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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Friday, August 27.

(Direct private wires of J. M. Robinson & Sons, bankers.)

	Yesterday's Closing.	Today's Op'g.	Noon.
Amalgamated	82¾	83⅛	83⅜
Am Car & Foundry	64¾	65⅛	65¼
Am Locomotive	57½	57¾	58½
Am Ice	33⅝	33	33
Atchison	116	117	1.6⅝
Am Smelters	99	99¾	99⅝
Anaconda	47⅝	47¾	47⅞
Brook Rapid Transit	78¼	78⅝	78¾
Balt & Ohio	115	115¾	115¾
Can Pacific Ry	183¾	184¾	184¾
New York Central	136¼	136½	136⅝
Ches & Ohio	80⅝	80¼	80⅜
Colorado F & I	43¼	43⅞	44
Den & Rio Grande	47½	47	47
Delaware & H C	192½	191	192
Erie	34⅛	35	34⅛
Erie, 1st Pref	53½	53	53⅛
Erie, 2nd Pref		43	43
Consolidated Gas	144	145	145
General Electric	165	165¼	165⅞
Great North Pref	151½	162⅝	151¼
Illinois Central	154	153	152⅞
Kansas & Texas	40½	40¾	40⅛
Louis & Nash	152	151¾	151¾
National Lead	90¼	91	90½
Missouri Pacific	72	72½	72½
Northern Pacific	153	154½	153½
Ontario & Western		47⅛	47⅞
Pressed Steel Car	49¼	49½	49⅝
Pennsylvania	138	139	138⅞
Reading	156¼	157⅜	156½
Peoples G L & Co		1.6	115¼
Rep I & Steel	36⅝	37¼	36⅛
Rock Island	37	37⅝	37⅝
Rock Island Pref	75½	75⅞	75½
U S Rubber	50¼	52	50⅞
Soo Railway	142½	142	142
Southern Pacific	125¾	127¾	127½
St Paul	154⅜	154⅜	155
Southern Railway	29¾	30¾	30⅛
Union Pacific	198	199½	199¼
U S Steel	74	74½	74¼
U S Steel Pref	123¾	124¼	123¾
Wabash Ry	20	20	20
Wabash Ry Pref		52¾	53¼
Wisconsin Central	57⅛	55	55

Sales—11 o'clock, 338,100; 12 o'clock, 580,700.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

September	12.23	12.27	12.23
October	12.29	12.27	12.32
December	12.30	12.27	12.35
January	12.27	12.25	12.30
March	12.28	12.29	12.33
May	12.30	12.35	12.37

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat—			
September	97⅞	98	98⅝
December	94	94	94⅜
May	97¾	97¾	98⅛
Corn—			
September	65⅜	65¼	65½
December	55⅞	55¾	55¾
May	56⅞	57	56⅞
Oats—			
December	36⅜	36⅜	36⅝
May	39⅛	39	39¼

NEW YORK FINANCIAL BUREAU.

New York, Aug. 27—Feverish and irregular fluctuations seem likely to continue in the stock market following the removal of supporting orders and the development of a wave of liquidation that is being all owed to run its course and has already forced the actives in a number of cases beyond the trading area downward. No man can accurately foreshadow culmination of liquidation any more than he can read the minds of many men. Therefore, a broad view must be taken and conservative action maintained. So long as support is not more than scale down professionals will sell on rallies for turns.

They cover on extreme weakness which is a good policy. Further hammering is likely to produce an oversold condition for the technical situation is vastly improved and short selling is extensive. We have consistently and persistently in the face of criticism at times, advocated the protection of stop order for every purchase on reactions of late and we see no reason to change the suggestion. Good stocks always suffer with bad ones in times like these but we think worthy industrials are to be preferred on the present setback, especially where the return is good.

The conservative neutral attitude along lines heretofore suggested, and which has proved efficacious against severe loss as well as in producing profit according to the inclination of the trader, is still suggested in daily operations. Developments to account for the drop aside from the sensational "Harriman plot" story, which started to circulate the first part of the week, but was discredited seem singularly absent, but the story referred to will do as well as any other for an excuse.

The market is acting along perfectly natural lines as will be demonstrated by calm consideration. We have persistently referred to distribution for some weeks. In view of it, we have been extremely cautious and careful to suggest stop order protection.

MORNING COTTON LETTER

New York, Aug. 27—Some of the southern selling toward the close yesterday was attributed to hedging against the new crop, probably because increasing receipts point attention to new crop movements which will soon be showing up in some volume. We are reaching the time when hedge selling should be more of a factor which brings us squarely face to face with the uncertainty which has reflected itself in recent nervousness and irregularity concerning the ability of the market to absorb these offerings above the 12-cent level.

It looks to be a question of awaiting developments in this respect. Daily news contains nothing convincing to eliminate the various arguments pro and con regarding the absorption of new crop requirements.

It is logical to suppose that a good many people are waiting to buy cotton on a break, because of this very fact it is only logical to suppose that very little speculative effort has been made to discount an easier speculation with the receipt of new crop cotton in volume beyond a reduction in the outstanding long interest and a postponement of fresh ventures. Next week a number of private crop reports will no doubt become available. On September 2nd, the goevrnments September bureau will be issued and September 4th is an extra exchange holiday both in New York and New Orleans.

