# FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

## COMMENT ON MONEY SITUATION IN CANADA

### Not a Good Time to Embark on New Ventures Requiring Borrowing Capital---The Crop Conditions in the West.

(Toronto News)

Money continues decidedly tight. Three months ago Canadian bankers hoped that by this time the stringency would be somewhat moderated, but in this they have been disappointed. The event has not fulfilled their expectations. One reason is that the hoped-for relief has not come from the Canadian West. The price of Manitoba wheat has remained above the export quotations, and as a result the Western wheat has not moved as rapidly to market as it might have done under more favorable conditions. This, of course, means that considerable of the money of the Canadian banks advanced on last year's crops has not yet returned to their coffers, to be employed in other directions. The probability is, however, that the bulk of the grain still in the West will come out before the next crop has to be paid for, and some monetary relief may be thus afforded before the end of August.

One thing may be confidently asserted, and that is that thus far the tightness of money does not appear to have checked the general volume of business throughout the country. Ever since last autumn the Canadian banks have been trying to put the brakes on. They have cautioned their customers—refusing to grant them all the full lines of credit which they demanded. As a result some new ventures have been postponed, but the good effects of the husbanding of capital thus effected have not yet been felt, and may not be for some months yet, perhaps not till next winter or spring. As a result of the stringency a man here and there has postponed the building of a new residence. Some have forgone automobiles and other extravagances. At this point and that plans for the enlargement of a factory have been temporarily abandoned, and here and there manufacturers have managed to get along without new and expensive machinery. These are the means, by which a fresh accumulation of capital is accomplished, but, as before noted, the general volume of business throughout the country appears to continue unchecked, and it is as yet uncertain whether or not the policy of caution pursued by the banks for some months past will suffice to bring any degree of freedom in the money market this coming autumn or winter.

Much will depend upon the size of the year's grain crop. We present elsewhere a summary of crop reports collected by the Canadian Bank of Commerce from all parts of the Dominion. The general effect of these returns is that the growing grain is looking well, and that the only drawback is the lateness of the season, which may subject it to damage by early frosts.

In Northern Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta the wheat situation is excellent, both as regards area and present condition, but in Southern Manitoba the outlook is not so good. The manager of one Western branch takes a pessimistic view, holding that the crop is so late that much of it will never ripen. But he is alone in taking this stand, and he may have dyspepsia. The size of the coming crop has, of course, to be regarded from different standpoints. A large harvest would infuse fresh commercial and industrial enthusiasm into the whole community, but on the other hand, such a banner yield would impose fresh obligations upon the banks, and tend to continue the money stringency.

As regards the worldwide monetary conditions, money is for the time being easier in England, but it is still maintained that there is not sufficient supply in the world today to handle all the business that is being conducted. Speculation in Egypt, the Canadian west and elsewhere is being checked, and this is helpful to the general situation. The enforced slowing down in these directions is much objected to in interested quarters, but this is a medicine which must be taken if the trouble is to be cured.

The point to be emphasized is that the present is no time for people to embark on new ventures requiring borrowed capital. It is said that if all North America would be content to reduce its business operations to the extent of five per cent. the money situation would soon right itself. Meantime, the credit institutions are giving the stock markets little accommodation, and it does not seem likely that they will soon be able to change their policy in this regard.

## "NAVAL DIS-ORDERS"

### Some Hot-air-igrams On the American Fleet's Movements

Under the caption "Naval Dis-orders" the New York Evening Post prints these alleged instructions from Mr. Roosevelt to Admiral "Fighting Bob" Evans:

Oyster Bay,
July, 2, 1907.

Evans, etc.:
Proceed with all battleships of navy to Pacific Ocean. What will you do when you get there?
By order of the President.
LOEB, Sec'y.
Oyster Bay,
July, 3, 1907.

Evans, etc.:
With the sixteen battleships to be placed under your command you will proceed to the South Atlantic, and then proceed back again.
By order of the President.
LOEB, Sec'y.
Oyster Bay,
July, 4, 1907.

