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ket for profits. Canadian securities, with few exceptions, have not responded to the buoyancy which existed in the New York market for the last month, and the only question now is whether the usual formula in connection, with the domestic exchanges will carried out, namely, that on the of clearing-house banks for the week first reaction in Wall-street more at-

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biological field of the present market purpose. Up and down swings with empose. Up and down swings with empose. Up and down swings with empose outlook for this market for the pattern and technical strength. There is no doubt that a very large speculative following now exists in the Dominion Steel preferred shares. The announcement that only 10 1-2 per cent. of the 42 per cent, of a disappointment, and there is likely to be an attempt on the patt at the present time will likely prove somewhat of a disappointment, and there is likely to be an attempt on the patt of many who bought the shares for speculation to get out and secure the bard of the shares for speculation to get out and secure the bard of the shares for speculation to get out and secure the bard of the shares for speculation to get out and secure the bard of the shares for speculation to get out and secure the bard of the shares for speculation to get out and secure the bard of the shares for speculation to get out and secure the bard of the shares for speculation to get out and secure the security has not years the shares for speculation to get out and secure the security has not years the shares for speculation to get out and secure the security has not years the security has not years the security has not years the shares for speculation to get out and secure the security has not years Chas. Head & Co. to R. R. Bongard: There was increased selling pressure at the opening following the develop-Dom. Steel. 25 @ 34 5 @ 335/s 5 @ 338/4 5 @ 337/s ment of further weakness in London and first prices generally showed declines from 1-4 to 3-4. From about the second hour a marked in middle of second hour a marked in crease in activity was shown and with this came a more pronounced upward movement, the improvement being led by hard coalers, with, however, a fair measure of response from Harriman issues, which earlier in the week had been unresponsive to a marked degree.
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J. R. Heintz & Co. when R. B. Heintz & 500 \oplus 7.00 larity we would take advantage of any fair reactions to buy good stocks and feel confident of much higher prices Mackay. New York Bank Statement. NEW YORK, April 17.—The statement opering hereing hereing and the statement a

shows that the banks hold \$11,202,200more than the requirements of the 25 20 @ 152tention will be given the speculative per cent. reserve rule. This an in-crease of \$1,164,175 in the proportionate securities on the Canadian exchanges. Money comditions remain favorable cash reserve as compared with last

to the investment side of the market, week. The statment follows: Loans, in-but there is evidently a deterrent to purchases of these shares. In lookin, round for this competition it would seem to be traceable to the speculation and investment which is now going on in real estate, and from this there appears to be no possible relief, at least during the next few months. .62,350. The percentage of actual reserve of Montreal St. Railway, xd... 162.350. Prices of investment securities are attractive to those looking for dividend returns, but the supply in the market fully adequate to the present de-

the clearing-house banks to-day was 25.70. The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York 25.70. The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York and, and price improvements are not reporting to the clearing-house shows that these institutions have agtherefore none too likely to occur. The shows that these institutions have as-gregate deposits of \$1,222,831,900; total cash on hand, \$145,667,600 and loans Crown Reserve. whole situation is one in which steadiness both in speculative and investment issues, is promising, and in amounting to \$1,085,595,700.

which there is an extreme possibility Railroad Earnings. that inside operations might stir up activity and buoyancy should such a Increase C.N.R., 2nd week April\$12,600 C. & R., 2nd week April, increase, movement be decided upon. Wall Street Pointers. \$185,000 Coal operators meet in New York

Gold For South America. NEW YORK, April 17.—The National Bank of Commerce to-day engaged \$1,000,-Speyer syndicate buys \$5,000,000 St.

THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA.

THE STERLING BARK OF GANAUA. Notice is hereby given that a dividend of one and one-quarter per cent. (11-4 per cent.) for the guarter ending 30th April Instant (being at the rate of five per cent. (5 per cent.) per annum, on the pail-up Capital Stock of this Bank, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office and Branches of the Bank on and after the 15th day of May next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th April to 30th April, both days inclusive. The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Head Office (corner King and Bay-streets) on Tuesday, the 18th May, 1909, the cnair to be taken at 11 a.m. By order of the Board.

