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MARKET IS IRREGULAR

Erie Financing Anxiously Awaited by Wail Street Local Market Shows More Firmness.

World Office.

all dips for substantial rallies. Tennessee Copper, Anaconda and Amalgamated are being absorbed on a liberal scale. B.R.F. will recover smartly. Erie directors will formulate a plan that will be satisfactory to all interests. Specialties: Keep long of Union Pacific. Buy N.Y.C. on activity; hold Mexican Central.

Laffan News Eureau has received the following from San Francisco: Presence of four French bankers in the city leads Southern Pacific officers to believe that E. H. Harriman intends to raise a loan of \$50,000,000 on unmortgaged lines of Union Pacific, says a local paper. Visit of the French financiers is a sequel, it is bedieved to the recent visit of Eir Edgar Vincent, the English financier, and to the visit of Edward Noetzlin, the French banker, a year ago. Vincent, it is said, has practically agreed to take a \$50,000,000 lond issue from Harriman and has invited Paris banks, with which the visitors are connected, to take part in it.

World Office,
Thursday Evenius, April 2
Speculation had but a small part in the transactions at the Toronto market to day. Erokers we except for cash, and to transactions at the Toronto market to day. Erokers we except for cash, and to transactions at the Toronto market to day. Erokers we except for cash, and to transactions are contained to the part of the control of the contro

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SENTIMENT IS LESS BEARISH.

> World Office, Thursday Evening, April 2. Several of the loan companies have notified brokers that they

are again prepared to consider loans on stocks, with a preference for bank shares as collateral. This was the most important event at the Toronto exchange to-day and no doubt accounted for the ready absorption of Dominion Bank stock, which was thrown on the market. With few exceptions, the prices of securities had a firmer undertone to-day, but the buying was not sufficiently large to influence quotations. Soo and C.P.R. were buoyant at New York, but local traders preferred to operate thru Wall-street agencies, and but few shares were dealt in locally. Sentiment among traders was mixed, but bearish impressions were not as general as has been the case. HERBERT H. BALL.

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Yonge and Bloor Streets.

King and York Streets.

West Market and Front Streets.

King and Spadina Avenue.

Bloor and Lansdowne Avenue.

Total tons 240,830 672,379 Railroad Earnings. L. & N., February net O. & W., Feb. net

Local Bank Clearings.

Clearing of Toronto banks for the week ended to day, with comparisons:
This week \$19,342,589
Last week \$17,418,403
Year ago \$20,080,264
Two years ago \$22,795,812
Three years ago \$23,923,017

Mexican dollars, 4/c.

Foreign Exchange.

Glazebrook & Cronyn, Janes Building (Tel. Main 7517), to-day report exchange rates as follows:

—Between Banks—

Buyers. Sellers. Counter.

N. Y. funds... par. par. ½ to ½ Montreal f'ds...10c dis. par ½ to ½ Montreal f'ds...10c dis. par ½ to ½ 60 days sight... 8% 8 15-16 9 3-16 9 5-16 Demand, stg... 9 13-32 9 15-32 9 11-16 9 13-16 Cable trans... 9½ 9 17-32 9 13-16 9 15-16 —Rates in New York.—

Actual. Posted.

Sterling, 60 days' sight ... 484.10 487½ of Sterling, demand 486.40 487½

Traders' 123½ 123¾
Union —Loan, Trust, Etc.—
Agricultural Loan 119 119
British Am. Assur 119 119
Canada Landed 119 127½ 127½ Canada Perm 121/2
Central Canada ... 160
Colonial Invest ... 70 ...
Dominion Savings ... 70
Hamilton Prov ... 120 ...
Huron & Erie ... 178½ ...
Imperial Loan ...
Landed Banking ... 121
London & Canada ...
London Loan ...
National Trust ... 150
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Coisols, account 51/15

Aniconda 75/2

Atchison 75/2

do preferred 89

Baltimore & Ohio 85/4

Canadian Pacific 155/4

Great Western 51/4

Chesapeake & Ohio 31/8

St. Paul 120

Denver 20 do. preferred 56
Erie 15%
do. 1st preferred 34
do. 2nd preferred 24
Grand Trunk 16
Illinois Central 130
Lovisville & Nasnville 100½
Kensas & Texas 24
New York Central 100½
Norfolk and Western 66¼
do. preferred 33
Ontario & Western 33%
Pennsylvania 59% Toronto Mortgage ... 109½
Poronto Savings
Western Assurance

—Bonds— C. N. Railway? C. N. Railway
Commercial Cable
Domir ion Steel
Electric Develop ... 78 ... 78
International Coal Mexican Electric 77 75 Mexican L. & P..... Mackay. 20 @ 56½ 25 @ 56% 25 @ 62%*-130 @ 220 Nipissing 30 @ 6% Con. Gas. 13 @ 193 Dom. Coal. 20 @ 40% 25 @ 41

Detroit 45 @ 32

Lake Woods 5 @ 861/4

Sao Paulo.

