Notice to Depositors.

After the FIRST OF APRIL, 1907, Interest on deposits with this Corporation will be paid or added to the Account and compounded quarterly, on 30th June, 30th September, 31st December and 31st March.

Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation,

4-2-6 t. ST. JOHN, N. B.

Financial and Commercial

DEEPLY INTERESTED IN COPPER METAL SITUATION

Wall Street Does Not Know What to Make of Contradictory Reports---Peculiar Condition of the Market---Can High Price Hold.

(N. Y. Journal of Commerce.)

Wall Street is deeply interested in the copper metal situation. Reports are so contradictory. One set of interests represents the market as unprecedentedly strong, with no maximum price in sight, and cables are printed purporting to report sales at over 26c.; elsewhere definite statements are made that it is possible to buy the metal appreciably below 25c. The handling of over 65 per cent of America's output of copper is controlled by a coterie who can manipulate the market almost at will—for a time. The truth is hard to get at. Yet so far as could be ascertained by diligent enquiry yesterday the break in London is not wholly without significance. The amount of business that has been actually put through in this country at the quotations recently in vogue has been extremely limited.

In discussing this matter Bruce McKelvie, the local representative of Hayden, Stone & Co., stated that he could not see how copper metal could be maintained at the top prices now quoted, in view of the falling off in general trade. "It would be curious," he went on to say, "if the reaction in industry which everyone is beginning to experience did not make itself felt in the copper trade. For what brought about the abnormal advance in the price of the metal? Was it not our unbounded prosperity? It must follow then that a waning of that prosperity will entail a falling off in the demand, and, as a corollary, in the value of copper. In fact, it is already possible to fill a big order below current market quotations. Ever since the price has been quoted above 20c I think the market has been more or less affected by manipulation. It seems unnatural for copper to sell at 25c a pound, but even at 20c copper mining companies can do very well. I do not regard 18c or 20c an unreasonable price for the metal, even though it is admitted that it can be produced at an average cost of 11c There are so many risks to be run by those who start new mines; the chance of ore petering out at any time has to be taken into account, and there are a hundred and one reasons why a good profit should be realized on every ton marketed. With the country in the sound state it is now there does not appear to be much danger of the metal falling below a remunerative price."

There was some inquiry for electrolytic copper for April shipment to Europe on Thursday in 100-ton lots, the intention evidently being to take up any copper offered under the apparent "combination" price. The offerings were at 232 to 234 marks equivalent to about 24 3-8c to 24 1-2c delivered in Europe. The principal feature of interest, however, is the fact that Japanese, Australian and other foreign metal can be purchased to great advantage, brought here, refined and sold at a profit about 2c per pound under the present asking prices of electrolytic. While such unusual conditions last our importations of copper are likely to continue large. Yesterday 50 tons of bars came in from Liverpool and on the day previous there were imported 232 bars from Peru. It is understood that some heavy purchases of Australian copper have been made in Europe during the last few days that will be brought here for referring, which means late June or July delivery.

Domestic consumers are well provided with copper to meet requirements for the next 60 days and with the undoubted tendency toward a further contraction in business during the third quarter of the year, there is small disposition to make important purchases beyond June, especially with the market in the present unsettled condition. Prices of late on electrolytic, however, are without essential change, but casting grades can be bought considerably under 23c.

BACHE & CO'S WEEKLY LETTER

NEW YORK, April 5—A survey of the general situation aside from stock market considerations, reveals a condition of great trade activity, not only in the United States but all over the world. Accompanying this, as in the United States, is a universal scarcity of money and abnormally high rates. In other words, the available supply of gold throughout the world is under a strain. In the United States this strain has been somewhat relieved, first, by the enormous liquidation in the security market, and second, by the opening of the treasury lid. Meantime, the Banks of England, France and Germany show not only no betterment in their conditions as revealed by their last weekly statements, but on the contrary, a condition of continued and unprecedented strain, which, compared with the corresponding periods of April settlements in former years, has hardly ever been equalled.

REASONS FOR SHORTAGE.

