HAPPENINGS IN THE WORLD OF SPOR

After a Hard Fought Game Toronto Maple Leafs Were Defeated by Royals by 5 to 4

ST. ROSE REGATTA

The Programme is Announced in Two Sections, the Motor Boat Races Being Held on July 31, and the General Regatta on Aug. 7.

Toronto Maple Leafs were beaten yesterday by the Royals by the score of 5 to 4. The game was an exceedingly exciteable one, most of the scoring being done in the latter end of the match. Jack Flynn played a splendid game, and was the batting constellation of the Royals

The performance of Ottawa yesterday in beating London by 3 to 1 evened up the series. The pitching of Ross for the Senators was very effective, allowing only three hits and striking out eleven men. Mulina, London, struck out seven batters, but was nicked fa ten hits, though some of them were very scratchy.

Hamilton, by defeating Guelph yesterday by 9 to Il remain tied with Ottawa at the head of the Car adian League. Kirley did mound duty for Knotty Lee's team, and although he kept them to nine hits they came in bunches. Doherty was touched up for the less hit, but managed to keep them scattered

Brantford, after an uninteresting game, beat St Thomas by the score of 8 to 1. Walker was the outanding feature of the Brants, and held St. Thomas to seven scattered hits.

This afternoon Shamrocks and Montreal will bat the for honors, and as the result of the game will have considerable bearing on the championship of the National Lacrosse Union. The players of both an interesting contest is expected

The annual regatta of St. Rose Boating Club is angeneral regatta on Saturday, August 7.

At Cleveland yesterdway, history almost repeated "Chuck" Evans, of Chicago, defeated Ned Sawyer, of Chicago, 2 and 1, in the semi-final match ern Cartridge Co of East Alton, III. in the western amateur golf championship. It was the same score by which Evans won from Sawyer in the semi-finals last year

This afternoon, two important matches will be rinks come here to meet both the Outremont and M. A. A. A. lawn bowlers. In the afternoon the players from the Cotton town meet the North end club. vhile at night they play on the Peel street greens

One match in the first round of the president's orize rink competition at the Montreal West Lawn list by Great Britain. Bowling Club was played last night, when J. Mc-Cregor's rink defeated that skipped by J. Ballantyne by 20 to 16 shots.

The second semi-final in the P. M. Black trophy empetition was played last night by the members of the Outremont Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club, when Mrs. H. McKenzie defeated Miss Miron 20 to 9. Mrs. York by express. McKenzie and Miss G. McIntosh will meet in the final on Monday night. The double competition for the vice-president's prize was started last night.

A proposal to increase the term of Governor to four years with a salary of \$20,000 a year was pre sented to the Constitutional Convention at Albany

CANADIAN TRADE CONDITIONS FAR FROM ENCOURAGING

Canadian trade circles, on the other hand, war orders look is good, with warm weather helping the growth. Flour milling is dull, and some plants have closed down to allow of stocks being worked off

British government in buying wheat in large quanti- cient for a hearty meal for one person. ties and then selling it to millers at less than cost in flour, which in turn restricts the market for the Canadian article. Failures

Bank clearings at sixteen cities for the week ending with Thursday last aggregate \$131,380,000 an increase of three tenths of 1 pc. over last week, but a loss of 22.7 pc. from this week last year. Business failures \$1.500,000 to \$2.000,000. Shipments for past month for the week terminating with Thursday last number have amounted to nearly \$80,000, with 10 months un-79. which compares with 45 last week and 30 in the

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GLEANED FROM MANY SOURCES

********** Russian Parliament will meet on Aug. 1.

The Liverpool Provisions Exchange will be close

A car of new oats, the first of the season, was eceived at Peoria, Ill.

up to Germany.

Average price of 12 industrials 92.12 off 0.15. railways 90.16 off 0.13.

Japan is planning to spend \$100,000,000 on its navy

Missouri Pacific security holders are uniting t esist the reorganization plan

Commercial failures this week in United States number 411 against 436 last week and 352 year ago

Scranton despatch says that agitation is on among Pennsylvania miners to demand a 15 per cent. wage

United States exports have increased \$598,809,512 = in six items.

Theodore Roosevelt announces that Governo Hiram Johnson of California, is his candidate for Presidency in 1916.

that apart from development of further labor contro-

Immigration figures for nine months show a net addition to the population of the United States of sales have been training hard during the week, and only 77.335, as compared with 700.491 during the same months last year.

sounced in two sections; that for the motor boat of 5,000 box cars ordered by Russia at its Madison, races to take place on Saturday, July 31, and the III., plant, beginning Sept. 1. Production will run 50 cars a day.