4 @ 1227/₃ 10 @ 1228/₄ 18 @ 1231/₃

-Afternoon Sales-

Laurentide 50 @ 109*

N.S. Steel.

10 @ 53

Mex. L.-P. 25 @ 48

C.P.R.

do. preferred 83
Ontario & Western 33%
Pennsylvania 59%
Reading 53%
Southern Railway 13½
do. preferred 30%
Southern Pacific 75%
Union Pacific 128%
do. preferred 83
U.S. Steel common 34%
do. preferred 101½
Wabash 13%
do. preferred 18% Price of Oil.
PITTSBURG, Pa., April 2.—Oil closed at \$1.78. Tor. Rails. 10 @ 98 New York Cotton.

ON SELLING PRESSURE

Cobalts Are Forced Down by Prodence of Weakness.

World Office,
Thursday Evening, April 2.
Transactions in the Cobalt stocks were more prolific to-day and freer offerings were detrimental to prices. Professionals made a forcible drive against the market, both here and at New York, but quotations more than actual sales represented the day's business. Those working for a reaction are doing so on the grounds that a strike at the camp is inevitable, while the opposition is as firmly convinced that this will not eventuate. To-day's dealings were principally among the lower-priced shares, altho the others were naturally influenced by the general declines. Silver Leaf was the strongest issue of the day with a closing sale at 3 3-4. A good market was available for all offerings, and altho quotations were slightly off there was no real evidence of weakness. SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT

Montreal Stocks.

—Morning Sales—

Illinois Traction, pref.—5, 4, 2, 3, 10 at 83%, 25 at 83%

Laurentide Pulp, pref.—50 at 109, Montreal Power—50, 10 at 91½.

Doundinon fron—50 at 15%.

Detroit United—25, 50 at 32%, 20, 25, 25, 50 at 32%, 25, 25 at 32%, 25, 100, 100 at 32, 25 at 31%, 25 at 31%, 20, 75, 20 at 32.

Bell Telephone—1, 3 at 127.

Sao Paulo—10 at 122.

Soo—25, 25 at 110, 100 at 109%, 50, 25 at 110, 100 at 110½, 25, 100 at 112, 25 at 111½.

Mackay pref.—5 at 63%.

Montreal Street Railway—2, 1 at 184, 35 at 185, 15 at 184%.

C.P.R.—50 at 151%.

N.S. Steel—10, 15, 25 at 53.

Montreal Cotton—4 at 112.

Dominion Coal—10 at 39½, 25 at 40½, 25 at 40%.

Molsons Bank—2 at 106. Gold From James Bay. COBALT, April 2.—During the past few days persistent rumors have reached the camp to the effect that large gold finds have been located in the vicinity of James Bay and on the Nottaway River, which is just south of the bay. According to information received the biggest find has been made by two Mexicans, who arrived at McDougall's Chutes from the far Montreal Cotton—at 139%, 25 at 40%, 25 at 40%.

Moisons Bank—2 at 196.
Dominion Textile, pref.—25, 5 at 82%.

N.S. Steel, pref.—20 at 109.
Lake of the Woods Milling—5, 5 at 86.
Winnipeg Railway—7 at 144%.
Twin City Railway—5 at 84, 5 at 84%.
Eastern Townships—9 at 150.
Halifax Street Railway—50, 9 at 97%.
Toledo Railway—10 at 9%.
—Afternoon Sales—
C.P.R.—100, 50 at 153.
Toronto Railway—16, 1 at 98, 25 at 99.
Hochelaga Bank—36 at 185.
Soo—50, 25 at 112, 25 at 111%, 25 at 111%.
50 at 112½, 25 at 111%, 50 at 111½.
Lake of the Woods Milling—25 at 88%.
Dietroit United Railway—160 at 32½, 25 at 32½.

Montreal Street Railway—1 at 185.
C.P.R., new—5 at 148.
Dominion Cotton bonds—\$5000, \$1000 at 92.

Montreal Dawar—5 at 91%, 15, 5 at 92.

at McDougall's Chutes from the far north last week. They had with them a bag of valuable nuggets, which they claim they found in the neighborhood of the bay.

The circulation of the report has created considerable excitement in Cobalt, and already preparations are being made to send out some prospecting parties. Mr. Reddington of the Coniagas mine, along with some other gentlemen, it is learned, will send up a party which will leave the early part of this week.

