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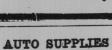
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Previous Opening	Noon	Closing	
Am Zinc 33%			1
Am Car & Fdrv 741/2	75	75	
Am Loco 78	731/	721/	
Am Beet Sugar 953/4	96	967/	
Am Can 501/6	501/4	508/	
ALL SUZAT	199	1991/.	
am Steel Fames	. 727/0	721/2	
Am Smelters 1081/2	1001/2	100	
Am Tel & Tel	122	1217/8	
Am Woolens 561/2	57	57	
Anaconda Mining 845%	851/	851/	
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B R T 60	601/6	601/8	
Balt & Ohio 73	783/	731/6	
Baldwin Loco 65%	661/2	66	
Butte & Superior 45%	457/9	461/2	
Bethlehem Steel155%	157	157	
Chino Copper 60%	61	61	
Chi & North West	111	111	
Ches & Ohio 611/8	60%	60%	
Colo Fuel Iron 53%	541/2	58%	
PR161%	162	162	
Central Leather 80%	991/4	99	
Crucible Steel 80%	803/4	. 81%	
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Ships—10 at 37; 100 at 36 3-4; 10 at 36 1-2. t 36 1-2.

Cement pfd.—10 at 112 1-4.

Ships pfd.—100 at 79; 145 at 78 1-2.

1st War Loan—1000 at 97 1-4.

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4 Cor. Sewell and Garden streets.
5 Cor. Mill and Union streets.
6 Prince Wm. street, opposite M. R. A. alley.
7 Cor. North Wharf and Nelson street,
9 Water street, opposite Jardine's alley.
12 Waterloe street, cpposite Peters street.
13 Cor. St. Patrick and Union streets.
14 Cor. Brussels and Richmond streets.
15 Brussels street, Wilson's foundry.
16 Cor. Brussels and Hanover streets.
17 Cor. Erln and Brunswick streets.
18 Cor. Union and Carmarthen streets.
19 Cor. Courtenay and St. David streets.
21 M. R. A. stores, private.
22 Cor. Germain and King streets.
24 Cor. Princess and Charlotte street.
25 No. 1 Engine House, Charlotte street.
26 Cor. Duke and Prince Wm. streets.
27 Hreese's corner, King square.
28 Cor. Duke and Prince Wm. streets.
29 McAvity Foundry, Water street, private.
20 Cor. Duke and Sydney streets.
21 Cor. Wentworth and Princess streets.
22 Cor. Duke and Rydney streets.
23 Cor. Germain and Queen streets.
24 Cor. Wentworth and Princess streets.
25 Cor. Queen and Carmarthen streets.
26 Cor. Queen and Carmarthen streets.
27 Cor Sydney and St. James streets.
28 Carmarthen street, between Duke and Ora streets.
28 Cor. Town and Union streets.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH

Cement pfd.—10 at 112 1-4.

Ships pfd.—100 at 79; 145 at 78 1-2.

1st War Loan—1000 at 97 1-4.

2nd War Loan—4000 at 94 3-4.

Unlisted Stocks

3rd War Loan—3000 at 94 3-8; 1100

at 94 1-2.

SPERM WHALE STEAKS

38 Carmarthen street, between buceand Grange streets.

49 Cor. From and Union streets.

42 Cor. Duke and Wentworth streets.

43 Cor. Brittain and Charlotte streets.

44 Cor. Pits and St. James streets.

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46 Cor. Pits and St. James streets.

47 Sydney street, near Military baildings.

48 Rast End Sheffield street, near Imperial Oil Cap.

51 City Road, opposite Chiraties factory.

52 Cor. Dorchester and Hazen streets.

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24 Market place and Roducy strees.

25 Albert and Minnette streets.

26 Ludlow and Germain streets.

31 Lancaster and Duke streets.

32 Ludlow and Guilford streets.

34 Masonic Hall, Charlotte street.

35 Tower and Ludlow streets.

36 St. Patrick's Hall, St. John street and City
Line road.

112 No. 6 Engine House, King street. Line road.

112 No. 6 Engine House, King street.
113 Cor. Ludlow and Water streets.
114 Cor. King and Market place.
115 Middle street, Old Fort.
116 Guilford and Union streets.
117 Protection street, Sand point.
118 Cor. Queen and Victoria streets.
119 Cor. Luncaster and St. James streets.
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121 Cor. St. John and Watson streets.
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FEDERAL PRICE FIXING URGED

Committee of Manufacturers Association Reports After I lavestigating—Supply Said to be Dependent on the Will of Union Leaders and Coal Company Owners

Speculators and sales agents are blamed for the coal shortage and high prices in a report by the committee on the Coal situation of the Manufacturers of the coal situation of the Manufacturers and Right Price List Called Price Li

enable the retailers to serve the customers. This information is officially corroborated by statements from the federal trade commission. It is true that there public-a strong and satisfactory posiis a shortage of labor at the mines, but the crux of the trouble is, we believe, in the juggling of the output."

