unknown.

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WHITNEY AND BARTLETT.

Faction Fight Among Massachusetts Democrats Results in Two Candidates Being Chosen.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 5.—Two separate tickets were nominated by the Democrats of Massachusetts, in convention in the Court Square Theatre today, while pandemonium reigned. One was headed by General Charles W. Bartlett, of New Bedford, and the other by Henry M. Whitney, of Boston. The state ballot law commission will be invoked by the Whitney followers to settle the question as to which ticket shall be recognized as regular.

Mr. Thayer announced later in the afternoon that he declined to be a candidate for lieutenant-governor on the Bartlett ticket.

The Bartlett faction adopted a platform drawn up by George Fred Williams, which was devoted chiefly to a denunciation of monopolies in general and of the proposed merger of the New York, New Haven & Hartford and the Boston & Maine railroads in particular.

A platform presented by Josiah Quincy was adopted by the Whitney faction. Its principal feature was its advocacy of reciprocity and condemnation of the Dingley tariff.

Having control of the machinery of the state tariff last night, the Bartlett faction, by getting to the convention hall early and in large numbers, was able to carry through its program. When the Whitney men arrived at the hall a little before the time for the meeting of the convention, those who gained admittance found the orchestra nearly full of men wearing Bartlett ribbons.

Upon announcement of the chairman of the state committee that a Bartlett leader, Daniel J. Kiley, of Boston, had been chosen temporary chairman, the Whitney delegates, who were apparently in the minority of about one to three, retired to the rear of the theatre and held a convention in the foyer. There was then presented the unique spectacle of two presiding officers, one at each end of the theatre entertaining notions and announcing decisions, amid noise so deafening

that it was only at intervals that it was possible to learn what was being done. At the conclusion of the convention the Whitney leaders claimed that many of their delegates had been unable to gain admittance to the theatre, and that the Bartlett leaders, having control of the tickets to the convention, passed their delegates through without delay.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 6.—James L. Doherty, of this city, who was named for attorney-general on the state ticket headed by Henry M. Whitney at the Democratic convention yesterday, has announced that under no conditions will he accept, although a sympathizer with the Whitney cause.

Boston, Oct. 5.—Without a voice raised in protest at any stage of the proceedings, without the slightest sign of debate or discussion, and with a harmony almost unparalleled, the Republicans of Massachusetts assembled in Symphony Hall today and, in a little more than two hours, transacted the entire business of the convention, nominating a complete state ticket and adopting a party platform.

The ticket follows, all the candidates being up for re-election. Governor, Curtis Guild, jr., of Boston. Lieutenant-governor, Eben S. Draper, of Hopedale. Secretary of state, William M. Olin, of Boston.

Treasurer and receiver-general, Arthur B. Chapin, of Holyoke. Auditor, Henry E. Turner, of Malden. Attorney-general, Dana Malone, of Greenfield. Every nomination was by acclamation, and was unanimous. The platform was adopted unanimously and without debate. There was a most noticeable lack of enthusiasm. Occasionally there would be a spontaneous burst of applause, but the delegates generally were apathetic. The attendance was barely two-thirds of the total representation.

'FRAUD!' SAYS MR. WATSON.

Accuses Bank of Montreal and Geo. W. Fowler, M. P.

Toronto Globe: Strongly worded accusations against the Bank of Montreal, Mr. J. D. Montgomery and George W. Fowler, M. P., were made by Mr. George H. Watson, Thursday afternoon when the Bank of Montreal and J. D. Montgomery of Toronto commenced their appeal against Mr. Peter Ryan, before the Court of Appeal at Osgoode Hall. The appeal is against a judgment delivered on March 25th of this year in favor of Mr. Ryan, by Mr. Justice Clute, whereby the former was awarded \$1,000 damages against the present appellants for "the wrongful and illegal transfer" to the custody of Mr. J. D. Montgomery, of certain note signed by Mr. Ryan in favor of the Bank of Montreal.

Mr. G. F. Shepley, K. C., appeared on behalf of the bank, Mr. A. Millar for the co-appellant, Mr. J. D. Montgomery and Mr. George H. Watson for Mr. Peter Ryan.

The case is one in which the Bank of Montreal claimed in July, 1906, to hold a demand note of Mr. Ryan's for \$12,789.24. This paper subsequently was "transferred" to the hands of J. D. Montgomery, acting, it is alleged, as agent or in the interests of the Ashcroft Water & Electric Development Company, of British Columbia, and also for Mr. George W. Fowler, M. P., and others. On an endeavor being made to realize on the note Mr. Ryan refused payment, and at the same time brought action against the Bank of Montreal and Montgomery, charging the former with "colluding and conspiring with the latter against him to place him in a position of embarrassment and so force him into bargains in other transactions detrimental to himself. Mr. Montgomery meanwhile sued on the note he held. Mr. Justice Clute decided the former suit in Mr. Ryan's favor, and the latter suit against Montgomery, even ordering the plaintiff to pay costs to Mr. Ryan. It is from these two judgments that the appeal is being made.

Whether or not a bank holding a note such as Mr. Ryan's should transfer that note to men who sought to use it as a means of "squeezing" its maker, and should expose to such parties that man's dealings with the bank, was the question placed before the court.

Mr. Watson opened his response to the appellant counsel with accusations against the parties of the defence.

"No case has ever come before the court where there can be more clearly shown mala fides and dishonesty on

the part of the defendants than this case," said Mr. Watson.

"The evidence shows that the bank knew in December—knew all along—the illegality and dishonesty of the defendants' motives."

Justice Meredith—But fraudulent motives do not affect the transaction of it in itself were legal.

Mr. Watson—The bank knew it was wanted for illegal purposes.

Justice Britton—Well, what was illegal? Where were these purposes? "To hold up Mr. Ryan in connection with other business matters."

"That was perfectly legitimate and proper," commented Justice Britton. "He would have had to pay the same on the notes no matter who held them."

A little further on in Mr. Watson's argument Justice MacLaren interrupted.

"Have you not to establish that this was an illegal transaction or transfer, Mr. Watson? If it was legal, then the malice may go as justification for damages. I am to understand, however, that illegality is the charge?"

"Illegality!" exclaimed Mr. Watson; "more than that, my Lord—fraud is the charge."

"You speak of illegality, wrongful doing, etc. You make so much of it I'd like to hear some facts," interrupted Justice MacLaren.

Mr. Watson thereupon reiterated the allegation that the defendant, Montgomery and his colleagues by getting possession of Mr. Ryan's note could force him into a bargain in certain other transactions which would be to their own advantage and Mr. Ryan's loss.

"I say," went on Mr. Ryan's counsel, "that correspondence and other evidence was suppressed and concealed by all the defendants to this action. If your Lordship would call for certain dockets the evidence of fraud would lie open before you. It was only after peremptory ruling of the trial judge that we were enabled to get Mr. Worrell's docket into court. In fact, now I would ask the court for an order requiring Mr. Millar to produce Mr. Montgomery's docket."

He then read at some length extracts from Mr. Worrell's docket, solicitor for the Bank of Montreal. He commented upon these extracts, recording the work of the bank's solicitor in the negotiation of the sale, and said that they showed "wanton and voluntary exposure" of Mr. Ryan's affairs.

The hearing of the case goes on this morning.

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