Evans, etc.:
Where are you going with the battleship fleet? The President will give you three guesses,
LOEB, Sec'y.
Oyster Bay,
July, 4, 1907.

Evans, etc.:
The fleet under your command will put to sea at once.
By order of the President.
LOEB, Sec'y.
Oyster Bay,
July 5, 1907.

Evans, etc.:
The President orders that the fleet sail sooner or later.
LOEB, Sec'y.
Oyster Bay,
July, 5, 1907.

Evans, etc.:
The fleet may or may not sail. The President deplores your vacillation.
LOEB, Sec'y.

## CANADIAN PICTORIAL

Truly Canadian is the July number of this progressive Canadian monthly. The cover picture is a charming photographic study of a girl in the Western Ontario meadow, dotted with daisies. The public man featured this month is the Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of agriculture. The new provinces' progress is shown in pictures of the great irrigation works and the kind of cattle Alberta produces. Three pages are devoted to the Presbyterian general assembly last month. The pick of Canadian sharpshooters are shown in a group picture taken for the Canadian Pictorial just before the Bisley team sailed for England. The leading article in the woman's section is a sketch of the National Council of Women of Canada, with photograph of the Countess of Aberdeen, its founder, and Lady Edgar, its president.

Ten cents a copy; one dollar a year. The Pictorial Publishing Co., 142 St. Peter street, Montreal.

Mrs. George G. Robertson and daughter, Lulu, left by noon train for P. E. I.

## N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Thursday, July 11.

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

| | Saturday Closing | Today Opening | Noon. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amalg Copper | 88¼ | 88½ | 88⅞ |
| Anaconda | 56½ | 57⅞ | 56¼ |
| Am Sugar Rfrs | 121⅝ | 121 | 121 |
| Am Smelt & Rfg | 117¼ | 118 | 116⅜ |
| Atchison | 90 | 90 | 89¾ |
| Brook Rpd Trst | 56⅜ | 56½ | 56⅝ |
| Balt & Ohio | | 96⅛ | 96½ |
| Chesa & Ohio | 34½ | 34½ | 34⅜ |
| Canadian Pacific | 172⅞ | 174¼ | 173½ |
| Erie | 24¼ | 24⅞ | 24⅞ |
| Kansas & Texas | 33⅛ | 33¼ | 32⅞ |
| Louis & Nashville | 115 | 113½ | 113½ |
| Nor & Western | 74¼ | 75¼ | 75¼ |
| N Y Central | 111¼ | 111½ | 111¼ |
| Reading | 102⅛ | 102⅛ | 101¾ |
| Pennsylvania | 122 | 122¾ | 121¾ |
| Rock Island | 21¼ | 21¾ | 21⅛ |
| St. Paul | 131⅛ | 131¾ | 130½ |
| Southern Pacific | 78 | 78 | 77¾ |
| Northern Pacific | 126¾ | 127 | 126¾ |
| Union Pacific | 136⅞ | 137⅛ | 135⅞ |
| U S Steel | 36 | 36⅛ | 35⅝ |
| U S Steel, pfd. | 99¾ | 99⅝ | 99¼ |

Total sales in N Y yesterday 935,762 shares

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept Corn | 54⅞ | 54¾ | 54⅞ |
| Sept Wheat | 95¾ | 95½ | 94⅞ |
| Sept Oats | 40¼ | 41⅛ | 41⅛ |
| Dec. Corn | 53¼ | 53⅜ | 53¼ |
| Dec. Wheat | 99¼ | 98½ | 98 |

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dom Coal | 57b | 56 | 56 |
| Dom I & S pfd | 48b | 48 | 48 |
| Montreal Power | 90 | 90½ | 90¼ |
| Toronto Street Rly | | 102 | 102 |
| Illinois Traction, pfd | 83¾ | 83 | 83 |