London, Aug. 27—Anc 48; Ac 83 1-4; Atch 116 1-4; Bo 115 1-2; Co 80 1-2; Ca 184 5-8; D 47 3-8; Dx 85 5-8; Erie 34 1-2; E 53 1-2; Ez 44 1-4; Ills 153 3-4; Kt 40 1-2; N 93; Np 153 1-4; Cen 136 1-2; Ow 47 3-4; Pa 137 3-4; Rg 156 1-2; Ri 37 3-8; Sr 30; Sj 70 1-2; Sp 126 3-8; St 154 3-4; Up 199; Us 74 1-4; Ux 123 7-8; Wz 52 3-4.

LIVERPOOL, N. S IS VISITED BY A DISTRUCTIVE FIRE

Liverpool, N. S., Aug. 27—(Special)—In a conflagration at Millton earl ythis morning, a large amount of property was destroyed. The fire started in the blacksmith shop of Hemon Bros., and made rapid headway. The only available means of preventing its progress was the bucket brigade.

The fire consumed the general store and sawmill owned by Barnaby Bros., the blacksmith shop and carriage shed owned by Hemon Bros., and the flour and feed store owned by J. G. Morton & Son, besides damage to residence on the opposite side of the street. None of the properties was largely insured.

GOLF LADIES CHOOSE MRS. E. B. CHANDLER

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 27—(Special)On the golf links this morning, Mrs. Lenoir and Miss Bigelow met in the final contest for consolation cup, Miss Bigelow winning.

The Ladies' Golf Association this morning elected—President, Mrs. E. B. Chandler, Moncton; vice-president, Mrs. Maddison, Monston; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Cook, Moncton; executive committee, Mrs. Yorston, of Truro; Mrs. Fritz Crichton, of Yarmouth; Miss Dibble, of Woodstock; Mrs. E. A. Smith, of St. John; Miss Stairs of Halifax.

This afternoon an all-Nova Scotia team is playing an all-New Brunswick fifteen. Miss Thomson is playing one for New Brunswick, and Miss Handsomebody one for Nova Scotia.

LATE LOCALS

The Carleton Cornet Band will give a concert on Tilley Square tonight, weather permitting.

George Meahan of Moncton denies that he visited George Mirissis in his shop here and says he can submit proof.

The baseball game between Hampton and Renforth scheduled for tomorrow afternoon has been postponed.

The meeting of the executive council of the board of trade which was to have been held this morning has been indefinitely postponed.

Rev. George R. Baker, of Leominster, Mass., son of Chas P. Baker, of Randolph & Baker, will occupy the pulpit of Brussels street Baptist church at both services on Sunday.

The St. John County District Lodge, I. O. G. T., will meet tomorrow evening at Gondola Point. All members are requested to meet at Haymarket Square, no later than 5 o'clock. Buckboards will leave sharp on time.

Mrs. Rose Mary Hurley, wife of John Hurley, died suddenly at nine o'clock this morning at her home, Vishart street. Mrs. Hurley had been ill for a few days and death is attributed to heart failure. She was a daughter of John Meahan of Douglastown, (N. B.)

There are now in the salmon pond at Little River, Alderman J. F. Belyea, fishery inspector, estimates, in the vicinity of 1,200 salmon. In two months they will be stripped and it is expected that about five million eggs will be obtained. The catch of salmon, the inspector says, was fairly good this season despite unfavorable weather. The quality was good.

A Hebrew telephoned to police headquarters this morning in a state bordering on hysteria, and Reserve Officer Gosline gleaned from him that somebody had stolen a quantity of junk from his wagon while he was in a house. He said he was afraid to leave the horse on the street while he solicited metal, &c., in the houses, as he feared the animal and wagon would disappear.

AUNT MARY AT OPERA HOUSE

Another large audience left the Opera House last evening well pleased with the performance given by Miss May Robson and her supporting company. The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary, is one of the funniest and brightest productions seen in St. John for a long time. The same play will be presented again tonight and tomorrow night, and no one should miss seeing it.

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W. J. McNEILL TELLS OF PRINTING OF FREE SPEECH

The preliminary examination of C. Bruce McDougall accused of libel, still continues to engage wide interest. This morning the principal witness was William J. McNeill, of Newcastle, who said he superintended the printing of Free Speech in the Weekly Advocate office at Newcastle.

A. J. B. Mellish, representing McDougall said that partizan reports of the hearing had been published, by some of the newspapers in the city. He objected to comment of a kind that would influence prospective jurors and added that Judge Forbes dwelt on this point in the county court during the Mirissis trial.

Mr. Mellish also protested against a demonstration by the audience.

Mr. Baxter announced that Chief of Police Rideout, Postmaster Crandall and Express Manager Newman, the witnesses from Moncton were delayed by a dilatory train and Charles Lingley, another witness did not reach court on time.

McNeill's Evidence

William J. McNeill was the first witness. He said he desired to take a formal objection to giving testimony. He explained that he wished the evidence would not be used against him and it was granted. For the past two years he had been mechanical foreman and manager of the Newcastle, N. B. Advocate, a weekly paper. Since Nov. 4, 1907 to May 4, 1909 he conducted the business for Anslow Bros. of Campbellton and since May he conducted it for the Newcastle Advocate Publishing Co., Ltd.

