3,700 Pairs of Boots and Shoes at less Than the Actual Cost of Raw Material. It's Worth Ten Car Rides to see These Bargains.

CLOTHING

For Winter Wear at Less Than Manufacturer's Prices at C. B. PIDGEON'S STORE, Corner Bridge and Main Streets, St. John, N. B.

MEN'S TROUSERS, Boys' Trousers Suits, Overcoats, Heavy Underwear, etc., Almost Given Away at This Great Sale. Don't Fail to be Here on the Opening Day, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4th.

A Manufacturer's Stock, whose name I am not at liberty to mention, has been consigned to me for speedy clearance, and must be cleared in a very short time, and in order to do so, all goods will be sacrificed at prices that will astonish the keenest buyers. With this great stock, I will include every garment in my store, and will mark them at prices that will sell at sight. Nothing will be left undone to make this sale one of the most successful sales of the season, especially at this time of the year when the demand is so great for seasonable merchandise such as this. *STORE CLOSED ALL DAY TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3rd.*

Great Sale Will Begin WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4th. **Doors Open at 9 a. m. Sharp.**

The Reason This Store Will be Closed is to Have Everything in Readiness, and Have all Goods Marked in Plain Sale Prices, and Every Garment You Find Advertised in This Ad., You Will Find in My Store. Sale Lasts But Ten Days Only. Sale Positively Ends Saturday, December 14th at Midnight. Here is a List That Should Interest All Shrewd Buyers. GREAT BARGAINS IN BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS AND OVERSHOES, FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, 70c. KIND SALE .. .. 38c.
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, 80c. KIND, SALE.. .. .. 48c.
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, 90c. KIND SALE.. .. .. 58c.
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, $1.00 KIND SALE .. .. 68c.
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, $1.10 KIND SALE .. .. 78c.
WOMEN' SLIPPERS, $1.35 KIND SALE .. .. 98c.
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, $1.50 KIND SALE.. .. ..$1.08
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, $1.60 KIND SALE 1.18
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, $1.70 KIND SALE 1.28
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, $1.90 KIND, SALE 1.38
WOMEN'S SLIPPERS, $2.00 KIND SALE 1.48

BOYS' BOOTS.

SALES PRICES, 98c., $1.08, $1.18, $1.28, $1.38, $1.48, $1.68 and $1.88.

WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, $1.35, SALE.. .. .. 98c.
WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, $1.50 SALE 1.18
WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, $1.65, SALE 1.28
WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, $1.75, SALE 1.38
WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, $2.00 SALE .. .. N 1.48
WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, $2.10 SALE 1.68
WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, $2.25, SALE 1.88

CHILDREN'S BOOTS.

AT 23c., 43c., 48c., 58c., 68c., 78c., 88c., and 98c.—Wonderful Bargains.

MEN'S BOOTS

SALE PRICES—$1.28, $1.48, $1.68, $1.88 $1.98, $2.18, $2.38, $2.48, $2.68, $2.88 and $2.98.

ALL THESE ARE EXCEPTIONALLY GREAT BARGAINS FOR MEN.

WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $1.40, SALE .. .. 98c.
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $1.60, SALE $1.28
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $1.70, SALE, ...$1.38
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $1.80, SALE, ...$1.48
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $1.90, SALE, ...$1.58
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $2.00, SALE.. .. ..$1.68
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $2.20, SALE, ...$1.88
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $2.40, SALE.. .. ..$1.98
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $2.50, SALE, ...$1.98
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $2.60, SALE, ...$2.18
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $2.70, SALE, ...2.18
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $3.50, SALE, ...$2.88
WOMEN'S LACED BOOTS, $4.00, SALE, ...$2.98
MISSES OR GIRLS' BOOTS, ... 98c.
MISSES OR GIRLS' BOOTS, ...$1.08
MISSES OR GIRLS' BOOTS, ...$1.28
MISSES OR GIRLS' BOOTS, ...$1.38
MISSES' OR GIRLS' BOOTS. $1.48
MISSES OR GIRLS' BOOTS. $1.58