> An order for a large number of cartridges was reeived from the Spanish Government by the West-

congress at the proper time.

Chinese commercial mission which visited America has completed arrangements for flotation of a Chino-American bank with capital of \$5,000.000

refrigerated meat annually until the end of the war, per cent. or until December 31, 1916.

A million dollar order for heavy motor trucks was eceived by the Gramm-Bernstein Motor Co. of Lima, Ohio, from a European belligerent, believed to be Rus-

Damage of \$40,000 resulted from an explosion in the was caused by sparks from a locomo

plants of the Union Metallic Cartridge Co. and the Remington Arms Co. at Bridgeport, Conn. ended. The

Contract of Du Pont Powder Co. with Tennessee

In Berlin new composite food consisting of maize flour, dried vegetables and dried meat is said to have This situation is largely due to the policy of the been introduced, two cents worth of which is suffi-

Workmen drillin on farm of J. Ogden Arm are more numerous, especially in Saskatchewan, where all liquor licenses were cancelled on July 1. Flow was 200 cubic feet an hour.

> have amounted to nearly \$80,000, with 10 months' un- RAILROAD EARNINGS IN finished orders in hand.

Lawson Purdy of Tax Board announced that real estate in Greater New York for 1916 will be rated on basis much lower than values of 1915. He said real estate has greatly depreciated in value in certain sec- roads reporting to date for the first two weeks in July tions of Manhattan

BRADSTREET'S GRAIN REPORT.

New York, July 24.-Bradstreet's weekly grain ex-

		Wheat.	Corn.
This week		4,182,000	360,000
Last week		3,407,000	451,000
Last year		7,740,000	590,000
Since July	1	10,752,000	1,500,000
Same perio	d last year	18,786,000	117,000
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JUTE WAS QUIET.

New York, July 24.- Nothing was said on jute, here being no sales of the new crop reported. Few cables have been received of late, and mills show little interest at present prices. Calcutta is handicapped by the shipping situation and the unwillngness of native balers to sell ahead.

SPICE MARKET MORE ACTIVE.

shown in peppers, sales of 75 tons black and 25 tons the same weeks in the two previous months, white being reported in the trade. Cables were still with the percentages of loss compared with last year: very firm and stimulated business. The dealers locally were in the market. Grinders are beginning to look ahead because of the strength of the primary July, 2 weeks\$14,356,266 Loss \$649,179



HON. ROBERT LANSING. United States Secretary of State and joint author with President Wilson of the latest note to Ger-

Heard Around the Ticker

Canadian paper makers who have been exporting their wares to Argentina will be vitally interested in the announcement that a Swedish chemist has found a delphia Stock Exchange. No membership was oftree in Argentina which makes an excellent paper. The tree in question covers an area of 2,470,000 acres Duns Review commenting on trade conditions says while two and a half trees of ordinary size will produce a ton of pulp. Argentina has been importing versies the general situation maintains its favorable paper and cardboard to the value of nearly \$5.000,-000 per annum and about \$500,000 worth of wood pulp. The countries supplying the paper and wood pulp were Canada, the United States, Norway, Swe-

Australia, which formerly was a heavy importer of erican Car & Foundry will manufacture 2,100 steel rails, is now building a huge iron and steel plant near Newcastle, New South Wales, to supply her own The plant will cost about \$7,000,000 and will have a yearly output of 120,000 tons of steel rails per Australia has been requiring about 150,000 tons of rails per annum, so that the new mill will al most supply her requirements.

In the last census year or in 1910, Canada pro-President Wilson calls for reports on the subject of duced 10,618,000 bushels of apples, of which Ontario national defence to aid him in preparing a reasonable contributed 6,459,000 bushels, or 61 per cent. This the average. In some sections it will be only half a crop and in no place over % of last year's yield.

