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They save money by making shoes wear much longer.

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These things have been proved—proved on millions of pairs of shoes—Sunday shoes, business shoes, work-shoes, farm shoes, women's shoes, children's shoes.

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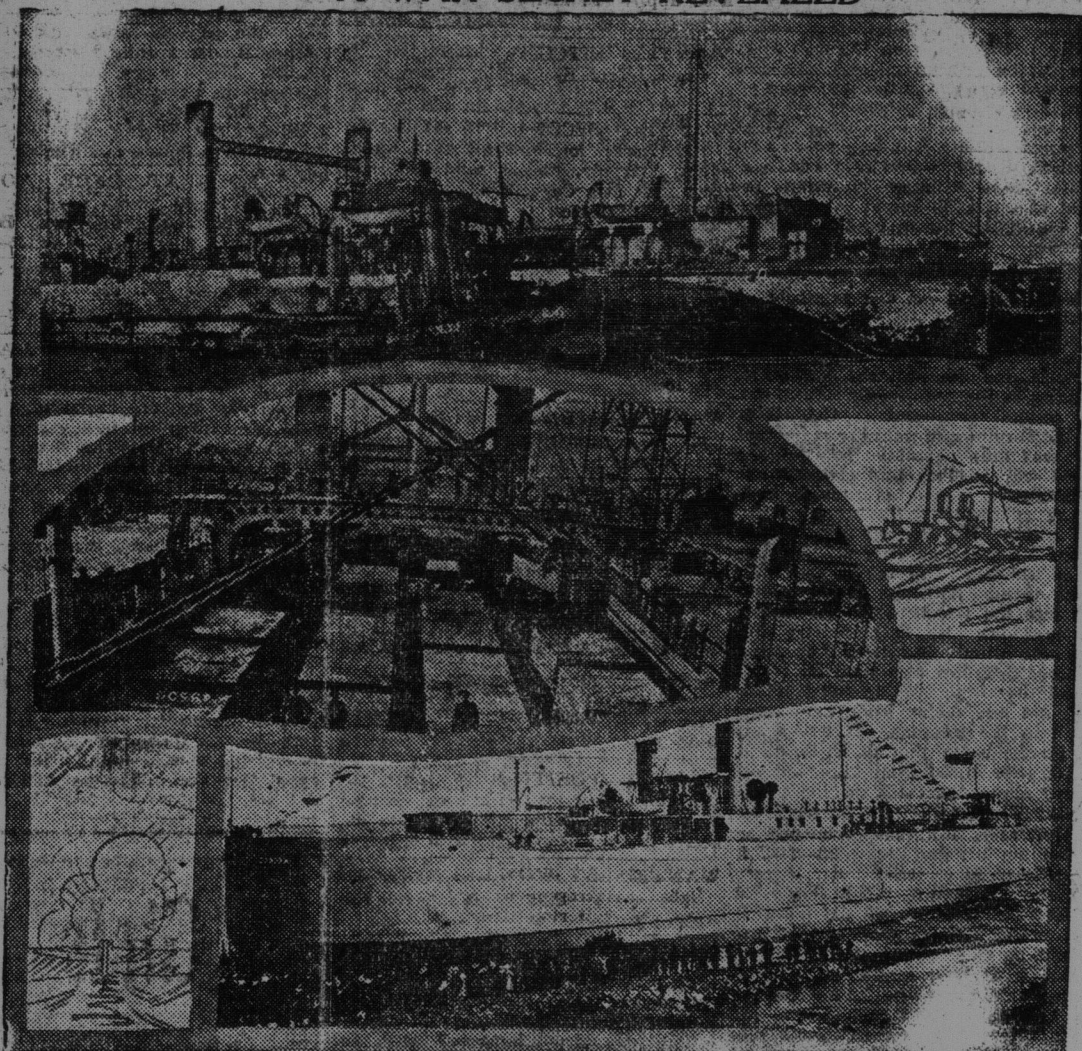
But it is in comfort that Neolin scores for work-boots. With these soles work-boots fit more comfortably; are lighter; the soles bend with the foot.

Shoe dealers have work-boots with Neolin Soles at various prices. See them. But be sure "Neolin" is on the bottom of the sole.

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company of Canada Limited Toronto, Ont.



## A WAR SECRET REVEALED



It is now permitted to be stated that one of the wonders of the war has been the train ferry service across the British channel. These ferries, pictures of which are shown, the upper one being a view of one of the boats, and the centre a deck view showing trains on board, enabled guns, munitions and stores, to be transported direct from the factory in train loads to France. The ferry boats were armed with guns and because of their shallow draught were practically immune from submarines. One ferry runs from Richborough, near Sandwich, to Calais; the other from Southampton to Havre. They will play an important part in the demobilization of material and will probably be continued as passenger train ferries when the war work is finished. The lower view shows a Canadian car ferry, the Canora, which plies between New Westminster and Victoria, B. C.

## FINANCIAL

### NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members Montreal Stock Exchange.)

New York, Dec. 28.

Prev. Close. Open. Noon.