The growth of industrial activity throughout the world, with the accompanying increase in the value of material and labor, as well as the increase in trade demand for credit and accommodation, have reduced the situation to a point where the supply of money metal is not sufficient. In addition to this, during the last decade at least a half dozen nations have newly adopted the gold standard, making necessary an accumulation of gold, which is tightly held and constantly increased. The question now is, is the monetary stringency arising from a scarcity of money metal temporary, or must we look for a continuation of stringent conditions throughout the world until some definite and universal remedy is applied? If this latter is the case, the remedy can be in one direction only, and that is from the universal slowing down of trade to a point where the supply of gold shall once more become adequate to the demands upon it.

THE WEEK'S MARKET.

The market has shown evidence of recuperative power this week. In place of feverish, unsettled dealings the return of confidence with supporting orders in the market has characterized the trading.

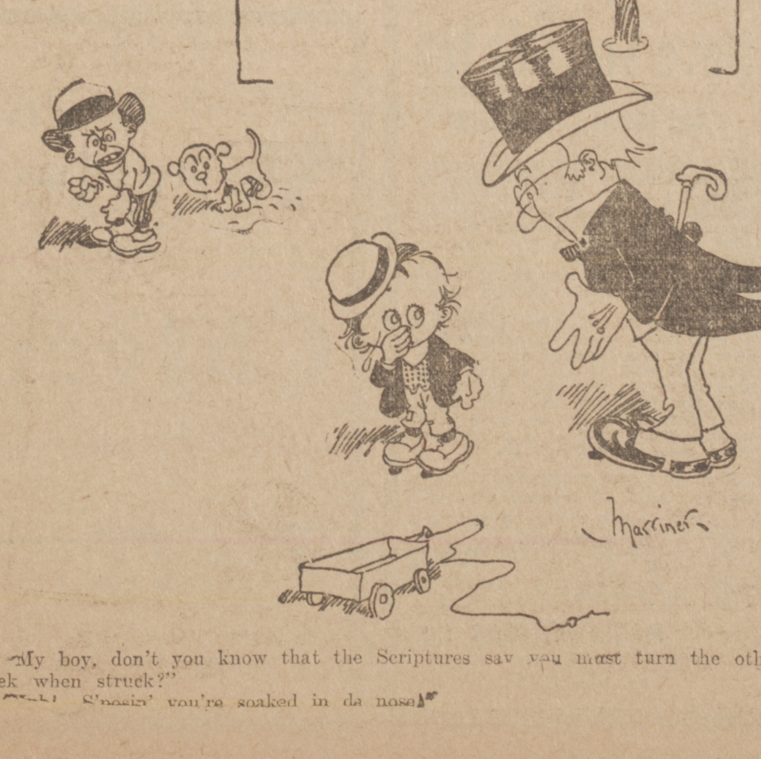
There are several contributory causes for the optomistic feeling prevalent, the most important of which is the case in money, due to the efficient aid rendered by Secretary Cortelyou, under the provision of the Currency Act recently passed by congress. He has authorized to be placed in the National banks government receipts received from customs. At the same time, he has anticipated redemption of the government 4's to the extent of 25 millions. The secretary of the treasury assistance is so timely that since the first of April, when the large disbursements of banks and trust companies on account of the dividend and interest payment had been completed, call and time money rates show a sharp decline, with the banks constantly accumulating large cash reserves.

IS THE ADVANCE TEMPORARY?

At the moment the market is showing much advancing activity. With the conditions throughout the world as heretofore indicated, if the prospects as outlined materialize it is not reasonable to suppose that the advance will continue indefinitely.

THE BULLS AND BEARS

An international banking house last Thursday sent out this wire: "We would not hesitate to sell long stocks on rallies. We doubt very much if any continued recovery can be sustained just now." A very different tone was adopted by a member of a Wall Street house that acts for big interests without saying much about it. This authority said: "The bear market is over; I am sure of it. Yesterday was the second time the old bear crowd made a viscious drive without any success. I believe that fundamentally the easing of money rates and the improvement in investment securities have turned the tide." From which it will be gathered that as usual there are two sides to the market.