On Aug. 2 he was elected secretary-treasurer of the new firm. He said he had business relations with McDougall by mail and personally. He talked with McDougall in Moncton and Newcastle. The first occasion was the autumn of 1908.

Mr. Baxter—"Is that the McDougall you talked with?" (indicating the accused.)

Witness—"As far as I know." Eventually he stated that the defendant was the man in question. Interrogated with regard to his motive in meeting McDougall in Moncton McNeill was reluctant to divulge his object. Finally he stated that he enquired for McDougall in response to receiving a missive from McDougall and the latter was pointed out to him. McDougall negotiated with him to publish a paper.

Mr. Baxter—"Now tell us what happened between you and McDougall.

Witness—"Nothing of importance was talked of."

McNeill said he and McDougall exchanged salutations and the witness arranged to meet the accused again. At the Brunswick Hotel they met again and McDougall asked him to print Free Speech for him. By that time the firm had printed five or six issues of the weekly in consequence of negotiations by mail. Three of the firm Harry Anslow, H. H. Stuart and himself arranged with McDougall to print Free Speech. McDougall paid $30 for 2500 copies of Free Speech and desired to have the firm print an eight page paper. However when informed that the price would be doubled the subject was permitted to lie in abeyance. He said he met McDougall once or twice subsequently. He said he received money weekly by mail and also by express. At one time McDougall was $15 in arrears but there was no question of stopping the printing of the paper.

As High as 7,500 Copies

In reply to Mr. Baxter, HcNeill said 7,500 copies of Free Speech were printed at one time. This was the high water mark.

Mr. Mellish contended that the questions asked by Mr. Baxter were totally irrevelant to the specified charge in the information as it had not been proven that the Advocate concern printed the issues containing the alleged defamatory items on which the arraignment of McDougall is based. However the judge over-ruled the objection and announced that he would allow the prosecution the widest latitude, it being merely a preliminary examination.

McNeill said he received correspondence for publication oftener than once a week. He said he preserved none of the correspondence. After its publication the paper is printed the correspondence is destroyed. This was the rule with both the Advocate and Free Speech.

When shown items of St. John correspondence, he denied seeing them previously. These items were seized in McDougall's house. He added that he never saw any of the St. John corespondence that was not typewritten. McNeill said he saw the name of only one correspondent and it was signed to correspondence from Campbellton. McNeill aserted that he did not remember the name as he destroyed the paper six months ago.

Mr. Mellish objected to the interrogation of McNeill with regard to the name, on the ground that it would be foreign to the matter at dispute.

Mr. Baxter said it was the course of the defence to shield the correspondent, they would assume the responsibility.

Action in Other Places

The judge announced that he would not interfere with the prosecution in laying informations in the various counties against both the publisher and the correspondents. He announced that information would be preferred in Albert and Northumberland counties against Free Speech tomorrow.

McNeill in continuing his direct examination, said the name was Herbert Rowe or Rice or something similar. The Campbellton correspondence was not received direct at his office, but was accompanied by other items signed C. B. McDougall.

McNeill stated that on two occasions McDougall visited his office on the night train and left early in the morning. McNeill said the last issue was published a week from today.

Objection was entered by Mr. Mellish on the ground that this was anterior to the date of the information. He said that most of the correspondence of the issue of the 21st inst was typewritten. It transpired that another issue was published this week, it being printed last night.

This Week's Issue

Mr. Baxter offered the copy of Free Speech of last week's issue in evidence, but it was objected to by Mr. Mellish, and was temporarily withdrawn.

McNeill said a young man came to Newcastle for the business correspondence solely on Sunday night. The man obtained the communications, and said he was Bismark McDougall. McNeill said he received the "copy" for this week's issue as usual, and printed 4,00 copies. The matter would be destroyed today. Over the 2,500 copies, it was agreed at a conference, to ask one cent per extra copy, and by a subsequent arrangement, this was reduced to 3-4 a cent, when the circulation reached 5,000.

C. M. Lingley, printer, testified, while McNeill was stood aside, that he printed 2,000 envelopes addressed "C. B. McDougall, Editor of Free Speech, Moncton, N. B."

McNeill was recalled to the witness box and producing a copy of this week's issue of Free Speech in which was featured in double leaded type on the fourth page "Men who run Free Speech are called assassins." It was distributed among the counsel.

Incidentally Mr. Baxter queried if McNeill had known of W. C. Loggie and he said he had heard of Loggie being across the border.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Mellish, McNeill stated that McDougall once advised him to beware of receiving correspondence from others than the corespondents in St. John.

The case will be continued this afternoon.

SENSATION IN COURT TODAY

(Continued from page 1).

The defendant was sworn and took the stand in a very weak condition. He has not been feeling well for two days. Examined by Mr. Mullin he said he was twenty-one years of age, came to this country four years' ago from his birthplace, Athens. At that time he had no knowledge of the English language. On June 4 of this year he commenced to handle Free Speech. Customers asked him if he kept the paper and, thinking he could sell it readily, he subscribed for it.

