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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker, May 14.)

Liverpool, 2 p.m.—Futures firm 8 1/2 to 17 1/2 net advance.

No opening yet received on Liverpool.

London—Americans in London were generally higher although market value was somewhat narrow for all but a very few active issues. Copper stocks were strong under leadership of Rio Tinto and mining dept was firmer.

Bank of England return—Reserve 27,026,000 against 27,194,000, bullion 37,057,000 against 37,497,000.

EARNINGS.

Utah Copper, for six months ended Dec. 31st, 1907, total net 663,662.

American Tel. & Tel. Co. has issued a report of all the assets of Bell Telephone operating companies not including long distance lines for the month of March as follows:—Phone revenues 9,790,100, balance from operation 2,560,400, total net earnings 2,371,100, charges 674,900, balance for divs, 2,296,200. Three months ended March 31st. Phone revenue inc. 2,065,900, balance from operations inc. 780,000, total net earnings inc. 226,200, charges inc. 285,300, balance for divs inc. 640,900.

BACHE'S MORNING LETTER.

New York, May 14.—Bank of England rate unchanged. Reserves advanced from 50.90 per cent. last week to 51.10 per cent.

Closing of market showed aggressiveness and shorts in many stocks became uneasy. The stronger quotations from abroad will not ease their minds any and a further turn in metal stocks as well as other industrial stocks. Tide running strongly in all standard sails. Steel corporation furnaces running about 50 per cent. of normal capacity around Pittsburgh slight increase and tendency better. Broad and active market again looked for with Harriman's Reading, Hill stocks, St. Paul as leaders.

J. S. BACHE & CO.

MONEY AND CONSOLS.

Consols money 99 1/2 to 1 1/8, account 30 5/8 to 1 1/8. Bank of England rate unchanged at 3 per cent.

Americans irregular mostly about parity.

Best Hard Wood sawed and split. Sawed Soft Wood \$1.35 per load.

Kindling in loads and bunches. Winter Port Coal \$2.25 a half ton, \$4 a ton delivered in bags and put in. Winter Port Large Stove Coal \$2.60 a half ton or \$5 a ton delivered in bags and put in.

Hard Coal. Three ton lots for cash \$5.75 delivered. Springhill Coal. Broad Cove Coal. Old Mine Sydney Coal.

GIBBON & CO.,

Smythe St. and 61-2 Charlotte St. The Charlotte Street Office open till 9 p.m.

WESTERN ASSURANCE CO.

Established A. D. 1851.

Assets, \$3,300,000

Losses paid since organization.

Over \$40,000,000.

R. W. W. FRINK,

Manager. Branch St. John, N.B.

pire State Engineering Co. 149 Broadway.

Office of brokerage firm of F. W. Boschen & Co. of Montreal, only Montreal member of C. Stock Exchange in New York, is closed.

New Southern Railway notes to run three years carry six per cent. interest amount issue understood to be fifteen million.

LONDON EXCHANGE.

London, 2 p.m.—Exchange, 457.20.

Anc. 42.18; C. 65.78; A. 82.18; B.O. 93.38; C. 43.12; G.W. 5.18; O.P.R. 100; E. 20.34; E.F. 30.12; K.T. 29.38; L.N. 108.18; N. 71.14; N.P. 136; C. 103.34; O.W. 42.38; P. 120.14; R.G. 114.12; R.L. 19; S.R. 18.18; S.P. 86.12; S.L. 133.12; U.P. 142.18; U.S. 37.14; U.X. 101.34.

UPTOWN SENTIMENT

A man who is regarded as one of the ablest R. R. managers in the country said this morning in discussing the recent rise in the prices of securities that there is a decided difference between a railroad stock that is marked up on an empty car and one that advances naturally on a full car already in a long moving train. He added that in his opinion the quotations for the former class of securities is likely to have a pronounced decline. In discussing the bond market he expressed the opinion that the attention which is being given to speculation in stocks is likely to lead people away from a legitimate investment in bonds rather than to attract them to that class of securities. He thinks that the bond market is not being helped in any way by the present marking up of stocks.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET.