ALL THE ABOVE ARE WORTH NEARLY DOUBLE THE SALE PRICES

MEN'S HAND MADE, LONG LEG BOOTS. SALE $2.98
MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS, $4.50 KIND, SALE, ...$3.48
MEN'S HIP RUBBER BOOTS, $5.00 KIND. SALE, ...$3.68
MEN'S RUBBERS, 90c., AND $1.00 KIND. SALE,..... 65c. AND 75c.
WOMEN'S RUBBERS, 75c. KIND. SALE', ... 55c.
MEN'S OVERSHOES, $2.00 KIND, SALE, ...$1.38
GIRLS' RUBBERS, 70c. KIND, SALE, ... 45c.
BOYS' RUBBERS, 75c KIND, SALE 60c.
YOUTH'S RUBBERS, 65c. KIND SALE,... .. .. 50c.

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

MEN'S POLICE BRACES, SALE 18c. pr.
MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS .. 8 for 25c.
MEN'S HEAVY LEATHER WARM LINED MITTS, ...38c. pair.
MEN'S HEAVY FUR LINED CAPS, 38c.
MEN'S HEAVY WOOL HOSE, 18c. pr.
MEN'S HEAVY WOOL UNDERWEAR, 38c. a garment.
MEN'S FLEECE UNDERWEAR, 38c. garment.
MEN'S HEAVY UNSHRINKABLE UNDERWEAR, $1.00 KIND, SALE 68c.
MEN'S HEAVY TOP SHIRTS, ...38c.
MEN'S LINEN COLLARS, 3 for 25c., regular 15c. each.
MEN'S NECKTIES, 2 for 25c, regular 25c. each.

MEN'S OVERCOATS.

MEN'S BLACK AND FANCY OVERCOATS, SALE .. ..$ 4.68
MEN'S FANCY OVERCOATS, SALE 6.88
MEN'S BLACK OVERCOATS, $12.50, SALE 8.48
MEN'S BLACK MELTON OVERCOATS, ... 9.88
MEN'S BLACK MELTON OVERCOATS, ...10.88
MEN'S BLACK REGULAR $15.00 COATS, SALE 11.88
MEN'S SHEEPSKIN LINED COATS, ... $2.88 UP.
MEN'S HEAVY WORKING JUMPERS, SALE.. .. ..$1.68 UP.

MEN'S SUITS AND TROUSERS.

MEN'S FANCY PANTS, $1.25 AND $1.50 KIND, SALE, ... 88c.
MEN'S FANCY PANTS, $2.00 KIND SALE, ...$1.48
MEN'S FANCY PANTS $2.25 KIND SALE, ...$1.68
MEN'S HOMESPUN PANTS, SALE,$1.78
MEN'S FINE WORSTED PANTS. SALE, ...$1.98
MEN'S SUITS, $7.00 KIND. SALE, $4.68
MEN'S SUITS, $8.00 KIND, SALE, $5.98
MEN'S SUITS, $9.00 KIND, SALE, $6.98
MEN'S SUITS, $10.00, KIND, SALE, $7.48
MEN'S SUITS, $11.50 KIND, SALE, $8.48
MEN'S SUITS, $12.50 KIND, SALE, $9.48
BOYS' PANTS AT 38c., 58c., AND 65c.
BOYS' 2-PIECE SUITS, REGULAR $3.00 VALUES. SALE AT $1.98
BOYS' OVERCOATS, SIZES 28 TO 34. SALE PRICES, ..$3.29 AND $3.98
GREAT BARGAINS IN HATS, CAPS, SUIT CASES, ETC.

The prices I offer on the class of merchandise in value giving surpass any sale that St. John has ever known. Past experience has satisfied our patrons that we advertise only facts. I have mentioned only a few of the hundreds of bargains here for you, but my store is overrunning with them.

MONEY IS BACK OF MY GUARANTEE.

NOTICE---All Fares For Street Cars Will be Paid to Purchasers of $2.00 or More. This Store Will be Open Every Evening Until 9 O'clock; Saturdays Until 11 p. m.