His friend Roy, of whom mention has frequently been made, wrote the letter asking for copies of Free Speech. He said policeman bought the paper, but did not warn him. He denied most of the evidence as given by the police. He said he never told the editor in letters to keep unpublished any statements regarding a man named O'Brien or policeman Marshall and he never sent any correspondence to the paper. When Mr. Golding was shown the paper referring to him, he said that the writer who he thought might have been some of his business rivals, must have had a spite against him.

He denied Mr. Golding's statement about being able to withhold correspondence.

He was closely questioned in cross-examination as to the identity of the writer of the bill presented to Mr. Golding. The witness had given an order to Mr. Lingley, a printer, for some envelopes to be printed addressed to C. B. McDougall, Moncton, N. B.

On being shown the paper, the defendant pushed it away from him, but finally admitted owning it.

Considerable controversy ensued between counsel as to the advisability of admitting the letter as evidence. The letter was finally allowed to be read. It was addressed to C. B. McDougall, signed by George Mirissis and related to business transactions regarding the sale of Free Speech and the number of copies required. The principal point of interest was the statement that the witness had deducted $8 to pay the correspondents. The witness denied having dictated the last statement.

Another letter was offered in evidence subject to objection by Mr. Mullin. This letter was similar to the other, but a clause was contained regarding the payment of $2.25 for a cartoon cut, and of $3.00 for correspondence. A third letter was produced, but the defendant denied having dictated it at all. It was dated August 7, a short time after his arrest. The handwriting compared almost exactly with that of the previous letter, and the first letter was dated June 14, the second, July 7.

The third letter in part was as follows: "I am thankful of the encouragement received from you about my trial. I heard that MacRae is going to make trouble, and Baxter also, about what was in the paper." It was signed "George."

The defendant did not remember who wrote the letter for him.

A Cartoon

At this stage Attorney-general Hazen produced a cartoon, which the witness said he paid for out of McDougall's pocket. He denied conversing with James O'Brien about the lawfulness of keeping a revolver in his cash register.

Thomas Kickham and John Donnelly were called to testify, but were not present, so the evidence of Mr. Kickham was read. His Honor criticized their absence.

At this point Donnelly arrived, and was sworn. He is employed in the People's Cigar Store, Main street, and has been transacting business with the defendant since last February. He said he wrote some letters for the prisoner from that time regularly every month up to last month. The defendant told him he could not read or write. The witness wrote no letters to Free Speech or C. B. McDougall, but all to Boston to a business house.

This concluded Donelly's evidence, and in rebuttal Attorney General Hazen produced James O'Brien as a witness. The evidence of the defendant given this morning connected with Mr. O'Brien was read.

Mr. Mullin contended that this evidence could not be given in contradiction, as there was nothing said about time and place. He quoted references to show that this was so. Mr. Hazen argued otherwise and as it was after 1 o'clock the case was adjourned till this afternoon, when the argument will be continued.

At the afternoon session Gordon McKinnon was the first witness. He said that on the day following the arrest of the Greeks, McDougall telephoned to him from Moncton, asking him to accept the shipment of 1,000 copies of Free Speech, which he could give away in his barber shop in King Square. The witness said he refused to take the shipment. McDougall had said the arrest was a bluff.

At the opening of the case yesterday afternoon the following jury was empanelled:— Andrew McNichol, Robert, Cunningham, James Carpenter, F C. Godsoe, Frank White, F. W. Allan, Edwin L. Jarvis, Sanford W. Scammell, J. T. McGowan, W. L. Angus, Isaac H. Northrup and S. J. McGowan.

The witnesses examined yesterday were R. T. Firmin, Night Detective Lucas, Policeman Hughes, Policeman Crawford, Walter H. Golding and J. A Dunlop.

WORTMAN SAID HE WAS SORRY

Hampton, N. B., Aug. 27—The Wortman case was resumed before Judge Wedderburn this morning. Mr. Graves, the complainant, testified to a conversation with the accused on the day of his arrest, in which he expressed sorrow for firing his buildings, and asked his assistance in getting him free

Evidence as to epilipsy and its effects is now being given.

Mrs. Sydney Smith

J. Willard Smith received Thursday morning the news of the death of his mother, which took place at her home in Advocate Harbor, Cumberland county (N. S.) The deceased, who was in her seventy-second year, was the widow of the late Sydney Smith, who died last September. Mrs. Smith has been ailing for about a year and was brought to St. John last year to receive treatment. She was operated on at the private hospital and it was thought she would recover. She was removed to her home in Advocate Harbor about five weeks ago, but suffered a relapse recently and died yesterday morning.

J. Willard Smith spent last week with his mother, and his brother, R. Duncan Smith, was with her at the time of her death. Other sons surviving are: George W. and Fred. L., of Bridgeport (Conn.), and A. Percy, of Advocate Harbor. One daughter, Mrs. G. Stewart Maxwell, also resides at Advocate Harbor.

Mrs. Smith was a lifelong resident of Advocate Harbor and has always been an active member of the Methodist church. She was very highly esteemed by all who knew her and her loss will be keenly regretted.

Woman thinks she will be man's superior when she gets her rights.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS IN BRIEF

London, Aug. 27—George Manville Fenn, the novelist, died today. He was born in 1831.

New York, Aug. 27—General Jeremiah H. Gilman, U. S A., retired, who is said to have ordered the first rifle shot to be fired in the Civil war, died last night at the Oriental Hotel, Manhattan Beach, in his sexenty-ninth year.

