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It is nearly 9 years since DEWAR'S was introduced on the Canadian Market, and each year the SALES have made steady advances, but the 12 months closing on the 3ist March have eclipsed all previous ones by going nearly 25 p.c.

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what do the CROAKERS say now, who never lose, what they think an opportunity, to checulate the utterly false report that the quality has deteriorated and the sates decreasing. The quality has NEVER varied one lota under the Standards set by the different grades.

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### A SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL. COMMERCIAL AND MINING NEWS.

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# Montreal Stock Market.

EUROPEAN MONEY CONDITION WEAK-ER — GREAT DEMAND SHOWN IN
N. Y. BANK STATEMENT —STRIET
RIGHTS ACTIVE AND AT AN ADVANCE — LITTLE GENERAL ACT-IVITY.

Montreal, April 28,

It is said that European money markets are going into this spring and summer less able to extend their credits than they were last year, with no assurance that requirements will not be fully as large as

Money in Britain disbursed for war purposes, £3,000,000 in May and the same in June, is not at once available for market purposes, and through this "Kbaki" loan the Raph of England countries the situation. the Bank of England controls the situation. It seems as if till July at least there would be considerable exports of gold from this side, and that there may be greater money stringency. Interest last year was 3 p.c., now it is 4 p.c., and may be a little higher.

Less importance was thought to be due to N. Y. Bank stateent, and though it was one generally held satisfactory, no effects were obvious on the stock market. Large increase of loans speaks of expanding business and demands for money showing no diminution.

The morning session on local Exchange had active trading in Street Rights. These were selling at advance to 73, none being under 72.

One hundred shares Gas changed hands

at yesierday's price.
Toronto Ry closed firm at previous clos-

ing.
There was the mild recession in tric's price, while Rich. & Ont. gained 1/2.

Amount of business was small as Saturday's business generally is.

#### MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.-25, 96, 100, 9615. Twin City—25, 64.

Mont. Gus—100, 184.

Tor. Ry—200, 9634, 25, 9

Mont.-London—1500, 29. 97.

Virtue-1500, 10743 Roy. Elec.—100, 199½. 50, 199¼. R. & O.—25, 110. Mont. St. Rts—24, 73. 31, 72¼ 72. 25, 72½. 73. 31, 7214. Payne-500, 1181/2.

#### STRAWS.

Opening of navigation has practically ended the car famine.

Many violations of the anti-commission agreement have been reported.

U. P. increase for February, \$220,000, and increase of surplus \$68,000. . . .

Atchison Railway Company's increase for month of March is \$527,465. . . .

Aduitional legislative control over subsidized roads in Ontario is proposed in a full just introduced by Premier Ross. . . .

A Franco-Belgian syndicate proposes to establish an electric tram line between Brussels and Paris, the run to be made in two hours.

The week's fall for favorite iron shares in Berlin was from 5 to 7 per cent. Peports from German iron centres indicate a slowing up in new business.

Many American roads are said to have seen the great light of colonisation and to he arranging for emigrants. They also propose to establish a large number of new cities for them.

The Cuban Railway Company was incorporated on April 25th at Trenton N. J., with a capital of \$8,500,000. There are 50 shares of stock, each having a par value of \$50,000, held by the seven incorporators. These and others who have already subscribed are presidents, directors, or large holders of several of the great or large holders of soveral of the great railway systems of Canada and the United States, Canadian Pacific, St. Paul, etc. The first road built will connect the west end of the island with the cast end, there being at present no railway connection between Santingo and Havana

#### LONDON AND PARIS

April 28, 1900. Bank of England rate ...... 4 French Exchange......25f. 201 New York Central.....

#### LONDON CABLE.

Gives the following London quotations: Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c..... 1st preference. xd..... 911 2nd ' ....... 681 46 44 Зrď ..... 26 d. T.R. Com O F. R xd....... 98

#### MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Mar. \$127,212.18 Inc. \$3,458.07 19, 20, 452.07 21, 5,053.43..... 4.6 ,796.85.... Dec. 316.58 23, 44 4,855,67.....Inc. 24, 4,703.26.....In 223...7 36.45 25, 4.435,78..... " 4,650.43..... \*\*

### TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Mont	b of	Mar311	7,631.21 Inc. \$	14,396.23
April	19.	\$ 1774.35	Inc.	\$ 678 97
31	20.	3675.20		414.41
**	21,	4457.77		627.S1
**	22,	1759.24		348.99
46	23,	3451.51	48	517.17
**	24,	3473.36	"	394.89
41	25,	3337.08		532.19

## TWIN CITY BAPID TRANSIT CO

onon.	33,441.00
Compared with last year	
Inc.	2,787.95
46	5,224.05
"	9,715.80
	Compared w