C. B. PIDGEON,

Corner Main and Bridge Streets, St. John, N. B.

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

J. S. BACHE & CO.'S LETTER ON FINANCIAL SITUATION

NEW YORK, Nov. 30—The suspension of cash payments, which was coincident with the issue of clearing house certificates throughout the United States, is about at an end, as indicated by the disappearing premium on currency. The enormous imports of gold, amounting to over 100 millions, is the real force which has accomplished this result. It appears now that the act of the administration in arranging an issue of 100 millions 3 per cent. certificates (practically greenbacks drawing interest with one year to run) was unnecessary and perhaps unfortunate. The issue of fiat money in times of distress is the resort only of third or fourth-class nations. It was felt, however, by some that the desire of the administration to "do something" would have a good effect in allaying distrust, and it may be that, like a poultice applied on the wrong place, the faith cure feature of the operation did have some beneficial results. Chas. N. Fowler, chairman of the banking and currency committee of the house, the most thorough student of currency and economic conditions in congress in a remarkable and courageous statement protesting against the issue by the government of the 100 million certificates, says: "On Friday, November 15th (two days before the treasury circular was issued), the crisis of the present currency panic had been reached and successfully passed through the splendid achievements of the American bankers."

It must be remembered that Mr. Cortelyou was a most important part of the committee of bankers, and that the tremendous influence of the treasury's millions of cash was used freely and effectually by him during the successful passage through the acute crisis. Mr. Cortelyou, in his circulars arranging the certificate issue, was cautious and wise enough to provide for the possibility of terminating the issue at any time and for curtailing allotments to almost any extent, and on Thursday he announced that no more subscriptions would be received, and that possibly no more allotments would be made on the subscriptions already received. It is to be hoped that the amount finally put out will be small. It is now estimated at $25,000,000.

The danger which will next confront us through our currency situation will be the vast amount of paper money now out. These government certificates add to it. There is a point where paper issues persisted in will drive gold out of the country and our money system suddenly collapsing will land us on a paper basis. The volume of National bank notes has been increasing for years and rapidly increasing for the last two years. The issue amounted to over 600 millions before the panic. This will have probably been increased many millions more by January. We have approximately 500,000,000 greenbacks inconvertible and perpetual. A condition which would make large conversion of our paper money into gold suddenly desirable would bring us face to face with a crisis.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1907 November		Sun Rises.	Sets	Tides High.	Low.
2	Mon	7.51	4.34	9.12	3.31
3	Tues	7.52	4.34	9.59	4.23
4	Wed	7.53	4.35	10.45	5.12
5	Thurs	7.54	4.35	11.32	5.59
6	Fri	7.55	4.36	12.00	6.45
7	Sat	7.56	4.36	0.48	7.33

The time used is Atlantic Standard.

VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN.

Steamers.

Cassandra, 5228, sld Glasgow Nov 30.
Empress Britain, 8024, Liverpool, Nov 29.
Ionian, 5324, Liverpool, Nov 28.
Kastalia, 2,562,sld Glasgow, Nov. 23.
Lake Manitoba, 6275, sld Liverpool, Nov. 20.
Manchester City, 4992, sld Manchester Nov 23.
Mount Royal, 4596, sld London Nov. 30.
Mount Temple, 606, sld Antwerp, Nov. 20.
Rappahannock, 2490, sld London Nov. 23.
Sardinian, 2786, sld Havre. Nov 24.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Today.

Stmr Dominion, 2581, Dawson, from Sydney, C. B., R P & W F Starr, coal.

Schr Perry C., 187, Haux, from Port Reading, N. J., J W McAlary, with 500 tons soft coal, J S Gibbon & Co.

Barge No. 4, Tufts, from Calais, Me., master, ballast. In for harbor from Parrsboro and cleared.

Coastwise—Stmr Ruby L, 49, Lewis, Margaretville; Tug Springhill, 96, Cook, Parrsboro; with barge No. 7 in tow; schrs Maitland, 44, Hatfield, Port Greville; Wanita, 42, Rolfe, Wolfville; Coronilla, 28, Melanson, Annapolis, Prescott, 72, Crowell, Walton; R P S, 74, Baird, Parrsboro; Beulah, 81, Tufts, St Martins; Anne Blanche, 68, Spicer, Parrsboro; Lena, 50, Scott, Noel.