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| August Cotton | 11.64 | 11.62 | 11.60 |
| October Cotton | 11.80 | 11.76 | 11.73 |
| December Cotton | 11.80 | 11.76 | 11.74 |
| January Cotton | 11.87 | 11.85 | 11.82 |

## DUTCHMAN'S HONEYMOON AT THE OPERA HOUSE

"A Dutchman's Honeymoon," which comes to the Opera House for three nights and matinee, commencing this evening, promises to be an innovation to lovers of wholesome comedy. The story deals with the elopement of Hans Snitzle, a German, and Araminta Jones, whose father objects to her suitor. Learning of their flight he seeks the aid of the police in locating them. Hans, with his fiancee, goes to the home of Adolph Busch, a compatriot of his, and asks to be hidden until they can slip away from the police. Busch cannot comply with his request as he is himself dodging the officers. He and Jack Clinton, a young pugilist, have just escaped a raid on a sparring exhibition. In order to account for Jack's presence in the house and the better deceive the police Jack disguises himself as a minister and is introduced to the Busch family as the Rev. Augustus Jagwell. Hans seeing the police watching the house, thinks they are after him and explains the situation to Busch's daughter, Vinita, who suggests that they be married at once by the new minister. Hans thinks it is a great scheme and the ceremony is performed. They start on their honeymoon. Mrs. Bridget Busch, discovering that Jack is not a minister, tries to stop the honeymoon. The complications arising from the mock marriage, the efforts of Mrs. Busch to stop the honeymoon and of Jack to redeem himself furnish the comedy element and plot of the play. Catchy music, singing and dancing make the comedy doubly entertaining.


# JUST LANDED:

*Schooner "Roanoke" has just discharged 260 tons of finest* **LEHIGH COAL**--*Nut and Chestnut sizes--ever offered for sale in St. John*

———FOR PRICES, RING UP———

**ST. JOHN FUEL COMPANY--Main 1304.**

**FRANCIS KERR, Manager.**



## LYONS THE ADVERTISER

**Box 203 - - St. John, N. B.**

late advertising manager Fraser, Fraser & Co.

YOUR DAILY SALES increased by the LYONS METHOD OF ADVERTISING, SPECIAL SALES CONDUCTED with profitable results.

Correspond with me and increase your sales. Contracts taken for ad writing.


## KING'S PARDON FOR COL. LYNCH

### King Edward Forgives Irish Traitor of Boer War Notoriety.

LONDON, July 11—On the eve of his visit to Ireland, King Edward has granted a free pardon to Col. Arthur Lynch, who was convicted of high treason in 1903 for having fought in the Irish brigade on the side of the Boers in the South African war.

Col. Lynch was sentenced to death for high treason in 1903, his sentence later commuted to imprisonment for life, and in January, 1904, he was released "on license."

Lynch was born in Australia, of Irish parents. His father was a civil engineer in a town near Melbourne. After studying at Melbourne University, where he took a degree, young Lynch qualified as a civil engineer and then studied at Berlin University. Going to Galway, the home of his ancestors, Lynch plunged into party politics, and after sustaining a defeat at the polls in the general election of 1902, he went to London and engaged in literary and journalistic work.

He was sent by a London newspaper to Ashanti with the British expedition, but, owing to his leaving London without a permit from the war office, he got no farther than Cape Coast Castle. He was instrumental in raising the Irish Brigade, which fought on the side of the Boers in the South African War, and while in Paris, after his return from South Africa, was elected to parliament by Galway City, and returned to England with the intention of taking his seat in the House of Commons. He was arrested on landing in England and his trial, conviction and sentence for high treason followed.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

Typewriting Bureau, 20 Canterbury St.

Exmouth Street S. S. always noted for their enjoyable outings, will hold their picnic at Day's Landing on Tuesday, 16th inst. May Queen will leave her wharf at 9 a. m. and 1.30 p. m. Returning leave Day's at 4 and 7 p. m.

