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Financial and Commercial.

WALL STREET RESPONDS

To the Conditions in the Iron Industry and the Resulting Activity.

(Boston Transcript.)

Tuesday, Feb. 21—3 p.m.

The Wall Street advance made further headway; it was an active, broad and buoyant market. Once more the iron and steel stocks gave a great exhibition, once more Union Pacific made another new high record, getting a point above its highest in history, 133 in 1901. Sloss-Sheffield Steel & Iron began 1904 at 31½ and 1905 at 60; today it sold at 99, a rise of 20½ from yesterday's closing and of 31½ in exactly one week. Amalgamated Copper moved up 2 more, to 77½, a 9½ rise thus far this week, 7½ thus far in 1905, but it still is some 5 points under the 1904 highest, in December, though 34½ above the 1904 low point, just a year ago. American Smelting stocks were up a point, Steel Foundries shares ¾ each, Colorado Fuel 1½, Federal Mining & Smelting stocks a point each. These last, at 114 and 97, for common and preferred respectively, show 54 and 22 advance thus far this year and 70½ and 26 from last November. Railway Steel Spring preferred advanced 3, Republic Iron & Steel 1½ and preferred 2½, to 20½ and 79½ respectively, against 6 and 37, last year's low figures. Tennessee Coal & Iron rose 2½, to 85, a gain of 17 thus far in 1905 and 53½ over the 1904 lowest, last May. Cast Iron Pipe moved up 2½, and preferred ¾; United States Steel ¾, and preferred ½.

This outline suggests the stock market's belated appreciation of the meaning of current conditions in the iron industry Wall Street failed to realize the enormous consumption of iron and steel, though pig iron output was making new records, surplus stocks were reduced, and these conditions, shown by the Feb 1 statistics, are known to continue; there is an enormous absorption of iron, there is great increase in demand for equipment and all manufactured goods; the Street awakened suddenly to the meaning of a "boom" in this basic and representative index commodity and it has been making up for lost time in trying to adjust values of the iron and steel shares all through February. Who remembers that only ten months ago United States Steel sold down to 8⅝ and preferred to 51½? Now see them at 33½ and 95½ respectively, figure the percentage of advance, apply it to outstanding capital and thus get some idea of the Street's judgment on changed conditions in the iron trade. In the same way apply the rise of 200 per cent in price of Sloss-Sheffield in thirteen months and of 150 per cent in Federal Mining & Smelting in three months. These considerations induce reflection in a contemplative mind, whether Wall Street, which always goes to extremes, did not overdo the bearish reaction in 1903-1904 from 1902, overdoing of things.

Were animation suspended in the railroad stocks while these pyramidical movements in the iron and steel are in progress, we might shake the head with reason; it would be evidence of the last stages of a "boom" if attention turned from "standard" to industrial shares. But the railroads have a broad market and contributed their due proportion to the general bullishness today. An early loss of ⅞ in Union Pacific was followed by rise of 4½ to 134 at 1.30 p. m., thereby exceeding the highest on record, previously made in 1901 (133) and making 21 points rise since 1905 began, 63 since March, 1904—a pretty good record for eleven months, from 71 to 134; Ontario & Western rose 2, to 55⅞; Atchison rose 1½, to 89⅞; St. Paul ¾, to 178⅞; Pennsylvania ¾, to 140½; Missouri Pacific 1½, to 109⅞; Reading ¾, to 96½—these are examples of the best day yet in a "January rise," lasting over into February, and then making up for the early disappointment. The average of leading stocks had risen fully $1 from yesterday's closing by mid-afternoon, and the market then was in the condition graphically described as "boiling."

MIRAMICHI LOG CUT.

Estimate of About Seventy Million Feet For this Winter.

(The Newcastle Advocate.)

A prominent lumberman has made up the figures for the total cut on the Miramichi this winter.

On the South West branch it is figured that there will be some 25,000,000 to come down through the booms. In 1903 the cut was 65,000,000.