Constantinople, Aug. 27—The Turkish government has decided that it is impracticable to send a warshjp to represent the empire at the approaching Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York.

Cardiff, Wales, Aug 27—Five coal miners were killed and twelve others seriously injured in the naval colliery at Rhondda today through the falling of an elevator cage.

Dover, Aug. 27—Jabez Wolfe, the English swimmer, who started from Dover yesterday to cross the channel to France, was compelled to give up after having covered 13 miles in eight hours. Edward Heaton of Liverpool started to try this morning.

New York, Aug. 27—Charles W. Morse has purchased a majority of the claims outstanding against the Metropolitan S. S. Company and will attend a sale of the property of that company in about a month.

In the burning of the Okanogan Hotel at Vernon (B. C.), on August 10, Wilbur Smith formerly of Millstream, Kings county, was among the victims and C. C. MacRae, of the Royal Bank, a brother of Dr. A. W. MacRae, of this city, distinguished himself by his assitance in the work of rescue.

And occasionally man throws off troubles by putting on a bold front.

PERSONAL NEWS OF INTEREST

Misses Gertrude, Alice and Elsie Robertson, of this city, have returned home, after spending two weeks the guests of Mrs. Fred and Lee Sharp, Maple Grove, Sussex.

F. B. Carvell, M. P., Mrs. Carvell and Miss Carvell, Woodstock, have been in Sussex, the guests of Dr. McAllister, M. P., and his wife.

Mrs. R. J. Scott and Miss Smith, of Douglas Avenue, have been visiting their brother, G. F Smith, Sussex.

Miss Bessie Wry and Miss Alice De Wolfe of St. Stephen have been placed on the teaching staff in the Fairville school.

Miss Beatrice Peacock, of Rolling Dam, is visiting Mrs. F. B. Cochran, of this city.

Stanley Robinson is visiting friends in McAdam.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon I. Teed, of St. Stephen, announced the engagement of their daughter, Ethel Louise, to Walter Alliston Tovell of Guelph Ont. The wedding will take place on Wednesday, September 29.

Mrs. David Williams, of this city, is the guest of Mrs M. Trimble, Willow Cove, Charlotte county.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Outhouse and daughter, Virginia, and Master Wilford Outhouse, have been visiting friends at Wilson's Beach, Charlotte county.

Miss Lottie Hanley and Miss Carrie Williams of this city, have returned after a visit to Willow Cove, Charlotte county.

Miss A. B. Wade, of St. Andrews, has returned home after visiting Mrs. John Cougle, west St. John.

Edward Kierstead, who has represented Ganong Bros., St. Stephen, on the road, has accepted a position with T. H. Estabrooks

Mrs. F. W. Brock and the Misses Brock, of Rothesay, will leave for an English trip next month. Miss Kerr, of Scotland, who has been their visitor, is going home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Higgins and family, of Cambridge, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Frederic W. Wilson, of Kingston Creek, Kings county.

J. Willard Smith left this morning to attend the funeral of his mother who died at Advocate, N. S., yesterday. R. Duncan Smith left here last Tuesday and was with his mother when she died.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Russell, of Cambridge, Mass., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Wells, King street east, returned home this morning by the S. S. Governor Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis E. Gerry, of Melrose, (Mass.) observed their silver wedding anniversary this week. Mrs. Gery was born in Guysboro, (N. S.).

INTERESTING ITEMS

Order your new fall suit or overcoat during August at C. B. Pidgeon's and save 10 per cent. off the regular price.

Ungar's success in laundering table linens evidences the thoroughness of their system. Tel 58.

TAKEN FROM THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

When you consider that seventy-eight of the pupils taken from the public schools within the past year have been trained and placed in positions worth three hundred to six hundred dollars a year, you will realize the very important part that the Currie Business University Employment Bureau plays in commercial development and the advancement of ambitious young men and women

The light on the bell buoy off Partridge from the public schools last year, and does not refer to the scores of positions and advancement handled by the Currie public service offices, which represent the higher value of the Currie scholarship over that of any other commercial school.

ZEPPLIN III IN THE AIR

Havensburg, Germany, Aug. 27—The airship Zeppelin III, which left Friedrichshafen in a pouring rain at half past four o'clock this morning for Berlin, passed here at twelve minutes past five. The rain had then ceased and there was a light wind The great airship was being driven at an estimated speed of 24 miles an hour.

Ulm, Aug. 27.—The Zeppelin III. passed over Ulm at a quarter before seven this morning. The airship was flying low and its screws were buzzing like monstrous horns. A weighted envelope was dropped on the edge of the town. Inside was the following message from Chief Engineer Durr:

"Everything is in good condition."

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Limited, supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market, Aug 26—October, 95 1-4; December, 91 5-8.

NEWS OF THE SHIPPING WORLD

MARINE ALMANAC.

1909 August.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Tide High	Tide Low.
25 Wed	5.42	7.10	6.10	0.22
26 Thur	5.43	7.08	7.09	1.22
27 Fri	5.45	7.06	8.11	2.23
28 Sat	5.46	7.04	9.09	3.21

The time used is Atlantic Standard.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

STEAMERS.

Bengor, sld Las Palmas, Aug 11.
Orthia, sld Glasgow, Aug 18.

BARKS.