It has taken years to bring Ungar's Laundry up to its present state of efficiency. The reward is plenty of patronage. Phone 58.

A general assault was made on the old Chipman house yesterday by men, women and children. Everything portable was carried away, doors were torn from their hinges and the clap-boards were taken from the house. H. J. Garson, who bought the house for $28, will hardly know his property when he returns to the city.

A pleasant social was held in Carmarthen street Methodist church last night and the members of the congregation bade farewell to Rev. Thomas Marshall, who will leave to take up his new charge in P. E. I. today. A short informal programme was carried out.

The Associated Charities held a July meeting yesterday afternoon, for the first time since its organization. As there was no meeting last month, reports for May and June were presented by the secretary. During that time Mrs Hall received 354 applications of various kinds. Thirty-seven were seeking work, twelve men, twenty women, three boys and three girls. Employment was furnished for all except five men and two women. Nine families applied for and obtained relief. Twenty-eight people sought advice.

Caleb Babcock, of Anderson Settlement, who committed suicide Tuesday evening in the Provincial Hospital by hanging himself by means of a strap to a waterpipe overhead, had been in the hospital for six months. The inquest was held by Coroner F. L. Kenney yesterday, and the jury returned a verdict that Babcock came to his death by committing suicide and no blame was attached to anyone.

A number of boxes and a barrel, supposed to contain junk, and addressed to one "Jacobson," who is a junk dealer, arrived in the C. P. R. sheds yesterday. The boxes were going to their destination, but the name did not appear on the barrel, and Thomas McGowan looked inside and found boots of American make. The other boxes were also found to contain foot-wear. The merchandise was billed from St. Stephen and the custom authorities suspect that a smuggling game has been in progress. The matter will probably be investigated.

Half a dozen young men made matters disagreeable in J. G. Sperdake's store on Charlotte street, between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning and, as a result of the disturbance, three were placed under arrest and the remainder will probably be captured today. They are charged with stealing fruit, blocking for six ice-creams, stealing the door key and acting in a disorderly manner. Those arrested are Christy Conway, Charles McLaughlin and Edward McGinnis.

WASH GOODS SALE TOMORROW.

M. R. A.'s immense stock of lovely Summer Washable Materials is offered for sale at clearance prices in today's regular space. The story is too long to tell in a short local, or even a larger advertising space, but it is full of most extraordinary bargain suggestions. Embroidered waists and dresses are on special sale tomorrow, as well.

## N. B. LODGE K. OF P.

At the regular meeting of New Brunswick Lodge No. 1 K. of P., held last evening, the following officers were installed by Deputy Grand Chancellor Charles T. Jones:

Chancellor commander—W. P. Thompson.
Vice chancellor—J. F. Brown.
Prelate—R. H. Irwin.
Master of work—Reverdy Steeves, P. C.
Keeper of record and seal—James Moulson, P. S. P.
Master-at-arms—E. E. Thomas.
Master of exchequer—W. E. Hopper, P. C.
Master of finance—Chas. S. Everett, P. C.
Inner guard—W. E. Smith.
Outer guard—W. H. Golding.

# SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

| 1907 July | Sun Rises | Sets | Tide. High | Low |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10 Wed | 4.52 | 8.06 | 12.00 | 6.00 |
| 11 Thur | 4.53 | 8.05 | 0.19 | 6.37 |
| 12 Fri | 4.54 | 8.05 | 0.54 | 7.13 |
| 13 Sat | 4.55 | 8.04 | 1.27 | 7.49 |

The time used is Atlantic standard.

VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN.

Steamers.

Evangeline, St. Michael, July 2.
Kelvin Head, Liverpool, June 29.
Madrilene, chartered.
Man. Corporation, Manchester, June 28.
Oruro, Bermuda, July 9.
Rappahannock, 2490, at London, July 3.

BARKS

Alfredo, Barcelona, June 2.
Pietro Accame, chartered.
Santa Maria, 988, at Marseilles, May 7.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived to day.