Arrived Sunday.

Stmr Victorian, 6,744, MacNicol, from Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co, pass and mdse.

Cleared Today.

Schr Jennie A Stubbs, (Am), 159, Dickson, for City Island, for orders, Stetson, Cutler & Co., 169,269 ft spruce scantling, 33,879 ft spruce plank.

Coastwise—Stmr Ruby L, Lewis, Margaretville; schr Maitland, Hatfield, Port Greville; Lena, Scott, Noel.

Sailed Sunday.

Stmr Tunisian, 6,803, Nunan, for Liverpool, via Halifax.

DOMINION PORTS.

Hilsboro, N. B., Nov. 26—Cld schr Ethyl B Sumner (Br), Beattie, Oak Point.

Halifax, Nov. 30—Ard, stmrs Empress of Ireland, St John (and proceeded for Liverpool); Coban, Louisburg; Activ, Port Hood; Amanda, Jamaica via St. John; Dec. 1, stmrs Dominion, Liverpool and proceeded for Portland; Oruro, Demerara and West Indies via Bermuda; Cacouna, Louisburg; schr Albani, Philadelphia.

Sld, Dec. 1—Stmr Bornu, Mexico.

Halifax, Dec. 1—Sld, stmr Cheronea, Cook, for Hamburg.

Liverpool, N S, Nov 29—Ard, stmr Ralph E S, Cook, Halifax; schrs New Era, Rafuse, New Haven; Alcaea, Parnell, New Bedford: Cld—Schr Ronald G Smith, Mack, Barbados.

Chatham, N B, Nov 27—Cld, stmr Bygland (Nor), Olsen, Portland.

BRITISR PORTS.

Bermuda, Nov. 29—Ard, stmr Bermudian, Fraser, New York.

London, Nov 30—Ard, stmr Iona, Montreal.

Liverpool, Nov 29—Ard, stmr Ulunda, Halifax and St John's (Nfld).

London, Dec 1—Sld, stmr Florence, Halifax.

Liverpool, Dec 1—Ard, stmr Virginian, Montreal.

Bristol, Dec 1—Ard, stmr Montfort, Montreal.

Southampton, Dec 1—Ard, stmr St Paul, New York.

London, Nov 30—Sld, stmr Mount Royal, St John.

Liverpool, Dec 1—Sld, stmr Lusitania, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Havana, Nov. 27—Sld, bark St Paul, Southard, for Gulfport.

New York, Nov. 29—Cld, schrs E A Sabean, Sabean, for Old Calabar, H J Logan, Howard, for Elizabethport.

Sld—Schr Alembic, for Shoreham.

Gulfport, Nov. 29—Ard, schr Evadne, Collins, supposed from Martinique.

Mobile, Nov 25—Ard, bark Alexander, Black, Smith, Virgie, from Cienfugos; 29th, bark Golden Ror, Irving, from Loguayre.

New Orleans, Nov. 29—Ard, stmr Malin Head, Campbell, Port Talbot.

Ponta Delgada, Dec. 1—Sld, stmr Mantinea, Wright, for Norfolk.

New London, Conn, Nov 30—Ard, schr Hazel Glen, Port Reading for Yarmouth.

Vineyard Haven, Mass, Nov 30—Ard and sld, schrs Dara C, Port Greville for New York; Scotia Queen, Windsor (N S) for New York.

Sld—Schrs Peter C Schultz, from St John for New York; Silver Spray, from Apple River (N S) for Providence; Lucille, from Parrsboro for Greenwich (Conn); Mayflower, from Windsor (N S) for Philadelphia; Elm City, from Cheverie for Norfolk.

Portsmouth, N H, Dec 1—Ard, schrs J Arthur Lord, St John for New Haven; Roger Drury, St John for Vineyard Haven for orders; Alma Nelson, Montague (P E I) for Boston.