"My boy, don't you know that the Scriptures say you must turn the other cheek when struck?"

"—— S'posin' you're soaked in da nose!"

THE THEATRES

At the Opera House

Tonight will mark the inaugural of the spring season of the Lyceum Stock Company in the Opera House. The Charity Ball, which much has been heard during the past two weeks, will be the initial offering. The promises made by the management have assured theatre goers that St. John will have a real high class stock company whose policy will be to present the best plays at popular prices. And they state that every promise will be faithfully kept and tonight theatre goers will have an opportunity of judging the merits of this splendid cast, the like of which has never before been seen in the maritime provinces.

The Charity Ball was selected as best suited as an opening bill in which to display the company at its best. It is a society drama, written by David Belasco, and enjoys the prestige of a long and successful engagement in Broadway. The scenic environment is magnificent. The second act scene depicts a ball room, and is artistically decorated with white, blue and gold, a harmonious combination, which greatly enhances the beautiful scene. From 7.45 until 8.15 the orchestra, concealed behind an embankment of palms, will play selections and the lobby has been tastefully decorated with cut flowers, palms and ivy and the effect is a pleasing one. The presentation will be under the stage direction of William J. Baumann, who has devoted three weeks to staging this splendid production and the cast to be seen in tonight's bill is:

Rev. John Van Buren.. .. ....Frank Powell
Dick Van Buren.. .. ..N. L. Jelenko
Alec Robinson.. .. ..John A. Butler
Judge Peter Guerney Knox.. .. ..John G. Steppling
Franklyn V. Cuger.. ..William J. Baumann
Frederick Creighton.. .. Walter D. Nealand
Mr. Betts.. .. ..Harry G. Hockey
John Paxton.. .. ..Harry C. Aiken
Mrs. Van Buren.. .. .. ..Miss Grace Goodall
Phyliss Lee.... .... ..Miss Juliette Atkinson
Mrs. De Peyster.. .. ..Miss Margaret Lee
Bess Van Buren.. .. .. ..Miss Jeanne Hollis
Mrs. Van Schuler.. .. ..Miss Lillian Bond
Miss V. Haxley.... .. ..Miss Anette Blake
Ann Cruger.... .. .. ..Miss Eleanor Hicks

A number of theatre parties will attend tonight's performance and society will be represented also.

This Week's Vaudevills

In selecting the bill for the present week the management of the local vaudeville theatre have aimed at the highest standard of excellency and a number of attractive features are promised. As usual the programme will open with a series of bioscope animated pictures, followed by a first class travesty sketch by the well known artists, Earle and Bartlett, and the one and only Mardo, known from coast to coast as the "Clown Juggler."

St. John is fortunate in the opportunity of hearing Boston's premier dramatic baritone, Thomas E. Clifford. There will be a sketch of the hilarious type by Walsh and Thorne, entitled Our Country Neighbors, which gives Mr. Walsh many opportunities to display his rare gifts of creating comical situations. Dale and Delmont are described as a musical comedy duo and are said to be a pronounced hit, whilst Valding and Davis are the acknowledged kings of the double trapeze. In addition to the second series of bioscope views it has been arranged to include some beautiful illustrated songs in the programme, for which Percy Harney has been specially engaged.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Typewriting Bureau, 20 Canterbury St.

Now is the time to have your carpets renovated before the rush. Ungars do it thoroughly, harmlessly and cheaply.

Special $12.50 men's suits just arrived at the Union Clothing Co.'s store are offered by them for all this week at $9.98 a suit. This offer is an exceptionally good value, and the keenest buyers should be on hand, all these suits being entirely new stock and all the latest cut garments. Union Clothing Co., 26-28 Charlotte street, old Y. M. C. A. building. See ad. on page 2.

The rummage sale of things new and old at 23 Brussels street will be continued Monday morning at 10.30 a. m.