On the North West branch the amount to come out has been put at 13,500,000. The different operators are to cut as shown below:

Burchill	1,500,000
Ritchie	7,000,000
Sinclair	3,000,000
Lynch	2,000,000
Total	13,500,000
Hung up from 1903	5,000,000

At the lower end of the Miramichi the several operators will cut some 31,000,000. It will be divided up as follows;

J. B. Snowball & Co	18,000,000
Tracadie Lumber Co	7,000,000
Thomas Gill	3,000,000
John Maloney	3,000,000
Total	31,000,000

THE U. S. PHILIPPINE TARIFF.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The house yesterday passed the Philippine tariff bill, practically as it came from committee and with but little discussion. There was no especial opposition to it, although amendments coming from the Democratic side designed to put certain products on the free list met with defeat. An effort to prohibit the importation of opium into the islands, except for medicinal purposes, also failed.

An amendment to the bill was agreed to, providing that under the authority granted the Philippine commission to enact legislation regarding opium, they shall not establish a license system with a view to deriving revenue from the traffic; also that no license fees or taxes, except duties on imports, shall in any event be higher than deemed necessary to cover the expenses of administration of any such legislation.

Unavailing efforts subsequently were made to place agricultural implements and agricultural products, locomotives, etc., on the free list and a similar fate was accorded a proposition by Mr. Cooper, Texas, to tax diamonds in the rough.

The bill was passed without division and practically as it came from committee.

THE RISE IN SUGAR.

(Bradstreet's.)

It has been estimated that the advance in sugar prices, which until a week ago had gone steadily on, would mean an increased expenditure on the part of Canadian consumers of $3,000,000. The total consumption of the Dominion is placed at about 400,000,000 pounds per year and the price now stands practically two cents per lb. higher than it did a year ago. Expert opinion gives little hope that prices will assume a lower level in the near future, although dull seasons may have a tendency to weaken the market. The world's supply of raws has been far short of expectations, while the demand for consumption shows a considerable growth over that of previous years.

THE KIMBERLEY-MONTANA MINE.

The shareholders of the Kimberley-Montana mine, of which there are quite a number in this city, have learned that recent operations have resulted in securing from the mine about twenty tons of scheelite, a rare mineral product, and worth in the rough state about $300 a ton.

ST. JOHN CLEARING HOUSE.

Clearings for week ending Thursday, Feb. 23, were $815,796. Corresponding week last year, $900,813.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker, for St. John Times.

Feb. 23rd.	Yesterday. Close.	Today. Open.	Today. Noon.
Amalg Copper	77⅞	77⅞	76⅞
Anaconda	.....	108	108⅛
Am Sugar Rfrs	145¼	145¼	144¼
Am Smelt & Ref	89½	84½	91½
Am Car Foundry	34½	.....	34½
Atchison	89½	90	90
Atchison pfd	102¾	103	102¾
Am Locomotive	40½	41½	40½
Brook Rpd Trst	63⅞	64	64⅛
Balt & Ohio	106	106¼	105½
Chesa & Ohio	51½	51⅞	51
Canadian Pacific	137¼	138¼	138
Chicago & Alton	41½	.....	.....
Chi. & G. West	24⅞	24⅞	24
Colo F. & Iron	52	52½	52½
Con Gas	205½	107½	106½
Colorado Southern	26	.....	26
Gen. Electric Co	187½	187	187
Erie	45½	45½	45⅛
Erie 1st pfd	80½	80½	80½
Erie 2nd pfd	65½	66½	65½
Illinois Central	159	159½	160½
Kansas & Texas	32½	32½	32½
Kan & Texas pfd	65½	66	66
Louis & Nashville	138	138¾	139¾
Manhattan	172	173	173
Met Street Ry	121	121	121
Mexican Central	22⅞	22½	22½
Missouri Pacific	108½	109	108⅞
Nor & Western	83½	84½	83½
N. Y. Central	148⅞	148¼	148⅛
North West	237½	238	237½
Ont & Western	55⅞	56	55⅞
Pacific Mail	47½	.....	47
Peo. C & Gas. Co	107½	107⅞	108⅛
Reading	95½	.....	95½
Pennsylvania	140	140½	140½
Rock Island	35	35	34½
St. Paul	178	178½	177½
Southern Ry	34½	35	35½
Southern Ry pfd	97½	97½	97½
Southern Pacific	69½	69½	68⅞
Twin City	106½	.....	106
Tenn C. & Iron	86½	88	92½
Texas Pacific	37½	38	38
U. S. Leather	12⅞	13	12⅞
Union Pacific ex div 2 per cent	133½	131½	132½
U. S. Rubber	43	.....	42½
U. S. Steel	33⅞	34½	33⅞
U. S. Steel pfd	95½	95½	95½
Wabash	22½	.....	22½
Wabash pfd	46½	46½	46½
Western Union	93	.....	.....