Portland, Me, Dec 1—Ard, stmr Ring, Parrsboro (N S); schrs Annie Eves, St John for New York; Cora M, Shulee (N S) for New York.

Vineyard Haven, Dec 1—Ard and sld, schr Addie Fuller, Tenny Cape (N S) for Providence.

Sld—Schr Frank & Ira, Fredericton (N B) for Warren (R I).

Boston, Dec 1—Ard, stmrs Prince Arthur, Yarmouth (N S); Catalone, Louisburg.

Boston, Nov 29—Ard, schrs Phoenix, Parrsboro; Pearl Nelson, St. John.

Salem, Mass, Nov 30—Ard, schrs B B Hardwick, Boston for Clementsport; Romeo, St John for Norwalk; J L Colwell, for New Bedford; Stella Maud, do for Wickford (R I).

Portland, Me, Nov 30—Ard, schrs Witch Hazel, St John for Westerly; R Carson, Machias for Boston; Kolon, do for New York.

Cld—Schr Inez, Prospect Harbor.

City Island, Nov 30—Bound south, schrs Lucia Porter, St John; Myrtle Leaf, Noel (N S); Oregon, Mahone Bay (N S) for Elizabethport (N J).

Bound east—Stmr Nanna, Newark (N J) for Hillsboro (N B).

New Haven, Conn, Nov 30—Ard, schr Silver Leaf, St John.

City Island, Dec 1—Bound south, scnrs John G Walter, Apple River (N S); Unity, Newcastle (N B); St Bernard, River Hebert (N S); Flora M, Windsor (N S); Dara C, Port Greville (N S); Minnie Slauson, St John; Abbie C Stubbs, St John; William B Green, Walton (N S); Hunter, St John; Peter C Schultz, St John; Scotia Queen, Windsor (N S); Walter M Young, Lubec; Manuel R Cuza, St John for Philadelphia.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

Quebec, Nov. 29—Stmr Chr Knudsen (Nor) from Montreal for Sydney, in ballast, struck a rock at River du Loup and returned here leaking badly.

London, Nov. 29—Bark Clan Graham (Br), McIntyre, from Chemainus for Havre and Cardiff, has arrived at Montevideo with her cargo shifted.

Vineyard Haven, Mass Nov. 29—Schr Unity (Br), from Newsactle, N B, for New York, reports November 24, 25 miles E. of Highland Light, Cape Cod, in heavy easterly gale, lost a portion of deckload of laths overboard; proceeded.

Hyannis, Mass., Nov. 29—Schr Samuel Castner, Jr., from Calais, for New York, which arrived here yesterday, is leaking about 3,000 strokes per hour. Extra men are aboard to help work her pumps and a diver is expected tomorrow to examine her bottom and, if possible, stop the leak.

New York, Dec. 1—The Sandy Hook lifesaving crew early today took off the captain and crew of eight of the brigt. Lady Napier, which went ashore at the Hook, while running in for shelter last night. The brigantine was still fast tonight and her load of 300 tons of iron will have to be removed before she can be pulled off. She lies 100 yards west of the hook beacon, is head-on, well up on the beach and resting easily. She has sprung a leaw. She was bound from Demerara for St. John, N. B.

CHARTERS.

In the sail tonnage market an improved business was reported in West India chartering, but in all other departments trading was light. Rates for West Indies and southern coastwise business continue to incline in shippers' favor, although not quotably lower than in the recent past. In the South American lumber carrying trade rates are steady, influenced by a moderate demand and very light supply of tonnage of suitable class.

Lumber.—Br schr Arona, 532 tons, from Mobile and Apalachicola to Demerara and Fort de France, about $7 and $8, respectively; schr Jessie Lena, 279 tons, from Mobile to Arroyo (P. R.), $7.50; Br schr Prosperare, 378 tons, from Pansacola to Port Spain, at or about $7.50; Br schr Silver Leaf, 283 tons, from the Gulf to San Domingo, $6; Br schr C W Mills, 318 tons, from Fernandina to Havana, two trips, $5.50.