The special window display of Men's suits at $9.98 is a great money saving opportunity to keen buyers. A glance at the Union Clothing Co.'s windows in Charlotte street, will prove interesting. They offer $12.50 suits for $9.98 for today and next week. Union Clothing Co.; see ad on page 2.

ANOTHER POSITION.

George H. Moore, of Scotchtown, N. B., has been selected by the employment bureau of the Currie Business University, Ltd. to fill the position of stenographer for the Scott Liniment Co.

SIMPLY GREAT.

The grand bargains in store for those who visit Henderson & Hunt's store during the next ten days beggar description. Particular attention is called to the enormous stock of boys' suits to be placed on sale. Nearly 2,000 suits to choose from without a doubt the finest and most complete assortment of boys' clothing ever shown in St. John at prices that will astonish you. To people with large families and limited means this sale will prove a blessing. We will offer a number of boys' all wool suits that are actually worth from $3.00 to $4.50, at 98c. and $1.49. The big sale starts Wednesday. COME and see for yourself.

A TREAT IN RUGS.

Absolutely genuine Oriental antiques in hand-woven rugs, the fuit of rude looms in Persia, Turkey, Afghanistan and China, are on sale and exhibition in M. R. A.'s carpet department, Germain street, and are attracting wide attention, particularly among those who see art and rare beauty in Eastern textiles. The advertisement today refers but passingly to the lovely floor coverings, extending an invitation for all to see them.

The biggest attraction of its kind that has ever been seen in St. John, will appear at the Queen's Rollaway week of April 15th in Prof. A. P. Demers, the world's champion fancy and trick roller skater, and the winner of every international championship since 1884. Giving an exhibition, as he does, of over 400 novel and difficult feats, it is small wonder that the $5,000 which he offers to anyone who can defeat him on the "little wheels" still remains unclaimed. A number of Prof. Demers' feats are so difficult that they have heretofore been pronounced impossible, by roller skaters, but Prof. Demers proves that they can be done and done easily and gracefully.

Next Thursday, April 11th, is the date of the big concert in Exmouth street S. S. room. Watch the papers for names of those who will take part. The Y. M. A. intend making this one of their best entertainments. B there if U can. Thursday, April 11, is the date.

SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1907 April	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Tide High	Tide Low
8 Mon	5.56	6.55	8.19	2.43
9 Tues	5.44	6.56	9.24	3.46
10 Wed	5.53	6.57	10.23	4.43
11 Thurs	5.51	6.59	11.12	5.30
12 Fri	5.49	7.00	11.58	6.12
13 Sat	5.47	7.02	0.19	6.52

The time used is Atlantic Standard.

VESSELS BOUND FOR ST JOHN.

Steamers—

Almerianna, London, April 7.
Empress of Ireland, Liverpool, April 5.
Lake Champlain, Liverpool March 27.
Manchester Trader, Manchester, March 29.
Mount Temple, Antwerp, in Halifax Apl 3
Pomeranian, Havre, March 30.
Salacia, Glasgow, March 31.
Tunisian, Liverpool, April 4.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Today.

Schr Calabria, 451, McLean, from New York, J Splane & Co, tar and pitch.
Schr Perry C, 287, Haux, from Newark, N J, J W McAlary, hard coal.

Coastwise:

Barge No 6, Brown, Parrsboro.
Schr Maitland, 44, Hatfield, Port Greville.
Schr Abana, 97, Loughery, St Martins.
Schr Clifford C, 96, Golding, St. Martins.
Schr Folfe, 54, Rolf, Port Greville.

Arrived Yesterday.

Stmr Stiklestad, 117, Axelsen, from Louisburg, N S, R P & W F Starr, 3000 tons coal.
Schr Harry Miller, 246, Boston, from New London, A W Adams, oak lumber.

Cleared Today.

Schr H A Holder, 94, Rolfe, for Boston; Stetson Cutler & Co, 98099 ft spruce boards.

Coastwise:

Stmr Flushing, Chambers, Parrsboro.

Sailed Yesterday.