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

May Corn	46⅞	47¼	47¼
May Wheat	119½	119½	110½
May Pork	12.82	12.80	12.82
July Corn	47½	.....	.....
July Wheat	101½	101½	102

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

Dom Coal	66	67	67
Dom Iron & Steel	18	19½	19
Dom I & S., pfd	65½	69	69½
Nova Scotia Steel	67	67	67½
C. P. R.	137½	138½	137½
Twin City	106	105½	105½
Montreal Power	82½	82	81½
Rich & Ont. Nav	62½	62½	62½

COTTON QUOTATIONS.

March	758	744	740
May	752	744	741
July	747	742	742
October	763	754	

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, Feb. 23.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, increased	£2,022,000
Circulation, decreased	56,000
Bullion, increased	1,956,451
Other securities, increased	1,962,000
Other deposits, decreased	2,000
Public deposits, increased	3,978,000
Notes reserve, increased	1,955,000
Government securities, unchanged.	

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 54.97 per cent. as compared with 51.28 last week.

The rate of discount of the Bank of England was unchanged today at 3 per cent.

WALL STREET EXCITED.

New York, Feb. 23.—Opening trading showed simultaneous sales of 12,000 shares of Tenn Coal, at 83 and 91, compared with 86⅞ on Tuesday; 1,000 shares of Republic steel at 21½ and 23, compared with 20½ on Tuesday, and a jump of 6½ in Sloss-Sheffield Steel. Sloss-Sheffield Steel pfd. rose 2½. There was a jump of 2½ in Federal Mining. Gains ran into a large fraction to a point, in a number of Southwestern railways. Erie, Reading and the metal stocks. Heavy blocks of U. S. Steel and U. P. changed hands, but their gain was limited to a fraction. The market opened strong and excited.

COTTON MARKET.

New York, Feb. 23.—Cotton futures opened steady. Mar. 7.57; April 7.56; May 7.53; June, 7.40; July, 7.54; Aug. 7.57; Sept. offered 7.60; Oct. 7.62; Nov. 7.63; bid; Dec. 7.65.

FROZEN WATER PIPES.

Superintendent Murdoch Says at Present Seventy-five Houses are Cut Off.

The repairs to the general tie-up in the water service on Britain St., are being effected with as much promptitude as possible. The pipes were frozen up for a distance of two hundred feet.

Superintendent Murdoch in conversation with a Times reporter this morning said that at present 75 service pipes are frozen and the houses in consequence, are not supplied with water.

Asked as to how this winter compared with the last Mr. Murdoch said:—"From the standpoint of the water service, it has been decidedly worse. The cold weather set in earlier and the severity of the season has been greater. We have men working on the affected districts, both a day and a night gang and everything possible is being done to remedy the existing state of affairs.

On Brittain street between Germain and Charlotte the service is generally handicapped. Including those deprived of water owing to the freeze-up is the Lewis Foundry. The steam boiler is at work trying to open up the service.

Everything possible will be done to remedy the present existing state of affairs.