Br schr Coral Leaf, 374 tons, New York to Baracoa with general cargo and back with cocoanuts, p t; Br schr Mary Hendry, 249 tons, New York to San Domingo, with general cargo and back with sugar, $6 for the round and port charges; Br schr Silver Leaf, 283 tons, from San Domingo to New York with sugar, $3 and port charges.

MARINE NEWS.

C. P. R. steamship Mount Royal, Captain Purcell, left London for St. John last Saturday with a general cargo.

British bark St. Paul, Captain Southard, sailed from Havana November 27, for Gulfport.

Steamship Dominion, Captain Dawson, arrived in port today from Sydney, C. B., with a cargo of coal.

IMPORTS.

From Liverpool ex stmr Victorian:—100 bags walnuts, G; 50 bags walnuts, B & P; 50 bags walnuts, D C; 5 cases mdse, Geo Borgfeldt & Co; 19 brls grapes, J F Estabrook & Son; 169 mrls grapes, A L Goodwin; 4 pkgs mdse H C Olive; 3 parts machinery, John Haster; 2 pkgs dry goods, Macaulay Bros & Co; 2 cases woollens, M R & A; 158 cases washers, T McAvity & Son; 600 sacks salt, order; 2 bags walnuts, R & B L Hagger; 17 pkgs prunes, H B P., 50 bags walnuts H B B; 2 vats brandy, 1 case taps, J O'Regan; 6 rolls lead, Robertson, Foster & Smith; 6 cases tubes, A H T; 1 case brandy D O R, 3 bales cloth, Scovil Bros, 1 case 2 brls woollens, J Shane & Co; 75 bags walnuts, Union Bank Halifax; 1 case hosiery, J Vassie & Co; 18 pkgs earthenware, O H Warwicw.

For Dalhousie, N B—50 boxes, 8 ingots tin order.

For Marysville, N B—20 rolls softener, Canadian Colored Cotton Mills.

For Sackville, N B—20 cases preserves, order, M W & S.

For St Andrews, N B—176 boxes tin, order C.

For St. Stephen, N B—100 drums soda, Wilson, Paterson & Co.

For Woodstock, N B—1 case hosiery, J White & Co.

Also a large cargo for the west.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for classification.)

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED AND TWO unfurnished rooms, 329 Charlotte street, west end. 1967-12—9.

WANTED—A COUPLE OF ROOMS, SUITable for light housekeeping. Address "Box 44," Times Office. 1966-12—9.

LOST—A FOUNTAIN PEN IN BANK OF Nova Scotia on Saturday morning. Finder kindly leave same at Bank or at 40 Dock street. 1965-12—3.

FOR SALE—SINGLE SEATED SLEIGH and 2 Fur Robes. New last winter. 142 Waterloo street. 1964-12—9.

LOST—SUNDAY MORNING, BETWEEN St. David street and Exmouth street church, via Union, St. Patrick, and Richmond, Gentleman's Watch Chain. Finder will confer a favor by leaving at GEO. BREEN'S, 23 St. David street. 1963-12—3.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Monday, December 2.

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

	Saturday Closing	Today Opening	Noon.
Amalg Copper	51	50¼	49½
Anaconda	33⅝	32¼	32
Am Sugar Rfs	106	105½	105½
Am Smelt & Rfg	72⅜	72⅜	71¼
Am Car Foundry	28⅜	27	27
Atchison	72¾	71¾	71⅛
Am Locomotive	37	36⅜	36⅜
Brook Rpd Trst	34	33½	32⅝
Balt and Ohio	83⅜	82¼	81⅝
Chesa & Ohio	27½	27	26½
Canadian Pacific	150½	150	149½
Chi & G West	7¾	7⅝	7⅝
Colo F and Iron	17½	17⅛	17
Erie	16⅜	16	15⅜
Erie, First pfd	34	35	34½
Erie, Second pfd	23½	24½	23¾
Kansas & Texas	24½	24¼	24
Louis and Nashville	93⅜	93¼	92
Mexican Central	13⅜	13⅜	13½
Missouri Pacific	49½	50	49
Pressed Steel Bar	18¼	18⅜	18⅛
Reading	90¾	89¼	88½
Republic Steel	17	17	17
Pennsylvania	110⅞	109¾	108⅞
Rock Island	14	14	13⅞
St Paul	100⅜	99⅝	98½
Southern Railway	12	12¼	12¼
Soo	74¾	74	74
Southern Pacific	73¼	72	71½
Northern Pacific	111	110¼	109⅝
Natl Lead	41	40	40
Union Pacific	116¼	115¼	114½
U S Steel	25⅝	25¼	24⅝
U S Steel pfd	86⅞	85⅝	84⅜
Wabash, pfd		16½	16½
Western Union	57	59	59