South Africa's trade for the first four months of declare the packing cases to be fragile. 1915 showed a considerable decrease from the corresponding period in 1914. Exports amounted to \$20.-The British Embassy at Washington is making 301,000, as compared with \$25,943,000 in 1915. The were held together by iron bands in threes or fours efforts to have tobacco removed from the contraband shortage is due largely to a decreased demand for os- This, it is thought, would prevent petty thieving. trich feathers and to inactivity in the European wool markets. Imports in 1915 amounted to \$36,143,000, as warded on the same steamer that carries the consign-The French army will purchase 120,000 tons of compared with \$58,315,000 in 1915, a decrease of 38 ment of fruit, in order to reduce the charges and per-

The first bale of Georgia cotton this season was contract 65 steel merchant vessels of a total tonnage ance policy for total loss is hardly ever called for payold at auction at Savannah and was sent to New of 298,426 gross tons. Of the number 21 are oil carriers, 6 are colliers, 5 passenger ships and the re-

A Washington dispatch says it will take three supplies is due to destruction of Russian plants immediately before and after outbreak of the war. With-Semet-Solvay Co., at Syracuse, N. Y. The explosion in 48 hours before and after the declaration man in 48 hours before and after the declaration many factories were put out of business by incendiary fires and dynamite explosions, credited by the Russians to and dynamite explosions, credited by the Russians to The strike of machinists and tool makers at the Germant agents.

The New York American says: Congress and stat legislatures pass annually five times as many laws as all other legislatures in the world combined. In one year the laws enacted in this country filled 43,-Copper Co. and International Agricultural Corpora- 400 pages. Over 150,000 points were dealt with. In stimulates industry and increases employment, thus aiding the buying power of the public. The crop outforce of statutory law were rendered by courts of last

> Premier Asquith has hinted that the basis of the British income tax may be broadened to tax smaller A new item was the Dominion Government war tax, ncomes and that indirect taxes may be increased.

The American note says the freedom of seas mus Pratt & Whitney Co. of Hartford is expected to do a be maintained. Without compromise and at any cost gross business this year of \$8,000,000, with profits of further offence will be deliberately unfriendly.

UNITED STATES DECREASE

New York, July 24.- The gross earnings of the Unit amounting to \$14,356,266, a decrease as compared with the corresponding period a year ago of 4.3 per cent being \$57,733,946, against \$59,574,988 in 1914, whill notes in circulation, about \$100,000 less, stood at \$3 roads in the South continue to show contraction, there is in every instance a notable tendency towards nor-mal conditions, as the falling off in the comparison with last year is not nearly so pronounced as former-In the West and Southwest most of the roads from which returns have been received report loss but, as a rule, it is not at all large. In this connec-tion it should be remembered that at this time in 1914 the railroads in these sections were being taxed to nove an immense crop of wheat to market, but this year the harvest is late and so far the movement of this cereal has been exceptionally light for this per-iod. Taking thi sfact into consideration, it appears reasonable to look for a much more favorable statement of earnings within the near future. In the following table are given the gross earnings of all United States railroads reporting to date for the first two weeks of July and the loss as compared with the earnings of the same roads for the corresponding per-New York, July 24.— There was more interest lod a year ago; also for the roads that reported for

1915 markets. Spot prices are steady to firm for all spe- June, 2 weeks 14,362,652 Loss 479,618 3.2 May, 2 weeks 11,854,399 Loss 234,185 2.0

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ans evenly applied was under way in the narket yesterday. Continued profit taking in son of the quarters upon which specualtion has converged earlier in the week was met by renewed buying of U. S. Says Further Acts of Piracy on some of these issues with resutlant irregularity, which close, while others showed net losses. Railroad stock undergoing reorganization and several in the south ern group were sufficiently weak to fall to new

TIMES: A selling down process by

records. But elsewhere in the railroad lists strengt was shown. There are other indications also of proved traffic on the eastern roads which are feeling the benefit of enlarged industrial output. SUN: Pressure which was so manifested on the tock market Thursday, did not make a pronounce appearance in the earlier dealings and quoted values oved rather sharply upward at the outset. Selling then came in, and thereafter there was an alternation of moderate reaction and advance. Fluctuations were less extensive than they had been, and while certain issues were characterized by a uniform downward trend, chiefly in a portion of the railroad department, the prevailing impression which the market

AMERICAN DRIED FRUITS.

gave was one of latent strength, while some descrip-

was strongest toward the close, which was a further

corroboration of previous indications that Wall Street

ons rose aggressively, but not violently. The marke

There is an increasing market in Southern Italy

States is growing in Southern Italy, particularly in larly wishes the United States navy to sta apples, pears and prunes. It is reported that the demand for prunes has developed through the advice ing sea force maintained by any power. A plan for of some of the Italian doctors, who prescribe this form training a citizen army is also being evolved of food for their patients.