COBALT IS NOW DAMNED

BY NEW YORK OPERATOR

Wall Street Promoters Seek Decry Cobalt in Order to Fi-

Lake of the Woods Milling-25 at 88½.

Montreal Street Railway-100 at 32½, 25

at 32¼.

Montreal Street Railway-1 at 185.

C.P.R., new-5 at 148.

Dominion Cotton bonds-\$5000, \$1000 at 92.

Molsons-11 at 195.

Mexican L. & P.-5, 25 at 48, 25 at 47½.

Twin City-25 at 84.

Dominion Coal-25 at 41.

New York Stocks.

Marshall, Spader & Co., King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the New York market to-day:

Oyen, High, Low, Cl.

Standard Stock and Mining Evolution Stocks on the New York market to-day:

Oyen, High, Low, Cl.

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Westinghouse ... 55 551/2 541/4 55 Western Union Sales to noon, 204,300; total sales, 467,-500 shares.

London Stock Market.

Twin City
Southern Pacific
Union Pacific
U. S. Steel
do preferred

Trethewey-50 at 57. Canadian Northern Railway. The gross earnings of the C.N.R. for the week ending March 31, 1908, were \$216,500; from July 1 to date, \$6,997,000; for the corresponding periods last year the figures are, \$149,100 and \$5,080,500; showing increases of \$67,400 and \$1,907,500. The mileage in 1908, 2874; in 1907, 2554.

Will Stop Passports. VANCOUVER, April 2.—(Special.)—
When the number of Japanese entitled
to admission to Canada during any
one year is reached, the federal authorities have the assurance of the Japanese Government that the issue of passports for Canada will be stop-ped and there will consequently be no arrivals here during the remainder of the year.

Reduced Rates to Coast. Second-class one-way tickets from Toronto to British Columbia points, Vancouver, Victoria, Spokane, Portland Seattle and Tacoma, are on sale daily at \$46.05, a reduced rate that applies only until April 29. Nearest C. ticket agent will give particulars. 56 Hon. S. W. Jackson Dead.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., April 2.— The Hon. Samuel W. Jackson died to-day, at the age of 87 years. He was appointed to the supreme court bench in 1867 by Gov. Hoffman. He has been local counsel for the New York Central Railroad for 20 years. C.P.R. Canceled Branch Line.

MOOSEJAW, April 2.- The C. P. R has canceled the contract for the con-struction of the Moosejaw-Lacombe THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

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have on values? Let Cobalt mine-owners make the investing public (of Canada at any rate) recognize that Cobalt Silver, now being hoisted up the shafts of Cobalt mines or being dug out of open-cuts in almost a pure state, is a present reality—something visible and tangible and beter than Yukon gold, Rawindow or any other western gold silver.

hide or any other western gold, silver or copper investment.

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mining proposition.

Only a few months ago the New York brokerage firm that originally seemed responsible for the Nipissing flotation, sent out circular letters knocking the proposition and decrying and belittling the value of this Cobalt

Get a market leader and let its con-trol remain in Canada or if in another country let it have the best kind of a

in values, absence of values at depth and possibility of labor troubles come from? Where do they originate? They are always heard in New York before any such news becomes current in Co-balt. Where have all the rumors of decline

I wo Canadian smelters are successfully treating Cobalt ores and a third has just received its initial experimental shipment of over 30 tons of high-grade ore.

Cobalt ores were distributed last week for smelter treatment as follows:

Seventy tons went to Day.

ado. Sixty tons to Trail, British Columbia. Thirty-two tons to Wales and

Trethewey andth e Mckiniey snipped to Carnegie, Pa.
Witness the competition for last week's Cobalt shipments. Smelters in different parts of the world are getting after the ore. England and Germany each received a car. The Denver, Colorado, Smelter got a car, and another mine sent its ore almost across a continent to be treated in a Canadian Smelter in British Columbia?

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Coal Conference.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 2.—Another joint conference between the coal operators and miners of Indiana, Ohio, western Pennsylvania and Illinois, may

communicated with the operators and miners in the four big producing districts, to ascertain whether they are favorable to coming together again for consideration of the matter of rehabilitating the joint interstate relations.

parcels that passed thru customs de-partment was 3000. Of these 2297 came lumbia. Thirty-two tons to Wales and thirty tons were sent to Hamburg. Germany. Then the New Jersey Smelter got a car-load-from the Temiskaming, and the smelter at Thorold, Ontario, got its first shipment. The Trethewey andth e McKinley shipped to Carnegie, Pa.

Witness the competition for last Witness the competition for last witness. Smelters in

PARIS, April 2.—Count Boni de Castellane, cousin of Helie de Sagan, is represented as being furious at the reported engagement of his former wife, Madame Anna Gould, to the prince.

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