Total sales in New York Saturday 385,600 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

December corn	55	55⅛	54⅞
December wheat	96⅞	96¼	96
May corn	55⅞	55⅝	55⅜
May wheat	103⅜	103¼	102⅞
May oats	50⅞	50⅞	51
May pork	12.95	13.00	13.05
Dom I and S pfd	40	40	40
Nova Scotia Steel	55	55	55
Twin City	76¾	76⅝	76⅝
Montreal Power	85½	85¾	86
Rich and Ont Navi	66½	32¾	32¾
Ill Traction pfd	91	90½	90

NEW YORK MARKET.

December cotton	11.29	11.22	11.22
January cotton	10.90	10.80	10.73
March cotton	11.00	10.93	10.84
May cotton	11.10	11.02	10.94

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker & Broker.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Consols money 83 1-16 are 1-16 over last Saturday's closing. Account 83 1-2 up 1-8.

American stocks in London weak 1-4 to 1 per cent. below parity.

Copper stocks much depressed.

LONDON, 12.30 p. m.—CPR, 150 3-8. Money on call 4 1-2 a 5 per cent. Discount short bills 6 1-4 a 1-2, for 3 months 6 a 6 1-4 per cent.

LIVERPOOL.—Spot cotton increased demand, prices steady. Middilngs unchanged, Futures opened barely steady 3 1-2 to 5 up. At 12.30 p. m. barely steady 1 to 3 up from previous closing.

Summary:—The Calumet and Arizona Mining Company declared a quarterly dividend of $1.50 a share. The previous disbursement was $5 a share on September 21st. last. Increase of loans in bank statement regarded as indication of reviving business. Showing generally considered favorable.

Treasury certificates allotted so far $30,000,000 mostly for banks.

LONDON, 2 p. m.—Exchange 486.50. Anc, 32 1-8; Atch, 72; Acp, 50 1-2; BO, 82 1-2; CO, 26 3-4; CPR, 150 1-4; GW, 7 3-4; Erie, 16; EF, 34; KT, 24 1-4; LN, 93 3-4; NP, 110 1-4; Cen, 98; OW, 31 3-8; Pa, 110 1-4; RG, 90; RI, 13 3-4; SR, 11 3-4; SP, 72 1-4; St. 100; UP, 114 3-4; US, 24 7-8; UX, 85 1-8; WZ, 15 1-2.

THE NEWS SUMMARY.

More than 3,000 bids were submitted for Panama bonds Saturday. It is announced that the issue is many times over-subscribed at an average price well above the present market price of the bonds.

W. P. Brown of New Orleans published the estimate of this year's cotton crop placing it at 11,500,000 bales.

An instalment of 10 per cent. on the new St. Paul stock calling for about $10,000,000 is payable today.

Bank statement showed percentage of reserve 20.11 per cent. against 19.99 last week excess of loans over deposits $114,795,200.

LONDON SPECIAL,—American stocks failed altogether to respond to advance here on Saturday opening lower and losing from 1-2 to 1 per cent. all round by the afternoon. Weakness seems to have been due to an attempt to realize stock bought in New York to stimulate the rally. Money market outlook is better. Market is very narrow and what looks important changes could be made on a few hundred shares even in relatively active stocks.

LIVERPOOL, 2 p. m.—Futures steady, 3 to 3 1-2 net advance.