"Importations of prunes from the United States for 1912 were 6,388 pounds, valued at \$830, while 35,759 a Privy Councillor, and professor of naval construcstatistics for 1914 are not available.

variety and 18 cents for the third grade.

dried fruits into Southern Italy from the United States that considerable loss results from the manner n which the goods are packed for shipment. In one onsignment of 300 cases 50 per cent. were reported damaged and 10 per cent. of the whole badly broken. and accurate naval program which he will propose to year's apple crop in Ontario promises to be below In two cases water had penetrated to the fruit and the ontents had become musty. From the broken cases nearly 300 pounds of fruit had been taken, and for this loss the shippers refuse redress, since experts

"It is suggested by the merchants interested that a nore satisfactory result would be obtained if the cases

"It is also suggested that the bills of lading be formit the goods to be cleared immediately. posed that the shipping companies include in their in-The United States shippards have now under surance security against theft, as the ordinary insur-

RIO MARKET UNCHANGED.

New York, July 24.— Rio unchanged, stock 340,000 bags, against 353,000 a year ago. Santos unchanged, months of steady shipment to satisfactorily equip the Russian forces fighting in Poland. Shortage in home against 49,000. Interior receipts 103,000, against 92,-000. Rio exchange on London 13d, off 1-16d.

IS FINANCIALLY STRONG

annual Financial Statement Just Issued Shows That the Company is in an Exceptionally Good

The Dominion Bank has just issued its financial tatement covering the first half of the current year, which shows that the position of the company is a strong one. The banks cash assets on June 30, were 29 per cent, and liquid assets 53 per cent, of liabili

amounting to \$20,700. Earnings for the six months are \$420,394. after deducting management expenses, near Waukegan, Ill., discovered natural gas which providing means by which the present generation may compared with \$473,970 for the corresponding perious

t	The results of the business months ended June 30, with	of the bank comparisons,	for the six were:
		1915.	1914.
	Balance P. & L		\$647,68%
	Profits. six months	420,394	478,976
	Total Less:	\$704,711	\$1,304,470
	Dividends	\$360,000	\$355,324
S	Reserve fund		182,812
1	Ralance forward	9447.	700 004

Total deposits showed a decrease during the six 897,396. Call and short loans in and outside Canada increased \$3,000,000 to \$9,200,000, while current loans decreased \$10,300,000. Holdings of Dominion Gov ernment notes increased \$4,800,000.

Toronto, 22nd June, 1915.

NEW YORK PRESS COMMENT NEWS OF WORLD

Americans will be Regarded as Deliberately Unfriendly

STRONG STAND TAKEN

President Wilson, Awaiting the Next Move by the Huns, is Preparing to Reorganize Both the Army and Navy Branches of the War

The final American note, which now has been de. ivered at Berlin, indicates in a manner not open to the slightest misconstruction that the United States by the commanders of German naval vessels of acts in contravention of American rights. The United States announces that it will continue to co for the freedom of the seas "from whatever quarter violated and without compromise and at any cost

way station and the ammunition works in the neighas a whole entertained no very uneasy apprehensions borhood of Constantinople. The bombardment caused over the wording and tenor of the latest Washington several explosions. It is realized in Turkish military note to Berlin or its probable reception in Germany. circles that the command of the inner seas and the Black Sea has been lost to them. The Turks are preparing for another general attack on the position on the Gallipoli.

That the administration at Washington means bust for American dried fruit products, according to a ness in the stand it has taken against Germany is consular report which has been sent by United States seen in the fact that President Wilson has called Consul Jay White from Naples, Italy. Mr. White says for reports on the subject of national defence. These will be made to him personally by the heads of the "A limited market for dried fruit from the United war and navy departments. The President parties

An apostle of German culture—one, Oswald Flamm. ounds, valued at \$2,108, were imported in 1913. The tion-writes to a paper in his country making the astounding assertions that Captain Turner and the Britatistics for 1914 are not available.

"The prunes are retailed in Naples at 27 cents per tish Admiralty not only deliberately exposed the Lusi-tond for the best variety, 23 cents for the medium tania to submarines, but accelerated the sinking of the ship by artificial means in order to drown American "Complaint is made by business houses importing and secure an outburst against Germany."

If you are to believe all the reports coming through American channels the Canadians imprisoned in Germany are having the time of their lives. The menu is as varied as it seems possible, helped out by pack ages from home, which, as well as mail, seem to ar rive with reasonable promptness. The general commandants seem willing to do what they can to add to the comfort of prisoners.