Fido, sld Limerick, Aug 4.
Robert Grafton, sld Galway, July 21.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

ARRIVED TODAY.

Stmr Calvin Austin, 2,853, Pike, from Boston, and sailed for Eastport, to return.

Coastwise—Stmr Aurora, 182, Ingersoll, North Head, and cleared; Wesport III, 49. Coggins, Wesport, and cleared; Connors Bros, 49, Warnock, Chance Harbor and cld; schr Emily R, 30, Foote, Tiverton.

CLEARED TODAY.

Schr Minnie Slauson (Am), 271, Murphy, for Wickford, via Providence, RI, Stetson, Cutler & Co, 72,006 ft spruce scantling and plank, 1,080,000 cedar shingles, 1,097,000 spruce laths.

SAILED TODAY.

Stmr Governor Cobb, 1,556, Allan, Boston via Maine ports.

Schr Cheslie, 295, Brown, New York.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Schr W E & W L Tuck (Am), 393, from Stonington, J A Gregory, bal.

SAILED YESTERDAY.

Stmr Queen Wilhelmina, 2,306, Manning, London via Halifax.

Stmr Tanagra, 2,159, Lockhart, Barry Dock and Newry.

DOMINION PORTS.

Montreal, Aug 25—Ard, stmrs Turcoman, Jones, Bristol; Lakonia, Fraser, Glasgow; Cairnrona, Stooke, London.

Mulgrave, Aug 25—Ard, schrs Emily Cooney, Boston for North Bay; J C Collins, for North Bay.

Passed north, tern schr John L Treat, Boston for Miramichi; Advance, New York for Chatham; John L Manson, and Mineola, stmr Arcola, of West Hartlepool.

Flat Point, Aug 25—Signalled inward, strs Louisburg, Yola, Sygna and Taff.

Outward, stmrs Lady Laurier, Ryhope, St Pierre-Miquelon and Finn.

Bathurst, NB, Aug 20—Sld, schr Laura L Sprague, for Washington.

Quebec, Aug 27—Ard, stmr Virginian, from Liverpool for Montreal.

Halifax, N S, Aug 26—Ard stmr Mongolian, from Glasgow and Liverpool via St John's (Nfld); A W Perry, from Boston; schrs T W Dunn, from Perth Amboy; H H Kitchener, from New York; M E Moody, from Bonaventure (Que.)

Hillsboro, N B, Aug 24—Ard schr Evolution, Baird, from Boston.

BRITISH PORTS.

Cape Town, Aug 25—Ard, stmr Canada Cape (Br), Symons, Montreal via Sydney, CB.

Avonmouth, Aug 25—Sld, stmr Monmouth, Kendall, Montreal.

Cardiff, Aug 25—Ard, stmr Inishowen Head, Pickford, Montreal and Quebce via Belfast.

Liverpool, Aug 26—Sld stmrs Megantic, for Montreal; Tunisian, for Montreal.

Kinsale, Aug 26—Passed stmr Warrior, from Parrsboro (N S), for Manchester.

Manchester, Aug 26—Passed stmr Havso, from Pugwash.

Liverpool, Aug 25—Sld 25th stmr Almeriana, for St John's (Nfld), and Halifax.

Liverpool, Aug 24—Ard bark Carmel (Nor), Christensen, from Shediac.

Turks Island, Aug 13—Sld schr C W Mills, for Portland (Me), salt.

Foynes, Aug 21—Ard bark Sunlight, Fletcher, from Port Arthur.

Runcorn, Aug 22—Ard bark Tjerimal (Rus), Jansen, from Northport (N S.)

FOREIGN PORTS.

New York, Aug 25—Cld, schrs Exilda, Tower, Eatonville, NS; McClure, Dinsmore, Parrsboro.

Sld, bark Alkaline, for Lisbon; brig Curacoa for Cayenne.

Antwerp, Aug 25—Sld, stmr Lake Michigan, for Montreal.

Portland, Me, Aug 25—Sld, schr Gladys, from Cheverie, NS, for Norfolk.

Philadelphia, Aug 25—Cld, stmr St Andrews (Nor), Nansen, Sydney, CB.

Boston, Aug 26—Ard stmrs Prince George, from Yarmouth (N S); Ransom B Fuller, from St John via Eastport and Portland.

Sld—Stmr Prince George, for Yarmouth (N S); Calvin Austin, for St John.

Vineyard Haven, Mass, Aug 26—Ard and sailed, schrs Wm Mason, for New York for Windsor; Orozimbo, for Calais, for New Bedford.

Ard—Schrs Genevieve, from New York for St John (N B.); Peerless, do for Charlottetown (P E I); Lizzie H Partrick, from St John for New York; Qutay, from Weymouth (N S), for orders; Frances Goodnow, from St George (N B), for Norwalk (Conn.)

Passed—Schrs Lady of Avon, from New York for St John; Theresa Wolf, do for do.

City Island, N Y, Aug 26—Bound south stmr Florizel, St John's (Nflo), and Halifax; schrs Cora May, St John via Stamford (Conn), for Perth Amboy.

Eastport, Me, Aug 26—Ard schrs Levuka, from St John; Mattie J Alles, from New York.

Cld—Schr B I Hazard, for St George.