Thursday, May 14, 1908.

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

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Yesterday's Closing Opening Noon

Amalg. Copper 65 1/2 65 1/2 67

Anaconda 41 1/2 41 1/2 42

Am. Smelt. & Ref. 29 1/2 29 1/2 30

Am. Car Foundry 37 1/2 37 1/2 38

Alchison 82 1/2 82 1/2 83

Am. Locomotive 50 1/2 50 1/2 51

Brook. Rfd. Trst. 50 1/2 50 1/2 51

Ches. & Ohio 41 1/2 41 1/2 42

Canadian Pacific 109 1/2 109 1/2 110

Colo. & W. 5 1/2 5 1/2 6

Great Northern 139 1/2 139 1/2 140

Erie 20 1/2 20 1/2 21

Kansas & Texas 25 1/2 25 1/2 26

Louis. & Nashville 108 1/2 108 1/2 109

Missouri Pacific 108 1/2 108 1/2 109

North West 154 1/2 154 1/2 155

Omaha 41 1/2 41 1/2 42

Pacific Mail 27 1/2 27 1/2 28

Reading 114 1/2 114 1/2 115

Republic Steel 29 1/2 29 1/2 30

Sloss Sheffield 47 1/2 47 1/2 48

Pennsylvania 120 1/2 120 1/2 121

Rock Island 131 1/2 131 1/2 132

St. Paul 134 1/2 134 1/2 135

Southern Pacific 18 1/2 18 1/2 19

Southern Railway 136 1/2 136 1/2 137

National Lead 64 1/2 64 1/2 65

Union Pacific 143 1/2 143 1/2 144

U. S. Rubber 24 1/2 24 1/2 25

U. S. Steel 37 1/2 37 1/2 38

Wabash 23 1/2 23 1/2 24

Total sales in New York yesterday, \$50,300 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May corn 73 1/2 74 1/2 74 1/2

May wheat 109 1/2 110 1/2 110 1/2

May soybeans 13 1/2 13 1/2 13 1/2

July corn 64 1/2 64 1/2 64 1/2

July wheat 94 1/2 94 1/2 94 1/2

July soybeans 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2

MONTEAL QUOTATIONS.

Yesterday's Closing Opening Noon

Dom. Iron 54 1/2 54 1/2 55

Dom. Steel 58 1/2 58 1/2 59

Dom. L. & S. 94 1/2 94 1/2 95

C. P. R. 160 1/2 160 1/2 161

Montreal Power 94 1/2 94 1/2 95

Rich. & Ont. 76 1/2 76 1/2 77

Detroit United 37 1/2 37 1/2 38

Mackay Co. 99 1/2 99 1/2 100

Toronto Ry. 102 1/2 102 1/2 103

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

July 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2

December 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2

January 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2

Local—The Sale of Curtains advertised by E. A. Dyleman & Co. for tomorrow offers an opportunity for those at present engaged in house refurbishing to secure curtains of the best values at the most moderate prices.

See advt. of J. Ashkins on page 3 of this issue.

MADE A BIG PROFIT

IN WESTERN LANDS

The Washington Newspapermen

Made Money From Their Visit to Canada.

Montreal, May 13.—The Washington newspaper correspondents who made a trip through Canada last year, as the guests of the railways, gave a modern reading to the old proverb about making hay when the sun shines. While on the C. P. R. main line through the prairies they formed a syndicate among themselves with a capital of \$10,000, for investments in township lots and farm sections. They have sold a fraction of the lands they bought and have gathered into their net \$7,500, representing a profit of 75 per cent. on the capital they put into the lots they sold. They still hold on to the bulk of the lands, in the anticipation of further increases. Mr. Cy. Warman has just left for the west looking for the possibility of further deals on a similarly liberal scale of profits for the newspaper men.

SILK SALE AT MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON'S, LTD.