HOT TIME AT THE DEPOT.

When the Atlantic express arrived at noon today, there was a hot time around the depot. The lady hockeyists, accompanied by the chaperones and Manager Spencer of the Queen's rink, the Thistle curlers and the Trojan hockey team all came in together.

The ladies, proud of their victory over the celestials, gave voice to their feelings in the following yell:—"One-two-three, " Who are we? St. John, St. John; don't you see, Are we in it?"

Well I should smile.

We beat Fredericton in jolly good style."

The curlers of the Thistle club were feeling joyful over the way they trimmed the Frederictons. They have made a great record this year, not having lost a game yet.

The Trojan hockey team went to the Victoria Hotel, where they will stop while in the city.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

Work on the Great Waterway Progressing Favorably---To Fight Yellow Fever.

New York, Feb. 22.—Reports of substantial progress in the actual work of digging the great isthmian canal at Panama was brought to this city by canal commissioners. Wm. Barclay Parsons and W. H. Burr, who arrived on the steamer Alliance, from Colon. Prof. Burr made the sub-joined statement: The committee on engineering found the work in much better advanced condition then they anticipated. Four thousand laborers are now at work on different portions of the work and 1,000 men have been engaged. Substantial progress is therefore being made.

"The presence of yellow fever is to be regretted but it was to be expected as this disease is always present in tropical countries in America unless long continued sanitary precautions have been taken. The same medical officers who succeeded in eliminating the fever from Havana are now repeating the crusade in Panama. Beyond any question, equally successful results will be produced.

"The committee returned more than satisfied with the general conditions of the enterprise and believes that completion can be attained in less time than is generally supposed. Preliminary work is now really ended and the actual work of construction on a large scale will shortly be commenced.

Civil Government For Panama.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The senate today considered at some length the bill providing a civil government for the Panama canal zone. The question of the government's ownership of the Panama R. R., and its relationship to the general question of government ownership of railroads was debated freely. Mr. Gorman expressed the opinion that the general subject would soon come before Congress and said that he was anxious now to place himself on record as opposed to that policy. Consideration of the bill was not completed when the senate adjourned for want of a quorum.

EXPORTS.

For Badbadoes for orders per schr Basutoland, 140,742 ft pine boards, 104,310 ft spruce boards.

For Liverpool, per steamship Corinthian.

United States goods, 47 bales cotton, 2031 pkgs poultry, 1678 pkgs meats, 15-667 bushels corn. Value $79,057.

Canadian goods:—59 pkgs mica, 549 pkgs offals. 80 cases bacon, 20 bales leather, 481 boxes cheese, 7 cases lawm mowers, 1017 pkgs butter, 2 vjes, 2 cs sundries, 40 cases meats, 2286 bales hay, 6,465 sacks flour, 468 bushels apples, 38 bales straw, 497 bags feed, 466,390 feet spruce deals, 79,316 ft spruce scantling, 7240 ft spruce ends, 397 cattle. Value $95,926.

Total value of cargo $174,983.

The following are the passengers who came on the steamship Oruro, yesterday, from the South:— Rev. William Forbes, from Demerara, for Nocl, N. S.; C. J. Mitchell, from Trinidad, for Toronto; C. C. Greening and wife, from Bermuda for Chatham, Ont.; Cadet Church, S.A. from Bermuda, for Toronto; Mrs. D. Crowther and four children, from Bermuda, for Halifax; Sgt. Tillett and wife, from Bermuda, for Halifax; steerage, Wm. Gideon, from Trinidad, for Liverpool, N. S.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1905.	Sun. Rises.	Sun. Sets.	Tides. High.	Tides. Low.
February.				
20 Mon	7.21	5.55	12.00	5.58
21 Tues	7.20	5.57	0.32	6.45
22 Wd	7.18	5.58	1.20	7.32
23 Thurs	7.16	6.00	2.10	8.28
24 Fri	7.14	6.01	3.08	9.18
25 Sat	7.12	6.03	3.59	10.16

The time used is Atlantic Standard for the 60th Meridan which is four hours slower than Greenwich Mean Time.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Today.