Stmr Sellasia, 2263, Purdy from Philadelphia, Wm. Thomson & Co. ballast.
Stmr Calvin Austin, 2853, Thompson, from Boston and Maine ports, W. G. Lee, passengers and mdse. (due at 4.20 p. m.)
Schr Roger Drury, (Am) Cook, from Calais, Me. R. C. Elkin, ballast.

Coastwise—Barge No. 7, Wadman, Parrsboro; schrs Jessie D. 86, Merriam, River Hebert; Ethel, 22, Wilson, Grand Harbor; Rolfe 54, Rolfe, Parrsboro; Ida M. 77, Moffat, River Hebert; May Bell, 76, Black, St. Martins; Defender, Crocker, Freeport; Souvenir, 27, Outhouse, Tiverton.

Cleared to day.

Schr Venturer, 317, McLean, for City Island for orders. Stetson Cutler & Co. 1,240,000 laths.
Schr Ida May, 119, Gale, for Pawtucket, R. I. A. Cushing & Co. 117,380, ft. spruce plank etc. 333,500 shingles.
Schr Demozelle, 163, Morris for Advocate, master, ballast.

Coastwise:—Schrs Domain, Stewart, Apple River; Defender, Crocker, Freeport; May Bell, Black, St. Martins; H A Holder, Rolfe, Alma; Bess, Port Digby.

Arrived Yesterday.

Schr E M Roberts, 322, Grundmark, from Fernandina (Fla) pitch pine. R C Elkin.
Schr Hunter, (Am) 187, Holmes from Boothbay Harbor, D J Purdy, ballast.
Schr Stella Maud (98, Smith from Eeastport C M Kerrison, ballast.

Sailed Yesterday.

Schr Helen Montague (Am) 344, Ingalls for City Island for orders.
Schr Lucia Porter (Am) 284, Spragg for New York.
Schr Nettie Shipman (Am) 287, Barton for New York.

DOMINION PORTS.

Yarmouth, N S. July 8—Ard schr Lillian, Blauvelt, from New York.
Halifax, July 10—Ard, stmrs A. W. Perry, Boston; schrs Sarah A Townsend, New York; E. A. Sabean, North Sydney; Invictus, New York.
Parrsboro, N. S., July 8—Cld, stmr Nord Amerika (Nor), Schmidt for Brow Head for orders; schr Phoenix, Kerr for New York; 9th, stmr Wildcroft, Rayment for Sharpness.
Liverpool, N. S., July 9—Ard, schr Laura, Inness, from Madeira.
Cld—Schr Virginia, Publecover, for Ponce (P R.)
Hillsboro, N. B., July 9—Cld, schr E C Gates, Lunn for New York.
Newcastle, N. B., July 8—Ard, stmrs Dunmore Head, McFarren, from Belfast; Esther, Marritzson from Barry.

BRITISH PORTS

London, July 9—Sld bark Auckland, (Nor) Githmark for Campbellton.
Londonderry, July 9—Ard stmr Holmlea, (Br) Duke, Newcastle, N B.
Shields, July 10—Sld, stmr Nancy Lee, Chicoutimi.
Fastnet, July 10—Passed, stmr Juniper, for ——.
Innisthrahull, July 10—Passed, stmr Bassilla, Sydney (C B) for Glasgow.
Southampton, July 10—Sld, stmr Teutonic, New York.
Manchester, July 9—Ard, stmr Salybia, Chatham and Sydney (C B), via Liverpool; Usher, St John and Louisburg via Liverpool.

FOREIGN PORTS.