A shopping feature that will attract very many ladies to M. R. A.'s to-morrow will be a sale of brand new summer silks, including Taffetas and Louisines in prevailing patterns and colors. These silks are part of a manufacturer's overstock, and not by any means old materials. They include polka dots, foulards, shepherd plaids, summer stripes, etc., in profusion, and the prices are less than half, almost.

Only twenty-five hundred yards in the lot.

FURNISHING NEW HOMES.

Next month there will be many new homes to be re-furnished and an establishment that makes a specialty of furnishing homes in the most artistic style at little expense is the well-known firm of Amland Bros., Ltd., Waterloo street, as they carry exactly the latest styles of furniture, carpets, oilcloths, etc., at the lowest prices in the lower provinces. Their beautiful stock of buffets, extension tables, sideboards, dressers, dining chairs, China closets, etc., is well worth looking at, and those who wish to save money should do their shopping at the above store.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, May 14.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England remained unchanged today at 3 per cent.

The Mitchell & Bilby meetings continue at the Douglas avenue Christian Church, with large audiences. Two persons were baptized last evening. There have been nine additions in the last few evenings. The special services for children are attracting many of the little ones. Prof. Bilby, the cartoonist, sketches for the children. These meetings are held every Tuesday and Friday. Mr. Mitchell will speak tonight on the "Second Coming of Christ."

You can well afford the most luxurious style and comfort on a rainy day, if you own a raincoat. Good quality raincoats from \$6.75 to \$14.75 at Pidgeon's North End Store.

It is the tea grown on the hillsides of the world-famous Nuwara Eliya district in Ceylon, used in "Salada" Tea that gives it that rich, uniform, delicious flavor.

British steamship Eddie, Capt. Harrison, has been fixed to load coal at Sheet Harbour, N. S., for a port in the United Kingdom.

BIRTHS

HOPPER—On May 13, to the wife of W. E. Hopper, a daughter.

DEATHS

DEATH—On May 13, at 10:15 a.m., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John B. Tait, 17 Horsfield street, to Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Service at the house at 2.30. (Telegraph copy.)

REPORTS AND DISASTERS.

Halifax, May 13.—Stmr. Bridgewater has left for Seal Island to take on with seals. (Br.), which was wrecked off Cape Sable Dec. 14, 1907.

New York, May 13.—Stmr. Vaderland (Bel.), from Antwerp, reports May 4, lat. 43.34, lon. 14.35, passed a square piece of timber about 20 feet long.

Boston, May 12.—Stmr. Laurentian (Br.), from Glasgow, reports passed several icebergs between lon. 47 and lon. 50.

SPOKEN.

Bark Giuseppeina, Antwerp for Miramichi, May 14th, lat. 44; lon. 40.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS.

Stmr. Monteruma (Br.), from London and Antwerp for Montreal, was 65 miles S. E. of Cape Race 10th; no time given.

Stmr. Montfort (Br.), from Evans, St. John, N. B., and Halifax for London and Antwerp, was reported by wireless telegraph 120 miles S. W. at 2 p.m. 12th.

CHARTERS.

Steamer, 1,450 tons capacity, from Miramichi, to pick up cargo on with seals, Kildons (Br.), which was wrecked off Cape Sable Dec. 14, 1907.

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MARINE NOTES.

More than 100 steamers are laid up on the Tyne, in England, owing to the depression in the shipping trade.

British bark Brookside, Captain Morrell, arrived at Buenos Ayres May 7, from Tusket (N.S.), with lumber.

The bark Nova Scotia, built at Cornwallis, N. S., 1857, of 288 tons, has been sold to Stjernosen Ophugningskompani for breaking up at a price of 10,000 kr.

The tug Little left yesterday for Annapolis with the schooner Leonard Parker in tow. The Parker has been chartered by Pickles & Mills to load lumber for a southern port.

Capt. Ben. Davis, of Yarmouth, left Halifax on Friday for Shelburne, where the bark, Nora Wiggins is getting ready to proceed for Liscomb to load for Kingston, Jamaica.