Stmr Cacouna, 931, Holmes, from Louisburg, C. B., R. P. & W. F. Starr, coal.

Cleared.

Schr Basutoland, 189, Roper, for Barbados, for orders, L. G. Crosby, boards.

Stmr Cocouna, 931, Holmes, for Louisburg, CB., R. P. & W. F. Starr, ballast.

Coastwise.

Schr Fred and Norman, Cheney, Grand Harbor.

Sailed.

Stmr Calvin Austin, 2853, Pike, for Boston, via Eastport.

DOMINION PORTS.

LOUISBURG, Feb. 21.—Ard stmr Bruce, Delaney, (36 hours) from St Johns, Nfld, reports rough passage.

Sld 18—Stmr Mystic Boston, Cape Breton, Boston.

LUNENBURG, Feb. 13.—Ard brigt W. E. Stowe, Loye, Turks Island.

YARMOUTH, Feb. 17.—Ard barktn F. B. Lovett, from New York.

HALIFAX, N. S. Feb. 22.—Ard stmrs Florence, from London; Pro Patria, from St. Pierre, Miq; schr Catherine, from Nassau, P. R.

Sld stmrs Baker, Schonwandt for Boston; Silvia, Parrell, for New York,

BRITISH PORTS.

BRISTOL, Feb. 22.—Ard stmr Turcoman, from Portland via Liverpool.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 22.—Ard stmr. Saxonia, from Boston for Liverpool and proceeded.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 22—Sld stmrs Devonian for Boston; Pennsylvania for do.

LIZARD, Feb. 22.—Passed stmr Cambrian from Boston for London.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 22.—Ard stmrs Lake Manitoba, from St. John, N. B., Welshman from Portland.

GIBRALTAR, Jan. 17—Ard schr Lolita A. from Bay Roberts.

GLASGOW, Feb. 21.—Sld bark Cordelia for St. Johns NF.

BARBADOS, Feb. 8—Bark Nora Wiggins, from Pernambuco.

FOREIGN PORTS.

ANTWERP, Feb. 22.—Sld stmr Montrose for Halifax and St. John NB.

BOSTON, Feb. 22.—Ard stmr Cape Breton, Kemp, from Louisburg.

Sld, stmrs Michigan for Liverpool, Daltonhall, for London and Rotterdam, Halifax, for Bermuda, West Indian port; Oakmore, for Antwerp via Baltimore.

NEWPORT NEWS, Feb. 22.—Sld schr. Ruth E. Merrill, for Portland.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Ard stmr Laurentian from Glasgow, sh p Cambrian Princess, from Dunkirk, bark Hattie G. Dixon, from Savannah, schrs Island City from Claremont, Va; City of Georgetown from Georgetown; Nimrod, from Baracoa Henry Sutton, from Vineyard Haven.

Sld, stmrs Georgie, for Liverpool, Majestic, for do; schrs Manie Saunders, for Richmond; Ella F. Crowell for Virginia.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 22.— Ard schr John J. Perry from South Amboy, for Rockland.

CHATHAM, Mass., Feb. 22.—Passed north, stmr Parthian from Philadelphia for Boston.

Passed south tug Mars, with theee barges from Boston for Philadelphia.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 22.—Sld stmr. Manxman for Bristol and Antwerp.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 22.—Sld schr Henry Weller for Boston.

DELAWARE BREAKWATER, Feb. 22—In harbor, schr William L. Douglas from Providence for Philadelphia.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass. Feb. 22.—In port, bark Shetland from Falmouth, Jas., for Boston; schrs J C Strawbridge from Charlestown for Weymouth, Mass; Pardon G. Thompson, from Port Reading for Providencetown; William L. Elkins, from New for Boothbay; Greta, from New London for St John; Clayola from Guttenburg for do; Rewa from Port Johnson for do; Warren B. Potter from Georgetown, S. C., for Boston.

