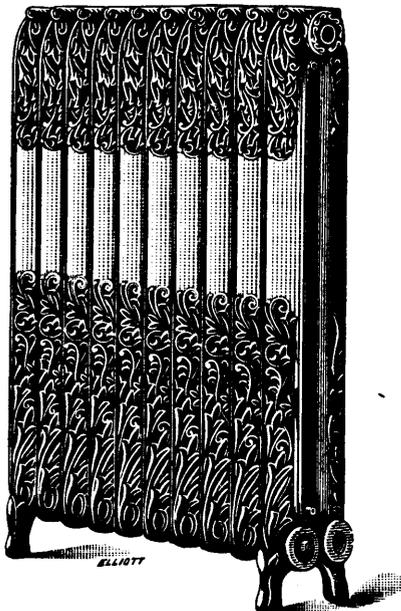


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TORONTO STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Transactions on the Toronto Stock Exchange have been light and practically featureless during the week. Canadian Pacific has been this week most extensively dealt in; the stock went as low as 92¼, but reacted to 94¼, closing at noon, Thursday, at 94; transactions totalled 2,225 shares. Banks were firm under favorable statements. Electrics were dull but steady. In loan company stocks, Canada Permanent and Western Canada Mortgage was the only one to show any activity; 837 shares of this stock changed hands, most of it at 115 and 116, though yesterday 200 shares sold at 113. The other transactions for the week ending Thursday, noon, were:

Bank of Commerce, 309 shares at 149-150; Imperial Bank, 140 at 218-220; Standard Bank, 210 at 195; Ontario Bank, 36 at 126½-127; Traders Bank, 20 at 115; Bank of Hamilton, 20 at 187; Dominion Bank 291 at 255-258½; Toronto Railway, 591 at 99-100½; General Electric, 46 at 168-168¾; Toronto Electric Light, 43 at 131½; London Electric, 2 at 115¾; Western Assurance, 50 at 141; Dominion Telegraph, 11 at 127-127½; Hamilton Cataract, 3 at 90; Luxfer Prism, pref., 4 at 115; Commercial Cable, 252 at 165¼-166⅞; Richelieu & Ontario, 50 at 106-106¾; Carter-Crume, 50 at 102¾-103; Dunlop Tire, pref., 10 at 101¼; Canada Landed, 14 at 83; London and Canadian, 80 at 61; Manitoba Loan, 40 at 46; Canada N. W. L., pref., 60 at 52; Republic, 6,500 at 92-93½; War Eagle, 3,600 at 154-156; Cariboo (McKinney), 1,300 at 89½-90; Crow's Nest Coal, 1,600 at 150-151⅞; Golden Star, 27,000 at 15½-18¼; Virtue, 1,300 at 88-93; Payne, 1,000 at 101-102; Cable Registered Bonds, \$3,000 at 102½.

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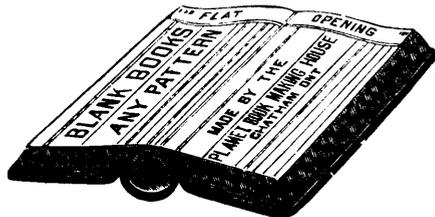
The following is a copy of a resolution sent by the North Sydney Board of Trade for the consideration of the fourth Congress of the Chambers of Commerce for the Empire, to be held in London, on June 26th, 27th, 28th, and 29th, this year:

"Whereas, Large territories and communities are being opened in North American, Asiatic, and Pacific countries, affording markets for British and Colonial products, where the competition of our rivals in commerce is constantly increasing, through improvements in their ocean and land transit;

"And whereas, The interdependence of the Empire is daily becoming more in need of strengthening the connecting links;

"And whereas, The dangers from the increasing number and speed of steamers employed in North Atlantic trade has caused an advance in insurance rates, to the detriment of British-Canadian commerce;

"Therefore, it is resolved, That, in the opinion of this Congress, improved communication should be established at the earliest possible date between London,



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**DEBENTURES FOR SALE.**

**City of Rossland, British Columbia.**

Sealed tenders marked "Tenders for Debentures." will be received by the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1900, for the purchase of \$25,000 Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Rossland, in sums of \$500, payable in 25 years from 30th June, 1900, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable yearly.

Principal and interest payable at the Bank of British North America, Rossland, B. C.

The above Debentures are issued under a By-law of the Corporation of the City of Rossland, confirmed by the electors, with interest and sinking fund secured by a special rate on all ratable land and improvements in the city, and are for the purchase of five lots and for the erection of fire hall, library, and such other buildings as may be deemed desirable.

No tender necessarily accepted.  
Further information furnished on application.

**WM. McQUEEN,**

City Clerk.

City Hall, Rossland, B.C., May 23, 1900.

**Town of Rat Portage  
Debentures.**

Tenders will be received until Friday, the Sixth Day of July, 1900, for the purchase of

**\$75,000**

Town of Rat Portage Debentures, issued for the construction of Water Works system, payable in 30 years on the instalment plan, with interest at 4%, payable yearly at Imperial bank, Rat Portage.

Accrued interest from date of issue, December 1st, 1899, to be added to purchase price.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

**D. H. CURRIE,**

Town Clerk.

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DIVIDEND NO. 44

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of Six Per Cent. per annum, on the paid-up capital stock of this Company, for the half-year ending the 30th June, instant, has been declared, and that the same is payable at the office of the Company, in the City of Stratford, on and after

**Tuesday, the Third Day of July next.**

The transfer books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th instant, inclusive.

By order of the board.

**WM. BUCKINGHAM, Manager.**

Stratford, June 4, 1900.