Stmr Parisian, 3,385, Johnson, for Liverpool, Wm Thomson & Co, pass and mdse.
Stmr Kastalia, 2562, Black, for Glasgow, R Reford Co, general cargo.

DOMINION PORTS.

Halifax, April 6—Ard, str Empress of Britain, St John (and sailed for Liverpool); schs H H Kitchener, New York; Alcaea, Providence.
Cld—Schs Arclight, New York; Coronation, St John's (Nfld.)
Halifax, April 7—Ard, strs Kensington, Liverpool; Briardene, Las Palmas; Silvia, St John's (Nfld); A W Perry, Boston; sch J L Nelson, Elizabethport.

BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, April 5—Sld, str Empress of Ireland, Forster, St John.
Newport, April 4—Ard, str Parthenia, Stitt, Baltimore and St John.
Barbados, March 20—Sld, schs A K McLean, Remby, Halifax; Gladys E Whidden, Poirier, Boston; 22nd, Jessie, Keeping, Harbor Breton; 25th, Montrose, Walters, St John.
Liverpool, April 7—Ard, str Ulunda, Halifax.
London, April 7—Sld, str Almeriana, St John.
Liverpool, April 6—Ard, strs Etruria, New York; Victorian, Halifax.
Queenstown, April 7—Sld, str Campania, New York.
London, April 6—Sld, str Pors, Sydney.
Bristol, April 6—Ard, str Monmouth, St John.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Ferandina, April 6—Ard, schr Cheslie, Brown, from Mayaguez, Porto Rico, to load for St. John.
Tacoma, April 4—Ard, barks Gladys, Perriam, Newcastle, E; Muskoka, McDonald, Port Townsend.
Sld—Bark Sussex, Boyd, Valparaiso.
Brunswick, April 5—Sld, bark C B Whidden, Morrison, Oporto.
Jacksonville, April 5—Ard, sch Theta, Salter, New York.
Cld—Sch Lillian Blauvelt, Goodwin, Fredericksted via Christiansted, Danish West Indies.
Savannah, April 5—Sld, sch Hibernia, McDade, Amherst (N S.)
Boston, April 7—Ard, strs Boston, Yarmouth; Catalone, Louisburg; schs Josie, from an esatern port; Lotus, St John; Valdare, Bear River.
Anchored in Nantasket Roads—Sch Maple Leaf.
City Island, April 7—Bound south, schs Virginia, Lunenburg; Sallie E Ludlam, St John; Clayola, St John via Bridgeport; Nellie Eaton, Calais; Lanie Cobb, Calais; Fortuna, New Haven; Annie Bliss, St John for Philadelphia.
New York, April 7—Ard, strs New York, Southampton; Umbria, Liverpool.
New London, April 7—Ard, sch Alma, from east.
Vineyard Haven, April 7—Sld, schs Annie Bliss, St John for New York; Sallie E Ludlam, do for do; Virginia, Lunenburg for do.
Passed—Schs S S Hudson, St John for New York; Silver Spray, Machias for do.
Salem, April 7—Ard, schs Corinto, Boston for Port Greville; Rowena, do for St John.
Boston, April 6—Cld, sch Alaska, Bullerwell, Kingsport (N S.)
Sld—Strs A W Perry, Halifax; Dominion, Louisburg; sch Maple Leaf, Halifax (and returned to Roads).
Salem, April 6—Ard, sch Ida May, Boston for St John.
Vineyard Haven, April 6—Returned, sch E Merriam, Bridgeport for St John.
City Island, April 6—Bound south, schs Rebecca Walls, St John; Georgia Pearl, St John; Clifford I White, St John; R D Spears, St John for Elizabethport.
Savannah, April 6—Cld, str Ragnarok, St John.
Pascagoula, April 4—Sld, bark Hornet, Miller, Havana.

SPOKEN.