Am Car & Pdy..... 91 92 92 1/2

Am Locomotive..... 61 1/4 60 1/2 61 1/2

Am Beet Sugar..... 61 60 1/2 62

Am Can..... 46 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2

Am Sugar..... 111 111 111

Am Steel Fdy..... 85 1/2 85 1/2 85 1/2

Am Smelters..... 75 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2

Am Tel & Tel..... 98 1/2 98 1/2 98 1/2

Anacosta Mining..... 60 1/2 60 1/2 60 1/2

Atch, T & S P..... 93 93 93

Beth Steel..... 61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2

Balt & Ohio..... 50 1/2 50 1/2 50 1/2

Baldwin Loco..... 74 1/2 74 1/2 74 1/2

Butte & Superior..... 18 17 17 1/2

General Electric..... 150 150 150

Chino Copper..... 32 32 32

Ches & Ohio..... 55 1/2 55 1/2 55 1/2

Colorado Fuel..... 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2

Canadian Pacific..... 157 1/2 157 1/2 157 1/2

Central Leather..... 58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2

Crucible Steel..... 57 57 57

Erie..... 17 17 17

General Electric..... 150 150 150

Great North Pfd..... 94 1/2 94 1/2 94 1/2

General Motors..... 130 130 130

Inspiration..... 47 47 47

Int'l Marine Corp..... 36 36 36

Int'l Marine Pfd..... 111 1/2 111 1/2 111 1/2

Mex Petroleum..... 166 1/2 166 1/2 166 1/2

Miami..... 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 1/2

Northern Pacific..... 98 1/2 98 1/2 98 1/2

Nevada..... 17 17 17

N Y Central..... 74 1/2 74 1/2 74 1/2

New Haven..... 81 1/2 81 1/2 81 1/2

Pennsylvania..... 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2

Reading..... 80 1/2 80 1/2 80 1/2

Republic I & S..... 74 1/2 74 1/2 74 1/2

St. Paul..... 89 1/2 89 1/2 89 1/2

Sloss Sheffield..... 50 1/2 50 1/2 50 1/2

Southern Ry..... 29 1/2 29 1/2 29 1/2

Southern Pac..... 107 1/2 107 1/2 107 1/2

Studebaker..... 50 1/2 50 1/2 50 1/2

Union Pacific..... 129 1/2 129 1/2 129 1/2

U S Steel..... 94 1/2 94 1/2 94 1/2

U S Rubber..... 75 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2

Utah Copper..... 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2

West Electric..... 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2

Willys Overland..... 28 1/2 28 1/2 28 1/2

Sales—11 o'clock, 156,000.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS.

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members Montreal Stock Exchange.)

Montreal, Dec. 28.

Bank of Montreal—1 at 215.

Hochelaga Bank—30 at 143.

Molson's Bank—6 at 179 1/2.

Bell—4 at 180.

Cement—150 at 65 1/2.

Dominion Steel—100 at 62 1/2, 145 at 62 1/2.

Converters—30 at 46.

Maple—20 at 135.

Tuckett—25 at 24.

Textile—30 at 100.

Shawinigan—100 at 115 1/2, 115 at 115 1/2.

Goodwins Pfd—15 at 45.

Wayagamack Bonds—300 at 51.

Victory Loan Bonds 1922—2,100 at 99, 800 at 98 1/2.

Victory Loan Bonds 1927—1,650 at 101, 73,500 at 101 1/2.

Victory Loan Bonds 1937—14,550 at 102.

### Potash Output Is

### Being Increased

(Special To The Christian Science Monitor or from its Washington Bureau.)

Washington, D. C.—Announcement is made by the Bureau of Mines, Department of Interior, that the development of potash production in the United States, undertaken as a war-time necessity, will be continued. Before the war the United States had produced little potash, but the stopping of imports, especially from Germany, afforded an opportunity for developing deposits in the west, as well as for experimenting with its manufacture as a by-product on a commercial basis.

The division of chemicals of the War Industries Board, of which C. H. McDowell is the chief, took the initiative in developing the resources of the country and in encouraging private enterprise. The result has been that great deposits of potash have been found in several sections of the United States, and in addition discoveries have been made of methods of chemical production, largely from waste products.

When the War Industries Board goes out of existence the government end of the potash development will be taken

care of by the Bureau of Mines of the Department of the Interior. The United States fields are different in character from those of Germany. In the latter country, the Strassfurt are the oldest fields. Here, there was at one time a channel through which the salt water seeped. Here deposits were made gradually, and finally were forced by mountain pressure into "saddles" from 1,500 to 2,000 feet in depth. These deposits are estimated to be 4,000 years old. Other German fields which have been worked profitably are the Hanover, the South Hartz Mountains, and the Alsace fields. The latter may now, of course, pass into possession of the French.

The largest development in this country is in the Seales Lake district, San Bernardino County, California, where,

when the war began, brine was being chemically utilized. Borax and other chemicals were being produced and, as there were evidences of potash, investigations were made and it was found that it could be produced in paying quantities. Between \$8,000,000 and \$9,000,000 has been invested. A railroad of about twenty-five miles in length was laid over the desert, and the potash can be got to the coast at a freight cost of about \$2 a ton, and thence sent through the Panama Canal.

A development of great importance in Utah is that of a chemically pure potash, produced from alumina. This is too expensive for ordinary agricultural purposes, but it is used for especially high grade crops, such as oranges. A company had been making some potash at Salt Lake City, Utah, and recently one has been organized in the Flat Lake region at Salina, and is undertaking the manufacture of potash on a large scale. This is considered to have very favorable possibilities, the only trouble being that, like other western plants, the freight is so expensive.

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