The report then makes a comprehensing the comprehensing the

ive review of the coal production of the country, and calls attention to the fact that in the first four months of 1917 there were mined 28,700,531 tons of an-

It showed that the city of New York used 12,614,000 tons of anthracite a year.

Shortage Not Due to Hoarding.

"We do not believe," the committee said, "that the coal delivered to people who have overbought is, the cause of the shortage today, as the amount which has been been because it offset by the amount." has made considerable progress. been hoarded is offset by the amount other buyers would have taken under ordinary market conditions.

Eight hundred volunteers have already enlisted, among whom, it is reported, is the wife of the war minister, A. P.

ordinary market conditions.

'There has been, and there is, an extraordinary demand for bituminous coal for industrial purposes and for export. This demand has forced the price of bituminous coal so high that the steam sizes of anthracite coal are being substituted,

and are therefore in great demand. The insistent demand for steam sizes has enabled the coal companies sales agents to juggle the price of domestic sizes. This manipulation of the product has done more than anything else to alarm consumers and cause a duplication of orders, all of which fits in splendidly with the scheme of the sales agents. "Attention is called to the fictitious circular price list published by the coal companies and the probable reason for

speculators and sales agents are blamed for the coal shortage and dight prices in a report by the committee on the coal structurers and sales agents are blamed for the coal shortage and dight prices in a report by the committee on the coal situation of the Manufacturers and average business man, a few commandation of the Manufacturers and average business man, a few commandation of the coal situation of the Manufacturers and average business man, a few commandation of the coal situation of the Manufacturers and average business man, a few commandation of the coal situation of the Manufacturers and average business man, a few commandation of the Calls and average business man, a few commandation of the coal companies of the association had are repeated complaints that they could not get coal. Under the chairmanship of Judson G. Wall, the committee conducted an investigation that reached from the mines to the furnace, and recommends that the federal trade commission that reached an investigation that reached the furnace, and recommends that the federal trade commission was warranted, not the Merchants Bank. we find that the deposits amounted to \$92,102,071, of which over \$27,000,000 were non-involved the Merchants Bank will be supplyed to the coal company sales and learns. In comparing these two items in the present statement of the Merchants Bank. We find that the deposits amounted to \$92,102,071, of which over \$27,000,000 were non-involved the merchants and discounts (including \$377,582 outside of Canada) totalled solved the coal company should be coal company should be a seek that the supply of the coal company should be applied to the laws of New York. The committee on the coal declars are repeated on the coal situation of the deposits and loans. In comparing these the problem of the structure of the deposits amounted to \$92,102,071, of which over \$27,000,000 were non-involved to the deposits amounted to \$92,102,071, of which over \$27,000,000 were non-involved to the deposits amounted to \$92,002,071, of which

there was nothing in the working conditions at the mines to warrant the coal. The report concluded by recommending that the people of New York ask retailers at fixed and fair rates, and thus retailers to serve the custom-mission these powers to protect the pub-

sumers.

IN WOMEN'S REGIMENT thracite, and compared with 22,286,791 tons for the first four months of 1916. listed to Fire Courage and De-

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To sing a little clearer song, sing a little better tune

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I know that so men's souls aspire
To burn with some of heaven's fire,
To be as good, as kind, as true,
As this green world is good to you.

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THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA

Statement of Liabilities and Assets at 30th April, 1947.

LIABILITIES 1. To the Shareholder

Balance	of Profits as per Pro	fit and Loss Acc	ount submitte	d'herewith	•• .•••
2.	To the Public				
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K. W. BLACKWELL. Vice-President. E. F. HEBDEN. Managing Director.

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as follows:—

I have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books of Account and other records of the Bank at the Chief Office and with the signed returns from the Branches and Agencies.

I have checked the cash and verified the securities of the Bank at the Chief Office against the entries in regard thereto in the books of the Bank as on 36th April, 1917, and at a different time during the year and found them to agree with such entries. I have also attended at some of the Branches during the year and checked the cash and verified the securities held at the dates of my attendances and found them to agree with the entries in the Books of the Bank white regard thereto.

I have obtained all the information and explanations I have required. In my opinion, the transactions of the Bank which have come under my notice have been within the powers of the Bank, and the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of my information and the explanations given to me, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

Montreal, 21st May, 1917.

VIVIAN HARCOURT, (of Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths & Co.), Auditor