LAIDLAW & CO.'S LETTER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2—Viewed from any standpoint Saturday's bank statement was unsatisfactory and served as an unpleasant reminder that the leading institutions were still using extraordinary means to preserve the situation. While due allowance must be made for the abnormal banking conditions throughout the country and the complex movements of money incident thereto, the fact that the receipt of $60,000,000 new gold on the heels of prolonged and drastic liquidation in the stock market, resulted in no material betterment of the position of clearing house banks is a matter worthy of serious consideration. No one can cavil at the recovery of prices that occurred during the latter part of the week, for the freer supply of money on call and the increasing indications of a gradual return to normal conditions warranted some demonstrations calculating to restore general confidence. No more effective means to this end could be found than that of a moderate hardening of securities prices, but few fair-minded observers will contend that the recent rally did not proceed too fast for stability. Until the limits of this reaction can be more clearly approximated any efforts to bring about a sustained advance will be fraught with danger and frowned upon by the conservative interests which have undertaken to protect the situation.

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THE WEATHER

Forecasts—North to northwest winds, gradually decreasing; colder and mostly fair, with light local snowfalls and flurries. Tuesday, fresh northwest to west winds, fair and cold.

Synopsis—The storm indicated on Saturday is now centred over Cape Breton, attended by gales and rain and snow over the Maritime Provinces. To American ports, fresh to strong northwest winds and to Banks, northeast to northwest gales, decreasing tonight. Sable Island, southwest, 14 miles, cloudy. Point Lepreaux, north, 24 miles, cloudy at 11 a. m.

Local Weather Report at Noon.

Monday, December 2, 1907.

Highest temperature during last 24 hours 28
Lowest temperature during last 24 hours 22
Temperature at noon 25
Humidity at noon 86
Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 degrees Fah.), 29.60 inches.
Wind at noon—Direction northwest, velocity 30 miles per hour, part cloudy.
Same date last year—Highest temperature 36 lowest 5, clear.

D. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

Miss Sweeny and Miss Lillian Sweeny arrived home Saturday after four months spent in the United States.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST

It won't happen again if you send your shirts to Ungar's Laundry. 'Phone 58.

Prospective grooms will save 25 per cent on the Wedding Ring if they purchase here. Walter H. Irving, jeweler, 55 King.

Enjoy your breakfast by having Philps' perfectly sliced bacon. Philps, Douglas Ave. 'Phone 886.

The sale of the clothing that was damaged by water, which has been going on at J. N. Harvey's stores in the Opera House block for the past ten days, has left a lot of broken lines, odds and ends in suits, overcoats, pants, etc., etc. These will be cleared out this week at greatly reduced prices. Hundreds of people have got bargains here within the past ten days. Many others will get even greater bargains here this week. J. N. Harvey.

A SENSATIONAL SALE.

Begins Wednesday next, Dec. 4th; doors open at 9 a. m. sharp, at C. B. Pidgeon's store, corner Main and Bridge streets. See big ad in this issue. Don't fail to attend this great clothing and shoe sale.

FAIRYLAND

There was a large audience at Fairyland Saturday evening to see the excellent programme of pictures, when the prizes for the lucky ticket holders during the week were drawn. The successful winners were Mrs. Longon, $5.00 in gold, Samuel Capson, a handsome lamp, Harry Wolfe, a silver sugar spoon and a berry dish, Marshal Rose, a piece of china.

There will be new pictures today and a new song.

HERE IS AN OFFER!

Custom Tailoring Sale For This Month Only.

20 per cent. discount on for this month. Some of the prices:—$22.00 Suitings at $17.60; $20.00 Suitings at $16.00; $22.00 Black and Blue Cheviots, at $17.60; $24.00 Suitings at $19.20; $22.00 Black Twill Worsted, at 17.60; $20.00 Blue Twill Worsted, at $16.00; $22.00 Black Melton Overcoats at $18.00; $22.00 Blue Melton Overcoats at $18.00; $24.00 Steel Grey Melton Overcoats at $19.50.

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