British camps, the military authorities are to experinent with women as cooks. Several hundreds of London school teachers, whose specialty is in struction in domestic arts, are to spend their holidays in giving lessons in cookery in the camps of Great Britain's new armies. These women will receive the tem are good, the scheme will be largely extended

The impression is spreading in Paris that Rou mania is about to join the Allies. Gustave Herve writes in a more confluent tone than for several weeks. He suggests that in view of a probable Roumanian note and other favorable circumstances in

Nova Scotian Government has cabled to Lon don. Eng., that the collieries in that province ar capable of producing 1,000 tons daily of coal, which they consider the equal of Welsh coal, and organs the British authorities to give the same a trial.

American Brake Shoe and Foundry Co. is const ering a plan for readjustment of the company's cap ital which should mean a gain to the preferred and ossibly to the common stockholders.

UNION BANK

Dividend No. 114

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend a the rate of eight per cent, per annum upor the Paid-up Capital Stock of the UNION BANK OF CANADA has been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be pay able at its Banking House in the City of Winnipeg and at its branches, on and after Wednesday, the 1st day of September, 1915, to shareholders of record at the close of business of August 16th next.

17th to 31st of August, 1915, both days inclus-

By Order of the Board, G. H. BALFOUR. General Manager Winnipeg, July 15th, 1915.

STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND NOTICE NO. 99

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of THIRTEEN PER CENT PER ANNUM upon the Capital Stock of this Bank has this day been declared for the quarter ending the 31st July, 1915, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office in this City and its Bramches on and after Monday, the 2nd day of August, 1915, to Shareholders of record of the 23rd of July, 1915.

By Order of the Board, G. P. SCHOLFIELD

General Manager.

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TORPEDDING OF AMERICA

unk off the English coast. No conf New York, July 26,-The Sun New red a cable confirming the sinking and adding that she was torpedoo

port that the American steamer L

oast of Scotland. Her crew is s Steamship Company and ston on May 5 under the comman r New York. She arrived at Ne and sailed three days later for Kirk eeded on June 26 for Archangel. he Leelenaw sailed for Belfast. H

New York, July 26 .- The Leelenay olfast with a cargo of 1,000 tons The owners of the American st hich was sunk by a torpedo or a m The latter state th neir agent. A. H. Bull & Co. to th amer was sunk by one of the ab ome port of the steamer is New

London, July 26.-The identity at sank the Leelenaw has not yet b Reports from Kirkwall say that approached on Sunday morning by the northwest coast of Scotland. ered the ship to stop and the con crew abroad. The commander lenaw's cargo and on being told ediately declared it contraband an tire crew to boats. After they

ship she was torpedoed and went RUSSIANS ARE NOW OFFERING

Berlin, July 26,-The official Ger n the Narew front our troops have ing of the river above Ostrolenka. Below Ostrolenka we are slowly p back toward the Bug, but the Rus ost obstinate resistance. We have captured 40 machine gu

Toward the northwest, in front of of Novo Georgie-Vosk and Warsaw,

NEW YORK STOCK S. New York, July 26.—Stocks sales t p.m.—Stocks 764,466; Friday 367.857

Bonds. to-day \$961,500; Friday. N. Y. COTTON RANG

ew York, July 26 .- Cotton rang

December ... 9.40 January ... 9.48

MONEY AND EXCI N. Y. BAR SILVE London, July 26 .- Bar silver 221/2

N. Y. CALL MONE New York, July 26.—Call money le SILVER QUOTATION

New York, July 26.—Zim tilver 47%, Mexican dollars 36%. BANK OF ENGLAND

on, July 26.—Bank of Engla £200,000 gold in sovereigns for i N. Y. TIME MONEY D New York, July 26.—The market

2% to 2% per cent. for 60 days, 2% days, 3 to 314 per cent, for three months, and 31/4 to 31/4 per cent. for FOREIGN EXCHANGE New York, July 26.—Market dull a cables 4.77%, demand 4.76 7-16. Francs—Cables 5.63%, demand 5.6 Marks—Cables 81 13-16, demand

Lires-Cables, 6.24, demand 6.25. COMMERCIAL PAPER New York, July 26.—Market quassed at 3 per cent. to 314 per cent. of 60 to 90 days. Best six months

cent. with few exceptionally hig