

## FIRM TONE IS GENERAL IN TWO MARKETS TODAY

Rails in Good Demand in Wall Street; Easier Money Rates Expected

BRAZILIAN LEADER IN MONTREAL EXCHANGE

Laurentide Comes Next in Strength, With Twin City Weak Spot

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Stock prices displayed a firm tone at the opening of today's market. Rails were again in good demand under the leadership of Atlantic Coast Line, and Missouri Pacific, each of which opened a point higher. Chrysler showed an initial gain of 1½ points and marine paid 1. Speculative belief that money rates will soften after income tax payments have been disposed of, was regarded in some quarters as a factor in the buying movement.

MONTREAL MARKET  
MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—Prices were generally firm in the early trading on the stock market, this morning. Brazilian, the active leader, rising ½ to 82½. Laurentide, next to Brazilian in activity, was off ¼ at 89½, while Abitibi and Spanish River, the only other paper issue to receive attention sold unchanged at 78½ and 103½ respectively. Asbestos preferred was strong at 119½, up the fraction. The common was the same at 95½. The weak spot was Twin City, which lost a point to 74. The following leaders sold unchanged: Montreal Paper 21½; Montreal Breweries 88½; Canada Cement 108 and Atlantic Sugar preferred 81.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.  
Stocks to 12 noon.

High	Low	Open
Am. Can.	263½	263½
Am. Loco	118½	118½
Am. Loco X D	118½	118½
Am. Loco X E	118½	118½
Am. Loco X F	118½	118½
Am. Loco X G	118½	118½
Am. Loco X H	118½	118½
Am. Loco X I	118½	118½
Am. Loco X J	118½	118½
Am. Loco X K	118½	118½
Am. Loco X L	118½	118½
Am. Loco X M	118½	118½
Am. Loco X N	118½	118½
Am. Loco X O	118½	118½
Am. Loco X P	118½	118½
Am. Loco X Q	118½	118½
Am. Loco X R	118½	118½
Am. Loco X S	118½	118½
Am. Loco X T	118½	118½
Am. Loco X U	118½	118½
Am. Loco X V	118½	118½
Am. Loco X W	118½	118½
Am. Loco X X	118½	118½
Am. Loco X Y	118½	118½
Am. Loco X Z	118½	118½

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Stocks to 12 noon.

High	Low	Open
Abitibi	78½	78½
Asbestos	119½	119½
Asbestos Pfd	119½	119½
Brazilian	82½	82½
Bromont	27	27
Can. Cement	108	108
Laurentide	89½	89½
Montreal Paper	21½	21½
Montreal Breweries	88½	88½
Spanish River	103½	103½
Steel	138½	138½
Union Pacific	148½	148½
White Motors	85½	85½

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET  
To 12 noon.

High	Low	Open
May wheat	164½	164½
May wheat (old)	164½	164½
December corn	77½	77½
May corn	82½	82½
July corn	85½	85½
May oats	44½	44½

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Marble and Terrazzo work, Post Office, Saint John, N. B., will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, December 22, 1925, for the supply and installation of marble and terrazzo flooring in the Old Post Office Building, Saint John, N. B.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the offices of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, the Resident Architect, Dept. Public Works, Saint John, N. B., the Clerk of Works, Dept. Public Works, Bellevue Bldg., Halifax, N. S., and the Foreman, Dept. Public Works, 198 St. Paul street W., Montreal, P. Q.

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By order,  
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## Does That Cough Stick On Your Lungs?

Mr. Islay MacNab, Bognoor, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled with a terrible cough that I could not get rid of, and my doctor told me that I had a slight touch of bronchitis. Nothing I took seemed to give me any relief until I got a bottle of

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

I got such relief by using it that I would advise all those who are subject to bad colds or coughs to keep a bottle of this remedy in their homes all the time."

You don't experiment when you buy "Dr. Wood's" as it has been a household remedy for the past 37 years.

Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET  
WINNIPEG, Dec. 14.  
December wheat ..... 148  
May wheat ..... 142  
July wheat ..... 149  
May oats ..... 50

CURRENT EVENTS  
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I am instructed to sell by private treaty, large quantity of High Class Parlor, Dining Room and Bedroom Furniture, Dishes, Fortiers, Carpet, etc.