St. Vincent, C V Islands, July 3—Ard stmr Miramichi, Ruxton from Barry.
Honolulu, July 2—Sld ship Alexander Gibson, Wayland for Eleele.
New York, July 9—Ard bark Rescue, Potter from Antella.
Cld—Schrs Garfield White, Matthews, for Point Wolfe, N B.; J L Caldwell, Branscombe for St John; W. D. S., Sabean, Elizabethport; Reliance, Connors, for Perth Amboy; barge Lizzie Burrill, Card, Windsor.
Hamburg, July 8—Sld, bark Minerva, St. John.
Boston, July 10—Ard, stmrs Oakudsen (Nor) Louisburg; Prince George, Yormouth.
Cld—Abbe Stubbs, St. John; Neva, Bear River; Bessie, Plymton; Mercedes, Clementport.
Sld—Stmr Prince George, Yarmouth.
New York, July 10—Cld, stmr Baltic, Liverpool; Navigator, Windsor; Prince Arthur, Yarmouth; schr Earl Grey, Nova Scotia.
Sld—Stmrs Majestic, Southampton; Navigator, Windsor.
Perth Amboy, N. J., July 10—Sld, schr Onyx, Bridgewater.
Calais, Me., July 10—Ard, schr Nevis, Chevarie (N S.)
City Island, July 10—Bound south, stmr Prince Arthur, Yarmouth; schrs Gypsum Empress, Hillsboro; Alaska, River Hebert; Evolution, Parrsboro.
Portsmouth, N. H., July 10—Ard, stmr Amethyst, St. Annes Bay (C B.)
Baltimore, July 10—Ard, stmr Almora, Glasgow, via St. John.

DANGERS TO NAVIGATION

New York, July 9—Stmr Noordam (Dutch) from Roterdam, reports July 4, lat 44.26, lon 40.25, saw a derelict schooner, with hull awash, dangerous to navigation.
Cape Race, N F July 9—Three icebergs aground can be seen to the eastward of this place.

SPOKEN

Norwegian bark Sonora from Dublin for Bay Verte, July 3, lat. 46, lon 32.

RECENT CHARTERS

British steamer Gladiator, 2,168 tons St. John to Liverpool or Birkenhead, deals 31s 3d. British steamer Orthia, 2,694 tons, St. John to W C England. Swedish steamer Helsingborg, 1,422 tons from St. John to W. C. of England, deals 36s. 3 d. Steamer Serrana (corrected) West Bay to W C of England, 35s. Norwegian bark Agot, 579, tons, Bay Chaleur to West Britain or East Ireland, deals, 47s, 6d., schr Emma S. Lord, 300 tons from Bay Chaleur to Philadelphia, laths, p. t.

## VESSELS IN PORT

Steamers.

Alexandrian, 2899, William Thomson & Co.
Broomfield, 1526, Wm. Thomson & Co.
Pandosia, 2165, Wm Thomson & Co.
Pontiac, 2072, J H Scammell & Co
Therese Horn, 2286, J H Scammel & Co.

Barks.

Shawmut, 406, J E Moore
Wildwood, 1,488, Wm Thomson & Co.

Schooners.

A B Parker, 44, Master.
C E Wood, 224, A W Adams.
Clayola, 123, J W Smith
Dorothy M Porter, 168, Crosby Co
Elma, 298, A W Adams.
Eric, 119, N C Scott
George R Alston, 99, Crosby Co.
Georgia, 29, J W Smith
Genevive, 124, A W Adams
George R Smith, 129, Stetson Cutler & Co
Helen E Kenney, 294, P McIntyre.
H M Stanley, 97, J W McAlary
Hunter, 107, D J Purdy.
Moama, 382, P McIntyre
Rebecca W Huddell, 210, D J Purdy.
Roger Drury, 207, D C Elkin
Ronald, 268, J W Smith
Sallie E Ludlam, 199, D J Purdy.
Stella Maud, 98, C M Kerrison.
Theresa Wolf, 244, Stetson Cutler Co.
Walter Miller, 124ft N C Scott
Winnie Lawry, 215, D J Purdy

## MARINE NOTES

Schooner G M Cochrane will be sold at East Boston next Saturday to satisfy a salvage claim.

A large fleet of schooners awaiting weather conditions sailed for their destination yesterday.