Portland, Aug 26—Ard schrs Mansfield, from Boston, to go on railway; John Bracewell, from Boston; D W B, from Boston for St John.

Sld—Schr Wm H Sumner, for St John.

New York, Aug 24—Cld brigt Curacoa, Olsen, for Cayenne; schrs Harold J McCarty, Belyea, for Hubbard's Cove; Lady of Avon, Steele, for Hantsport; E M Roberts, Grundmark, for Parrsboro; Bassile, Belliveau, for Yarmouth (N S); W H Waters, Granville, for St John; Alaska, Bullerwell, fro St John; Nettie Shipman, Burnie, for St John; Theresa Wolf, Evans, for St John; John G Walters, Walters, for Port Reading.

Yokohama, Aug 24—Sld stmr Empress of Japan, Pybus, for Vancouver.

Mobile, Aug 23—Ard schr Albani, Nickerson, from Havana.

Bridgeport, Conn, Aug 24—Sld schrs Emma Knowlton, for New York; Romeo, for St John.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS YESTERDAY.

Thursday, Aug. 26—6.15 a. m.—Cymric, 95 miles S. W. Cape Sable, bound east.

6.20 a. m.—Mauretania, S. W. ape Sable, bound east.

8.50 a. m.—Majestic, S. W. Cape Sable, bound east.

12.30 p. m.—Bluecher, 100 miles east of Nantucket Lightship, bound east.

SPOKEN.

Bark Nebo (Nor), Halvorsen, from Yarmouth (N S), for Montevideo, Aug 11, lat 12 N, lon 27 W.

Schr G W Mills, bound N, timber laden, Aug 23, lat 36, lon 77.

RECENT CHARTERS.

Steamer Leuctra, St John to Cardiff, deals, 32s 6d; schr Kenneth C, Miramichi to New York, laths, 75c; schr Peerless, Shediac to New York, laths, 80c; schr Persis A Colwell, Bathurst, Dalhousie, to New York, Philadelphia or Washington, laths, 80c.

Schooner Edwina, 389 tons, from Philadelphia to Halifax, 95c; schr James B Jordan, 663 tons, from Miramichi to New York or Philadelphia, lumber and lath, p t; British schr Kenneth C. 475 tons, same; schr Maud B Krum, 633 tons, same from Campbellton.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS.

Parrsboro, NS, Aug 25—Schr Vere B Roberts, Roberts, from Dorchester for Vineyard Haven, has put in here leaking badly.

Jacksonville, Fla, Aug 25—Bark Hancock, Morehouse, from Port au Prince to Monte Christi, after beating for six days against trade winds, splitting sails and being driven well to leeward, came to this port for owners' instructions.

Vancouver, BC, BC, Aug 24—Stmr Makura, which arrived today, reports having spoken last Sunday the overdue ship Celtic Monarch, which left Glasgow March 20 with a general cargo for Vancouver and Puget Sound ports. The Celtic Monarch signalled "All well."

London, Aug 25—Stmr Eden, belonging to the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co, trading in the West Indies, is ashore at Cabrit Island, and is full of water. Assistance asked for from Barbados.

Portland, Aug 24—Schooner Oliver Ames, before reported libelled for debt, will be sold at U S marshal's sale at Carvers Harbor.

ST. JOHN CLEARING HOUSE.

The bank clearings for the week ending Aug. 26 were $1,380,273; corresponding week last year, $1,225,041.

MARINE NEWS

British schooner Cheslie, Captain Brown, sailed today for New York, with 2,113,000 spruce laths.

Steamship Manchester Merchant, Captain Foale, sailed today for Philadelphia and Manchester with deals and general cargo. She will leave port this morning.

Battle line steamer Tanagra sailed last night for Barry Dock and Newry (G. B.), with deal cargo.

C. P. R. steamer Lake Michigan left Antwerp for Montreal last Wednesday. She has on board goods for St. John merchants.

Elder-Dempster steamship Canada Cape, Captain Symons, arrived at Cape Town last Wednesday from Montreal via Sydney, C. B.

British steamer Milton, which sailed from this port last Wednesday night for Cardiff (Wales), took away 2,335,000 feet spruce deals, etc.

The Allan line steamship Grampian, Capt. Johnston, from Glasgow via Moville, for Quebec and Montreal, left Moville last Sunday. She has on board 207 first class and 114 steerage passengers.

The schooner Gladys, which has been dischargnig a cargo of lumber at the Grand Trunk wharves, Portland, sailed last Wednesday for Cheverie, N. S., where she will load a cargo of plaster for Norfolk.

The schooner William H. Sumner has finished discharging her cargo of coal at the Maine Central wharf No. 2 and is now having windless repaired, for which several new parts are now being cast at the Hyde works at Bath. She cleared Wednesday for St. John, N. B., where she will load piling for New. York.—Portland Argus, Aug. 26.

A Montreal despatch says it is rumored there that the Cunard liners Etruria and Umbria, which have been withdrawn from the New York service, will follow the White Star line into the St. Lawrence trade, and make a bid for theg rowing passenger business on the Canadian route.—Portland Argus, Aug. 26.

The British schooner Strathtay will arrive here next month with a big cargo of sugar from Java, being the first shipment of the year from the faraway island. She sailed from Batavia about a month ago, and should reach this port the latter part of September. The steamer is in command of Capt. McKenzie.—Boston Journal, Aug. 26.