Ship Centurion, from Caleta Colosa for Falmouth, March 25, lat 36 N, lon 33 W.
Bark Snowdon, from Boston for Buenos Ayres, March 25, lat 35.30 N, lon 47.32 W.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

Machias, Me., April 5—Schooner Osprey drifted ashore during a calm last night at Holmes Bay, and efforts to float her today proved unsuccessful. She lies in an easy position.
Vineyard Haven, April 5—Sch Annie Bliss, Huntley, from St John for New York, reports April 3, 10 p m, while lying at anchor near Pollock Rip lightship, was run into by an unknown three-masted schooner, bound E. The Bliss had jibboom and gear attached carried away and sails torn; damage to other vessel unknown.

MARINE NOTES

St. John schooner Cheslie, Captain Brown, arrived at Fernandina, from Mayaguez, Porto Rico, last Saturday to load for St. John N. B.

Donaldson line steamship Kastalia, Captain Black, sailed last evening for Glasgow with a general cargo.

Pilot Richard Cline left Saturday evening for New York to bring the steamship Micmac to St. John.

The St. John bark Hornet, Capt. Miller, sailed from Pascagoula (Miss.) last Thursday for Havana, Cuba, with pitch pine timber.

Stanley Giffin, of Goldboro, is to take command of the schooner Wapiti, his father, who previously commanded her, having purchased the tern schooner Bravo, at Boston.

The 11 sailors, part of the crew of the Norwegian bark City of Agra, which was wrecked last week on Cape Sable, and who arrived on the steamer Boston from Yarmouth, N. S., Thursday morning, were not accompanied by the commander of the bark. Captain L. Hemre, Mate John Johnson, and Steward Axel Aronsen, the remaining members of the crew, remained over in Halifax, N. S., to confer with the Norwegian consulate there as to what disposition was to be made of what was left of the vessel.—Boston Post.

The West India steamer Oruro, Captain Seely, which arrived Saturday at noon, had a stormy passage up from Bermuda. She brought 42 passengers, and a large freight. The following is a list of her saloon passengers T. Harley and wife, J. Macpab, from Demerara; J. S. Bailey, from Trinidad; W. E. Young, from Barbados; Miss J. A. Hamnan, from Montserrat; L. K. Cameron and wife, Mrs. Lefurgey, Archdeacon Kaulback and wife, N. Curry and wife and two sons, Dr. J. Johnson, Miss H. Johnson, Rev. A. Lucas, Miss J. L. England and T. O. Pilkinson, from Bermuda. There were also fourteen second cabin and five steerage passengers. The steamer, when she came into the harbor Saturday afternoon, had to berth alongside the Donaldson liner Cassandra at the new city wharf, on account of her berth at the Corporation pier being occupied, and from that place had to land her passengers. After discharging her St. John cargo the Oruro wil proceed to Halifax. Captain Seeley, who was a personal friend of the late port physician, Dr. J. E. March, was greatly shocked to hear of his sudden death, and said that it would be a hard matter to fill his place as courteously and ably as he did; he will be greatly missed along the harbor front.

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VESSELS IN PORT

Not Cleared.
(With their Tonnage and Consignee.)

Steamers.

Bengore Head, 1619, Wm Thomson & Co.
Casandra, 4726, R Reford Co.
Montfort, 3555 C P R Co.
Montezuma, 5358 C P R Co.
Oruro, 1249, R Reford Co.

Schooners.

Ariole, 124, J Splane & Co.
Aldine, 131, A W Adams.
Alice Maud, 119, N C Scott.
Almeda Willey, 493, J E Moore.
Arthur M Gibson, 296, J W Smith.
Comrade, 7, J M Driscoll.
D W B, 120, D J Purdy.
Earl Grey, 329, Master.
Eric, 119, N C Scott.
F and E Givan, 99, F Tufts & Co.
Fanny, 91, F Tufts & Co.
Flora M, 152, Master.
Greta, 149, Master.
Harry Miller, 246, A W Adams
Isaiah K Stetson, 271, J W Smith.
J Arthur Lord, 189, F C Beatteay.
Lotas, 98, A W Adams.
Lois V. Chaples, 192, Master.
Manuel R Cruz, 258, McIntyre.
Myrtle Leaf, 336; A W Adams.
Nettie Shipman, 287, A W Adams.
Otis Miller, 98, J W Smith
Pansy, 76, Master.
Peter C. Schultz, 370, F C Beatteay.
Preference, 242, G R Purdy.
Pardon G. Thompson, 163 A Cushing & Co.
Ravola, 130, J W Smith
R Carson, 99, C M Kerrison.
Romeo, 111, P McIntyre.
Perry C, 287, Master.
Walter Miller, 118, N C Scott.
Wandrian, 311, J A Likely.
Wm. L. Elkin, 229, J W Smith.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Monday, April 8, 1907.