Battle line steamer Sellasia, passed out at Delaware Breakwater last Tuesday bound to this port from Philadelphia.

British bark, Emma R Smith, Captain Foote, sailed from Calabar, West Coast of Africa, on the 9th. June for New York.

The British steamship Kelvinhead, from Liverpool for St. John passed Cape Race, Nfld, last Monday and is now about due.

British schooner E M Roberts, Captain Grundmark, arrived in port last evening from Fernandina (Fla), with a cargo of pitch pine lumber.

The St John schooner Georgia before reported ashore near Bucksport, Me. while on the passage from this port for Rockport will be a total loss. Crew saved. Her owner J. W. McAlary returned home yesterday.

The new Anchor line stmr California was launched at Glasgow yesterday from the Henderson's yards. The vesel resembles the Columbia and Caledonia of the same line and will ply between Glasgow and New York, beginning in the autumn.

The dominion government has ordered an investigation in the matter of the recent collision in Halifax harbor between the Senlac and the Rosalind and has appointed J. F. L. Parsons agent of the marine and fisheries, to conduct the investigation.—Percy W. Thomson, one of the owners returned from Halifax yesterday. It is not yet known whether or not the Senlac can be put upon the route. The steamer, however, is to be docked and an examination made. Wm Thomson & Co. are still considering a number of steamers suitable to be put upon the route meanwhile.

## FIFTY CENT BET COST HIS LIFE

### New York Boy Stricken With Heart Disease While Climbing Derrick to Win a Wager.

NEW YORK, July 10—A wager of 50 cents was responsible for the death of Daniel Gould, of No. 422 East Seventy-ninth street, who fell from a derrick on Seventy-seventh street, near Avenue A. last night.

Gould, accompanied by Robert Porter, of No. 446 East Seventy-ninth street, passed the derrick, from the top of which a heavy iron cable extended to the ground.

"I'll bet you fifty cents I can climb to the top of that derrick and slide down the cable," said Gould.

"I'll take that,' 'said Porter, "but I think you are foolish to risk your neck."

From the very top Gould fell to the street. Dr. Stevens, of the Presbyterian Hospital, said he believed Gould was seized with heart disease, and death was not caused by the fall.

## CAPRICE REPEATS FORMER SUCCESS

### Clever Amateur Production Was Enthusiastically Received at the Opera House.

The Opera House was packed to the doors last night when the clever company of local amateurs, under the direction of Theodore H. Bird, repeated the four act drama Caprice, for the benfit of the supervised playgrounds fund, and the production was better if anything than on last Friday evening when it was given for the benefit of the School for the Dumb.

To particularize any member of the cast would be really unfair as all showed to splendid advantage and the audience showed their appreciation by almost continuous applause. Every act received a double curtain call, and the specialties were encored again and again.

The production of Caprice will, beyond all doubt, be a memorable event in the history of local amateur theatricals and those whose privilege it was to belong to the company, will look back upon it with a very great deal of satisfaction.

That Theodore H. Bird more than made good in the capacity of director, goes without saying, and he will always find a warm welcome awaiting him in St. John.

After last evening's performance, very complimentary comments were heard among those who attended and many expressed regret that Caprice could not be repeated.

## CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for classification.)

WANTED—CAPABLE GIRL FOR GENeral housework. Apply MRS. W. P. BRODERICK, 23 Coburg street. 905 t. f.

WANTED—20 LABORERS. APPLY CANADIAN WHITE CO., LTD,. New Royal Bank Building, cor. King and Canterbury Streets. 906 t. f.

**Piano at a Great Bargain.**

Elegant upright Piano in Mahogany Case but a few months in use, worth $375.00, has been left with us for immediate sale at $225.00. THE FLOOD CO. King Street, next M. R. A, LTD. 904-7-18




We gladly sing of swart July,
The gypsy of the year,
Sweet temptress of the dreamful eye,
Whose languorous days are here

Within her blood the sunbeams rest
And stir her pulses deep.
And in the passion of her breast
The fires of summer sleep.