GAY MATINEE GIRL

"The Gay Matinee Girl," a high class comedy, will appear at the Opera House on September 1 and 2. It will be presented by a capable company of fifteen artists, including singers, funny comedians and graceful dancers. Reserved seats are now on sale.

BIRTHS

WALSH—Aug. 26, to the wife of M. J. Walsh, a daughter.

DEATHS

MORRIS—In this city, on the 26th inst., Mary Ann Morris, widow of James E. Morris.

Funeral from her late residence, 563 Main street, on Saturday morning, at 8.30, to St. Peter's church. Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock.

SOMERVILLE—On the 27th inst., at 8 a. m., Margaret, the wife of John D. Somerville, passed away at her residence, 224 Prince William street.

Funeral notice later.

DOWNING—On the 27th inst., at 315 Princess street, Charles Leo, son of E. J. Dunphy and Alice Maud Downing; aged 14 months.

Funeral Saturday, at 2.30 p. m., from 315 Princess street.

HURLEY—Suddenly, on the 27th inst., at 9 Vishart street, Rosemary, beloved wife of John Hurley, and daughter of John Meehan, of Douglastown, N. B., in the 32nd year of her age.

Notice of funeral later.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for Classification.)

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED STENOGrapher. Apply, DUNLAP-COOKE CO. 1647-tf

WANTED—FIRST CLASS GENTS' TAILor. Steady employment, right wages to first class man. DUNLAP-COOKE CO., Ltd., Furriers, 54 King street, St. John. 1648-tf

WANTED—AT ONCE, A GOOD GIRL to assist in kitchen in a city public institution. References required. Apply to MISS BOWMAN, 111 Princess street.

ROBERT M. THORNE, CARPENTER and Builder, General Jobbing a Specialty. Estimates Furnished. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Shop: 114½ Princess street; Residence: 80 Victoria street; Telephone 1724-21.

LOST—TUESDAY EVENING, BETWEEN Kindred's stable and St. James street, via Union, Minette and Victoria, gold watch fob, made of twelve square links. Finder kindly leave with Ferry Collector, West Side. 1685-8-28

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL WORK, family of three. Apply, 70 Queen street, left bell. 1654-9-3

FREE RENT AND FUEL WILL BE GIVen a couple (man and wife), or grown family, to look after a building. Work light. Address, "A," this office. 1653-8-31

EQUITY SALE

THERE will be sold at public auction at Chubb's corner (so called) in the City of Saint John in the City and County of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick on Saturday the sixth day of November A. D. 1909 at twelve o'clock noon pursuant to the directions of a certain Decretal Order of the Supreme Court in Equity made on the thirteenth day of July A. D. 1909 in a certain cause therein pending wherein William E. Earle is plaintiff and Richard Harrison, Alexander Macaulay, Beverly R. Macaulay and David J. Brown of Richard Harrison's estate under section 89 of chapter 4 53rd Victoria "An Act respecting practise and proceedings in the Supreme Court in Equity" to represent the estate of Matthew Harrison deceased are defendants with the approbation of the undersigned referee in equity, all the right title and interest of the defendants in and to a certain indenture of lease dated the first day of May A. D. 1898 and made between Thomas Gilbert (the lessor) of the one part and Matthew Harrison (the lessee) of the other part and in and to the leasehold lands and premises therein and in the plaintiff's bill described as "A certain part or portion of that certain lot of land lying and being in the City of Saint John aforesaid fronting on Saint David Street and known in the said City by the number 237 two hundred and thirty seven the said part or portion of said lot thereby demised and leased having a front of twenty seven feet eight inches on Saint David Street aforesaid and extending back to the rear of the said lot continuing the same breadth one hundred and twenty five feet more or less the same being that part of the said lot twenty five feet eight inches by one hundred and twenty five feet immediately adjoining the lot of land fronting on Saint David Street in the said City and known by the number 236 two hundred and thirty six together with the right of way in a certain alley-way of six feet." and also in and to a certain other indenture of lease dated the twenty seventh day of April A. D. 1898 and made between James Gilbert (the lessor) of the one part and the defendant Richard Harrison (the lessee) of the other part and in and to the leasehold lands and premises therein and in the plaintiff's bill described as "A certain part or portion of that certain lot of land lying and being in the City of Saint John aforesaid fronting on Saint David Street and known in the said City by the number 237 two hundred and thirty seven the said part or portion of said lot thereby demised having a front on Saint David Street aforesaid of eighteen feet four inches and extending back to the rear of the said lot continuing the same breadth one hundred and twenty five feet immediately adjoining the lot of land fronting on Saint David Street and Union Street in the said City, and known therein by the number two hundred and thirty eight (238) together with the right of way in a certain alley-way six feet in width open and in use and part of said lot number 237 two hundred and thirty-seven and adjoining the portions of the said lot demised by the said indenture of lease" the same to be sold in two separate parcels as above described.

For terms of sale and other particulars apply to the plaintiff's solicitor, St. John, N. B.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of August A. D. 1909.

CHARLES F. SANFORD, Referee in Equity.

STEPHEN B. BUSTIN, Plaintiff's Solicitor.

T. T. LANTALUM, Auctioneer. 1647-11-7