New York Stock Market and Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.

	Saturday's Closing	Today's Opening	Noon
Amalg Copper	97½	97½	96¼
Anaconda	63	62⅝	62⅝
Am Sugar Rfrs	127	127	127
Am Smelt & Rfg	129⅝	130	129⅞
Atchison	97¾	96⅞	96¾
Am Locomotive	66	65	65
Brook Rpd Trst	61½	61¼	60¼
Balt and Ohio	101¼	101	100¾
Canadian Pacific	174	174¼	174½
Chi and G West	14	14¼	14¼
Colo F and Iron	37	36½	36½
Erie	25⅝	25⅛	24¾
Kansas and Texas	37⅛	37⅞	36⅞
Louis and Nash	120½	120	120
Missouri Pacific	77	76¾	77
Nor and Western	80	79¼	79¼
N Y Central	120¼	120½	120
Ont and Western	39	39¼	39¼
Reading	111¾	112	110⅝
Republic Steel		30	30
Sloss Sheffield	55½	56	56
Pennsylvania	127¼	126⅞	127
St Paul	22¼	22¼	22¼
Southern Pacific	85¼	84⅞	84⅝
Northern Pacific	137	136	135
Union Pacific	141¾	141¼	140⅜
U S Steel	37¾	37¾	37¼
U S Steel, pfd	100¾	100¼	99⅞

Total sales in New York Saturday, 587,900 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May corn	46⅛	46¼
May wheat	76½	77
May oats	42⅝	42⅞
July corn	46⅜	46½
July wheat	79	79
July oats	37¾	37⅞

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom I and Steel	21¼	21¼	21½
Nova Scotia Steel	74	74	74
C P R	173	173	173¼
Montreal Power	91¾	92	92¼
Detroit United	76	75¾	76½
Toronto St Ry	107b	108	108
Illinois Traction Pfd		89	89

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

May cotton	9.52	9.50	9.55
July cotton	9.62	9.60	9.65
October cotton	9.86	9.86	9.85
December cotton	9.93	9.96	9.96

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Towns Forfeits Championship.

Sydney, N. S. W., April 7—George Towns, the Australian oarsman, has forfeited his claim to the world's championship to his brother, Charles Towns, who has been challenged by Webb, of New Zealand.

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IMMIGRANTS FROM BRITAIN

Canadian Churchman Welcomes the Fact That So Many Are From the Home Land.

(Canadian Churchman.)

We have recently learned, and the news has given us the deepest satisfaction, that the immigration this year into the Dominion, which is already estimated at 300,000, will be preponderantly British. It is a matter for thankfulness, that the craze for filling up the Northwest with hordes of Slavs and Southern Europeans, which possessed our authorities, a few years ago, has apparently passed, and that renewed attention is to be devoted to the encouragement of the immigration of members of the dominant Anglo-Saxon race. Two or three years ago we were importing European settlers, alien to us in speech, blood, religion, social and political ideals, at a rate that bade fair to revolutionize present conditions within the course of a single generation, and to reduce the British element in our population to an actual minority of the whole. That wiser counsels now apparently prevail is a cause for deep thankfulness, and it is to be hoped that they will continue to prevail indefinitely. It is very easy to be in far too great a hurry in this matter of filling up our great national heritage, the last, it has been said of the world's great fields for settlement. Of all national mistakes, none can compare in its permanently evil effects, with those that result from ill-advised measures of this kind. Other national mistakes may be repaired, they may work themselves out or be gradually neutralized. Such a mistake as this is irreparable. We hail, therefore, with profound satisfaction this change of policy on the part of those who control our immigration affairs. Five, eight, or at most ten years more of the reckless policy of a few years ago, would have filled up Western Canada with a population which it is extremely unlikely we could have preserved in their British allegiance. * * * * * * Now we cannot actually bar out these alien immigrants, but we can at least make every effort to fill up or occupy the country with our own people, so that those aliens who do arrive on our shores will be subjected to influences of an educative character. At any rate we can abstain from holding out special inducements to them to settle in the country.