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HARNESS OFFICE  
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One small oak modern and neat office desk, one large office desk, 2 office swing chairs, 3 office arm chairs, oak settee, large office mirror, small self feeder, set business books, 50 fiction books, six sets driving harness 2 riding saddles and other harness parts.

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## Gloria Swanson Says Did Not Slap Clerk

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Miss Swanson denies she slapped Cohen and expresses the opinion he was not damaged.

MONTREAL GIRL KILLED  
MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—Endeavoring to step out of the way of an oncoming taxicab, Rhea Tessier, 18, stepped into the path of a motor truck loaded with crushed stone, and was instantly killed Saturday.

UNEMPLOYED, KILLS SELF  
TORONTO, Dec. 14.—William Jackson, 45, unemployed and despondent, leaped over the Bloor street viaduct at Broadview avenue, 125 feet to a cement pavement, early Sunday and met instant death. Practically every bone in his body was broken.

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## DRIVE TO OPEN FOR MEMBERSHIP

Co-operation of Citizens is Asked by Local Skating Association

The campaign to have 1,000 fully paid-up members on the Saint John Amateur Skating Association roster will be undertaken at once, it was announced today by H. G. Ellis, chairman. One man has been selected to do the work and in view of the worthiness of the cause, it is expected he will be given a good reception. It is felt by those in charge of the project that such a strong membership is needed to carry on Saint John's great work in the skating world. The value of such an association is clearly shown through the leadership being given it by the business men of the city who are giving up much valuable time to put this meet over big.

MAY BUILD IN CANADA.  
A Canadian branch factory of Rowntree & Co., famous candy manufacturers, of York, Eng., is being considered according to A. Nelson of Toronto, managing director of the Canadian branches, who returned yesterday on the Montclair. Investigations of conditions in Canada will be made. The company now has distributing branches in several cities in Canada.

FREDERICTON MARKET.  
Prices in the Fredericton market on Saturday were:  
Butter—45 to 50 cents.  
Eggs—40 to 70 cents.  
Chicken—25 to 35 cents.  
Poultry—20 to 25 cents.  
Beef—4 to 7 cents.  
Mutton—3 to 10 cents.  
Potatoes—\$2.50 to \$5 bbl.  
Apples—\$1 to \$5 bbl.  
Carrots—42 bbl.  
Turnips—70 cents to \$1 bbl.  
Parsnips—\$2.50 bbl.  
Cabbages—40 cents dozen.  
Live rabbits—50 cents each.

After running wild through the countryside, smashing fences and generally terrifying people, a circus elephant which broke away from circus quarters at Sarnia, fifty miles southwest of here, was caught and brought back to that town.

## Man Whose Car Killed Three Goes to Prison

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—Fred Thorpe, a negro mechanic who ran down and killed a family of three with an automobile on October 26, was sentenced to six to twelve years in the Eastern penitentiary today. Sentence was imposed by Judge Charles Y. Audenried, before whom Thorpe on November 20 pleaded guilty.

For an offense almost identical to Thorpe's Henry G. Brock, a wealthy Philadelphia clubman, now is serving a sentence of six to ten years in the Eastern penitentiary. Brock, who has served two years and eight months, recently was refused a pardon.

Mitchell Matched With Fitzsimmons  
HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 14.—Young Bob Fitzsimmons, New York light heavyweight, and Roy Mitchell, colored, local pugilist star, have been matched to fight here, according to an announcement made by Great War Veterans Association officials who stated that a telegram received on Saturday from the New York accepted the terms of the local man.

GOING TO McADAM.  
Rev. W. J. Bates, rector of St. Andrews Anglican church, Newcastle, has intimated to his congregation that he is accepting an invitation to take charge of the Anglican church at McAdam in the near future. He has been rector for 15 years.

WARNING TO USERS OF RADIO  
All Radio Receiving Sets MUST be Licensed  
Penalty on summary conviction is a fine not exceeding \$50  
License Fee \$1.00 per annum  
Licenses, valid to 31st March, 1926, may be obtained from: Staff Post Offices, Radio Dealers, Radio Inspectors, or from Radio Branch, Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa  
The proceeds from license fees are used to control broadcasting and to improve broadcast reception conditions  
A. JOHNSTON, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries

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## Gargle Aspirin for Tonsillitis or Sore Throat

A harmless and effective gargle is to dissolve two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in four tablespoonfuls of water, and gargle throat thoroughly. Repeat in two hours if necessary.