Wotcher readin'? Fashions?"

"Yep, It sez that tomatter cans will be worn dis year as formerly by all comic paper hoboes."

## AND SO HE WAS.

He was a porter in a dry goods house, and had put in five years without a kick and without a raise of wages. After scratching his head over it for a week he went to the manager the other day and said:



He went to the manager.

"Sir, meat has gone up."
"Yes."
"Rent has gone up."
"Yes."
"Clothing has gone up."
"Yes."
"Potatoes have gone up."
"Yes."
Dry goods have gone up."
"Yes."
"Everything I eat has gone up."
"Yes."
"Well, sir—well——.
"No use to go further, James. Pack up your things. You are also gone up. We shall get a new man tomorrow."

The porter scratched his head some more and then said:

"Sir, I think I was mistaken."
"Yes."
"Everything has gone down instead of up."
"Then you may go down and help finish packing those boxes."
And James went down.

JOE KERR

Blenkinsop—I'm going to resign from this bally golf club, old chap.

Jones—Why so, old man?

Blenkinsop—The society is getting too mixed. I met my pawnbroker here the other day.—Ally Sloper.

## NOTICE.

There will be sold at Public Auction at Chubb's Corner (so called), in the City of Saint John, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon on Saturday, the tenth day of August A. D. 1907, all and singular, all the right, title and interest of Kate Leary and Children in that lot of land situate in the City of Saint John, on the West side of the Harbor, known on the map or plan of lots on the Western side of the Harbor in said City by the number forty-six, fronting forty feet on the Southeast side of Water Street and extending back therefrom, preserving the same breadth, one hundred feet.

The foregoing sale will be made under and by virtue of the Act 58th Victoria, Chapter 49, for the purpose of realizing the several amounts of money hereinafter stated, namely:—$8.82, $8.70, $7.50, $750, $5.84, $5.84, $5.84, $6.24, $6.20, $6.24, $6.16, $6.20, $6.48, $6.84, and $7.00, said amounts being respectively for fifteen respective assessments from and including the year 1891 to and including the year 1905, assessed against the said Kate Leary and Children on said land for ordinary City taxes in the City of Saint John, and $6.40, $2.40, $6.40, $6.40, $6.00, $6.00, $5.00, $6.00, $6.00, $6.00 and $5.80, said last mentioned amounts being respectively for eleven respective assessments for the years 1893, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1902, 1903, 1904 and 1905 assessed against the said Kate Leary and Children on said land for water rates in the City of Saint John, no part of which taxes or water rates has been paid.

Dated the 6th day of July A. D. 1907.

FRED SANDALL,
Receiver of Taxes for the City of Saint John.

C. N. SKINNER,
Recorder of the City of Saint John.

## 12th JULY.

Dominion L. O. L. No. 141, True Blue, No. 11, Prentice Boys, No. 30, will celebrate the glorious 12th at Hampton with three sister lodges of St John, Fairville and Kings Co., West. St. Mary's Band will accompany the Orangemen. Tickets, 65c. Children 35c. Dancing in Orange Hall. Band will meet the West End Brethren at Prentice Boys Hall, West End, at 8 a. m. and proceed to Orange Hall, Germain Street, thence to Orange Hall, Simond Street when they will leave in a body for the train at 9 a. m.

H. SELLEN.
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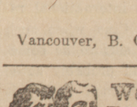

## British Columbia Permanent Loan and Savings Company

### DIVIDEND NO. 18

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of NINE PER CENT. per annum has this day been declared on the Permanent Stock of the Company for the half-year ending June 29th, 1907, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office of the Company, No. 321 Cambie street, Vancouver, B. C., on and after JULY 15th, 1907.

By order of the Board,
GEO. J. TELFER,
Ass't. Manager.

Vancouver, B. C., July 9th, 1907.

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