FERNANDINA, Feb. 20—Sld barl Westfield, New York.

JACKSONVILLE, Feb. 20—Ard schr. Annie M. Parker, from St. Jago.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass. Feb. 22.—A fresh east wind prevails here tonight with indications of a gale. The Eastern Steamship Co's steamer Manhattan, from New York, for Portland, anchored at Nobska this afternoon for shelter.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 22.—Schr. Clifford I. White lumber laden from Calais, Me., for New York, was towed in here today by the tug T. A. Scott, in a waterlogged condition. She became fast in the ice off Race Rock and had her port bow stove in.

Steamer Melville (Br) from St John, N. B., at New York on the dry dock. A number of rivets in her bottom became loose. She will return to St. John, N. B., to load for South Africa.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 21.—Wreck of lobster schooner Star of the West, sunk near Matinicus was blown up Feb 18, by Capt. Butman of steamer W. G. Butman.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 21.—Fishing Island buoy is reported by incoming vessels as having been moved from its position, while the Loy Ledge buoy has been swept out to sea.

VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN.

Steamers.

Alcides, 2181, Glasgow, Feb. 11.
Bavarian, 6714, from Liverpool, Feb. 28.
Concordia, 1617, Glasgow, Feb. 18.
Dunmore Head, 1459, Liverpool, Feb 18.
Emanul, 1094 at Savannah, Feb. 1.
Florence, 1609, London via Halifax, Feb. 7.
Ionian, 5337, from Liverpool, March 2.
Kastalia, 2562, from Glasgow, Feb. 25.
Lake Erie, 4814, from Liverpool Feb. 21.
Manchester Importer, 2528, Halifax, Feb 21.
Manchester Trader, 2136, Liverpool, Feb. 16.
Melville, 2872, at New York, Feb. 21.
Montrose, 3968, at Antwerp, Feb. 17.
Mount Temple, 6661, Antwerp, Feb. 9.
Parisian, 3385, from Liverpool March 6.
Pontac, 2072, Shields via Savannah, Feb 12.
St. John City, 1412, at London, Feb 15.
Salacia, 2636, from Glasgow March 11.
Sellasia, 2263, New York via Mobille, Feb 19.
Sicilian, 3964, Moville via Halifax Feb. 17.
Tritonia, 2720, from Glasgow, March 4.
Tunisian 0802, from Liverpool March 9.

RECENT CHARTERS.

British bark Emma R. Smith, 371 tons, from Philadelphia, to Bonny, Old Calaba and gold coast, oil, private terms.

British bark Skoda, 658 tons, from Apalachicola to Buenos Ayres, lumber, $9.50.

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TO LET—UPPER FLAT IN HOUSE 42 Carleton street, containing 9 rooms, and bath. Can be seen Tuesdays from 2 to 5. Enquire of T. A. SHORT, Union street livery stable. 2-21 tf.

TO LET. SELF-CONTAINED COTTAGE, 33 White street, for seven years occupied by Rev. B. Beatty, containing 8 rooms, and patent closet. Apply to MRS. J. McCRACKIN, 35 White street. 2-21 6i.

TO LET—STORE AND OFFICE ON west side of Smythe street, with flats on upper stories of same and adjoining building at present in occupation of Mr. J. Sebert Frost. Electric elevator in connection. W. M. JARVIS, 2-18 6i.

TO LET — SELF-CONTAINED COTTAGE, No. 49 Paddock street, at present in occupation of Mr. James Robertson, Rent $130. May be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoon, 3 to 5. W. M. JARVIS. 2-18 6i.

LOWER FLAT TO LET; 7 ROOMS IN HOUSE, 80 Summer street; hot water heating. Can be seen on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons by applying to D. BRADLEY Jr., 94 Sumner street. 2-18 tf.