North Sydney, N. S., May 12.—A telegram brings news that the schooner George, Captain Graze, has sunk on the banks while on her way to this port from the Newfoundland coast. The crew were saved. There was no insurance.

Yesterday's Boston Journal says: "Enormous icebergs, one of them nearly a mile in circumference, were passed by the Allan line steamer Laurentian, from Glasgow, while in the vicinity of Cape Race. The bergs were cited between longitude 47 and 50, and they were drifting down slowly from the Arctic regions and were all floating directly in the track of the big steamships. As soon as the ice reports of Capt. Lurie were sent to New York to warn other vessels from there to Europe."

SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1908. Sun. Rise. Sets. High. Low.

14 Thurs. 4:58 7:41 10:23 4:31

15 Fri. 4:57 7:40 11:05 4:32

16 Sat. 4:56 7:44 11:16 4:33

The time used is Atlantic Standard.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

Steamers.

Ulunda, sid Liverpool, Apr. 23.

Indral, sid Glasgow, May 2.

Shenandoah, sid London, May 6.

Dora, sid West Hartlepool, May 7.

Florence, sid Liverpool, May 7.

Barks.

Anello, sid Trapani, Apr. 21.

ARRIVED TO-DAY.

Stmr. Indral, 2,339, Mitchell, from Glasgow, R. Reford Co., general cargo.

Stmr. Senlac, 614, McKinnon, from Halifax and call ports, Wm. Thomson & Co., pass. and m/c.

Coastwise—Tug Little, 49, Gilchrist, Annapolis; schr. Nellie Myrtle, 10, Tower, fishing and cld.

Schr. Coronella, 28, Melanson, Annapolis and cld.; Nellie D., 32, Paul, Beaver Harbor and cld.

SAILED TO-DAY.

Schr. Abbie C. Stubbs (Am.), 295, Colwell, New York, R. R. Reed, 1,074 pcs. piling.

H. E. Elderkin & Co., 512 pcs. piling.

DOMINION PORTS.

Montreal, May 12.—Stmr. Kastalia, Black, Rotterdam; Manchester Mariner, Linton, Manchester.

Cld., stmr. Inishowen Head (Br.), Pickford, Belfast.

Quebec, May 12.—Ard., stmr. Parisian, London and Havre; Montezuma, London and Havre; Bellona, Mediterranean; Cassandra, Glasgow.

Ingram Docks, May 11.—Ard., bark Camilla (Nor.), Johnson, Arendal.

Chatham, May 9.—Ard., stmr. Denaby, Holmes, Barry; 11th, stmr. Ester, Mauritz, Burat Island; Arcola, Shaw, Newport (Man.).

Moncton, May 12.—Ard., schr. Theta, Salter, New York.

Newcastle, May 11.—Ard., stmr. Raven, Olsen, and Unimak, Olsen, Halifax.

Halifax, May 12.—Ard., stmr. Minia, (Br cable) sea; anchored at Quarantine with smallpox on board.

Sid—Stmr. A. W. Perry, Boston.

BRITISH PORTS.

Bristol, May 12.—Ard., stmr. Montcalm, Hodder, St. John, N. B., and Sydney, C. B., via Liverpool.

Port Natal, May 12.—Ard., previously, stmr. Menmon (Br.), Purdon, St. John, N. B., via Cape Town.

Eastham, May 13.—Sid, bark Sultana, Dalhousie.

Southampton, May 13.—Ard., stmr. Oceanic, New York.

Cape Race, Nfld., May 13.—Stmr. Canada, Liverpool for Montreal, in communication with the Marconi station here when 170 miles southeast at 9.30 a.m.

Stmr. Victoria, Liverpool for Montreal, reported 195 miles northeast at 10.45 a.m.

Southampton, May 13.—Stmr. Majestic, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 12.—Ard., schr. Blanche (Br.), Roberts, Nassau.

Sid., schr. Robert F. Murphy, Duntun, Bath, Me.; Invictus (Br.), Roberts, Amherst, N. B.