MILL OWNERS ARE ANXIOUS

Some of the Mills Have Only Limited Supply of Logs---Waiting for River Opening.

The mill owners are at present very anxious about the condition of the river as the ice is still thick and they all have only a limited supply of logs to last them until the ice runs out.

The big Indiantown mill owned by Stetson & Cutler started this morning and has enough logs on hand to run for about two weeks. Randolph & Baker's mill will begin operations on Wednesday.

The Times was informed this morning by men whose experiences have given them considerable knowledge on the operating of the mills, that the ice was still very solid and they did not anticipate getting at the booms before three weeks. If that be the case and the big mill has but enough logs to last it for two weeks it will have to close down when its present supply is exhausted. These men claim that the river will require two weeks of warm sunshine and rain to get the ice moving and it will be a few days after that when the booms can be gotten at. They state that the season is very backward.

Those who have travelled on the ice say that the sleighing was excellent on it yesterday and Mr. Wetmore, yesterday skated from Clifton down and reports the ice is as smooth as a bottle and that he never enjoyed a better skate.

IMPORTS

From New London, Conn., ex schr Harry Miller, 174,067 ft oak lumber, Rhodes, Curry & Co.
From New York, ex schr Calabria, 60 brls tar, 60 brls pitch, 1 brl pine oil, 11 cases point, J Splane & Co.
From Newark, ex schr Perry C, 568 tons hard coal, R P & W F Starr.

From Trinidad ex stmr Oruro, 125 bags cocoanuts, H S Daley; 1 box mdse, F H Avon.
From Barbados, 28 puns molasses, W S C; 350 bags sugar, R C & Co; 50 brls sugar, S; 200 brls sugar, C M & Co; 130 bags sugar, W; 150 bags sugar, R L; 150 bags sugar, W B, 150 brls sugar, T C; 300 brls sugar, J S.
From St. Vincent—1 box preserves, W McD Cropper; 1 box molasses, J Ward.
From Dominica, 10 bags cocoanuts, D O N; 5 brls limes, Lyons & Abcomden.
From Montserrat—3 pkgs broom corn, J F Murray.
From Antigua—1 box seed work, O M Melanson & Co.
From Bermuda—8 boxes cut flowers; H L Conyers; 1 box lily buds, Mrs E Smith; 3 crates furniture, C P Curry. Also goods for Halifax.

KAISER'S DAUGHTER IS STAGE STRUCK

Little Princess Victoria Louise Has an Ambition to Act.

BERLIN, April 8—Princess Victoria Louise, the 14-year-old daughter of the Kaiser, is stage-struck. She has been fired with the ambition to act and especially to take part in the private theatricals that are given in the Imperial Palace on the Kaiser's birthday.

After seeing the Australian child-actress, Wanda Radford, perform, the princess was eager to follow her example. The princess is a determined little person and usually gets what she wants from her indulgent father, so he has consented to let her take lessons in the dramatic art from Wanda Radford.

The princess is enthusiastically studying elocution and gesture from the youthful professor, and next year will take a more prominent part than a merely "thinking" one in the private theatricals of the imperial family.

IT GIVES THEM JOY

(New Glasgow Chronicle.)

The annual millinery boom is at its height, and the good ladies are in a dilemma over the most appropriate headgear. All the new shapes seem so natty that decision is difficult. This appears to be the only dissipation our better halves are addicted to, and it is delightful to see them revel in it.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Francis Roden, died April 8, 1905.

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