TO LET—FROM 1st MAY NEXT, warehouse on Starr's wharf, near railway station. Size 80-80 feet. Rent $140.00 SAMUEL DUNLOP, Jr. 2-18 tf.

TO LET—THAT PLEASANTLY SITUATED, self contained brick house, 77 Orange street, occupied at present and for the past nine years by H. S. Bridges. Can be seen Thursday afternoons, from 2 to 5 o'clock. Apply to B. MOONEY & SONS, 112 Queen street. 2-17 tf

TO LET—SELF CONTAINED DWELLING of 8 rooms, and bathroom, in first floor of brick house, No. 1 Germain St., corner Horsfield; very warm; well lighted and comfortable; separate entrance. Apply to W. TREMAINE GARD, 27 Charlotte street. 2-13 tf.

TO LET—A TWO STORY BUILDING for work shop or warehouse, rear 175 Princess street. Apply to H. L. & J. T. McGOWAN, Princess street. 2-11 tf.

TO LET—SELF CONTAINED UPPER FLAT. Five rooms, 161 Mecklenburg Street. Apply on premises. MRS. STAINES. 2-11 tf.

TO LET—FLAT NO 25 COBURG ST., 7 rooms, choice location for doctor's office. Apply to J. H. Doody, 86 Prince William street. 2-11 tf.

TO LET—FIRST OF MAY NEXT, dwelling 118 Pitt street, occupied by Mr. Joshua Clawson, 11 rooms and bathroom, thorough repair: modern conveniences; eligible in every way. Monday and Thursday afternoons. Apply E. T. C. Knowles, 62 Princess street. 2-6 tf

TO LET—UPPER FLAT; CAN BE seen Monday and Saturdays. Apply at 275 Princess street, or house for sale. 2-4.

TO LET — FLAT IN PLEASANTLY situated house, corner Stanley and Winter streets, containing eight rooms and bathroom; hot and cold water. Apply R. R. Patchell, Stanley street. 2-4. tf.

TO LET—Brick house, occupied by subscriber, 195 Waterloo street; house is in perfect repair; fitted with modern conveniences. Can be seen Monday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. A. R. Campbell, 64 Germain St. 2-1 tf.

TO LET—From 1st May next, the four story and basement brick building, on the northwestern corner of Canterbury and Church streets, now in part occupied by the Times Printing Company; alley way and rear entrance from Church street. The whole or portions of building will be let as required. Floor space each storey about 2,050 feet; elevator; well lighted in every part; steam heated; electric wiring. Apply E. T. C. Knowles 62 Princess St. 2-1 tf.

BOARDING.

BOARDING — LANSDOWNE HOUSE; several good single and double rooms, now vacant. 2-22 tf

ED. DURNAN AND TOWNS.

These Great Scullers Likely to Meet on Toronto Bay.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 23.—(Special)—Ed. Durman yesterday received a letter from George Towns of Newcastle, N. S. W., champion sculler of the world, offering to row Durnan over the Thames course. It Durnan wants to row on Toronto Bay, Towns will accommodate him for a stake of £500 a side. This proposition is agreeable to Durnan.

DR. RILEY'S NEW WORK.

Dr. I. W. Riley, who was professor of philosophy and economics in the University of New Brunswick from 1902 to 1904, has been recently appointed to the Johnston Fellowship of John Hopkins' University, Baltimore (Md.).

This fellowship pays the incumbent annually, the interest of $30,000. It is a research fellowship and the appointment is made for an indefinite time. Dr. Riley has been at work in Yale, on his new book Philosophic Thought in America. He is already in Baltimore and has entered on his work there.

LATE PERSONALS.

Rev. Father Savage, parish priest of Sussex, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. N. Abbott, returned today from Gorham, N. H., where she has been visiting her mother, who is ill. Mrs. Abbott will revisit Gorham in a few days.

R. Montgomery, transit man of the C. P. R., here will leave on Saturday, by steamer Lake Champlain, on a visit to his home in Scotland.

Mr. Montgomery will be away about a month or two.

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