F. W. BROUGHALL, General Manager. Toronto, April 6, 1909.

Atchison do. preferred Baltimore & Ohio Canadian Pacific Chesapeake & Ohio Great Western 150 161 160 ... Great Western St. Paul Denver & Rio Grande do. preferred Kansas & Texas Kansas & Texas Erie do. 1st preferred do. 2nd preferred Grand Trunk N. & W. common do. preferred Ontario & Western New York Central U. S. Steel common do. preferred Wabash do. preferred ... 88

do. preferred . Illinois Central 90 981/2 93% Reading Pennsylvania Southern Railway Twin City. 85 @ 104 25 @ 103% Trethewey.
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Price of Oil, PITTSBURG, Pa., April 17.—Oil closed Ald, Proulx; Porto Rico. N.S. Steel. 5 @ 57 2 @ 561/2 25 @ 44¼ 20 @ 44¾ Dom. Coal. 5 @ 66 C.P.R. 50 @ 1731/2

Nip. 25 @ 10.05 45 @ 10.12 Tor. Ry. 5 @ 124 December 10.24 10.24 10.19 10.24 Spot cotton closed quiet. 15 points high-er. Middling uplands 10.65; do., gulf, 11.00. Sales, none. Can. Per. 44 @ 161% 2 @ 162

One hundred and twenty-four thousand eight hundred pounds Calgary 4½ per cent. debentures are offered in London at 1031/2.

*Preferred. zBonds. Ex-Dividend. Can. Northwest Land Co., \$5 per cent.

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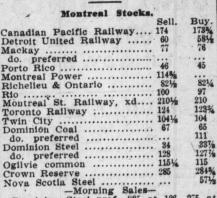
25 @ 107% 25 @ 107%

St. Law. 5 @ 117 5 @ 116

Rogers. *10 @ 100

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z\$2000 @ 881/



-Morning Sales-Dominion Steel pref.--985 at 126, 275 at 126½, 75 at 127, 2 at 124, 25 at 125½, 55 at 126½, 100 at 127, 5 at 127, 50 at 126½, 85 at 126½, 50 at 126½, 75 at 126¾, 75 at 126⅔, 55 at 127, 50 at 127½, 40 at 127, 100 at 127½, 3 at 126¾, 135 at 127¼, 395 at 128, 60 at 127¾, at 120%, 100 at 121%, 300 at 120, 60 at 121%. 10 at 127%. RIo bonds, flat—\$5000 at 93. Steel—225 at 33%, 750 at 33%, 274 at 33%. 75 at 33%, 1410 at 34. Montreal Railway—42, at 210. Switch preferred—12 at 104. Toronto Railway—200 at 124%, 25 at 124, 15 at 124%.

Toronto Advisor and Advisor and Advisor at 224, 815 at 124'4. Mackay-15 at 76. Textile preferred-3 at 98. Crown Reserve-1730 at 285, 1000 at 284'4. 50 at 288 (thirty days). Ogilvie-50 at 115. Ogilvie-50 at 115. 50 at 288 (fmirly days). Ogilvie-50 at 115. Royal Bank-10 at 221, Havana-10 at 50%, 50 at 50. Illinois preferred-55 at 93. Montreal Bank-2 at 248. Lake of the Woods-15 at 102. Montreal Power-107 at 11414, 55 at 114. N. S. Steel-5 at 5714. Union-10 at 5313. R. & O.-10 at 5235. 50 at 82. Commerce-5 at 174. 50 at 1738. C. P. R.-50 at 17334, 10 at 17334. 235 at 173. Steel bonds-\$1000 at 91 flat.

108 106 1141/2 177% 77% .1061/2 .115% .179% .78% .51/2 in the coming investigation of the royal When the commission meets on Monchanges. When the commission meets on Mon-day it will be for preliminaries only. The order of procedure will be arrang-ed and the commission will be adjourn-ed for a couple of days before the tak-ing of evidence is proceeded with. Justice Lawrence J, Cannon will pre-side and Arthur Gagne will act as sec-152 52% 511/4 GEO. O. MERSON & COMPANY CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS 19% Trusts and Guarantee Bldg. KING STREET WEST. TORONTO retary The lawyers who will represent the 49% 138 51% citizens' committee will be J. L. Per-ron, K.C., and N. K. Laflamme, K.C. with Eugene Lefleur as counsel. It is understood that the commission 181/2 49 1491/2 47% will begin with the police department. Among the questions which will be raised by the lawyers for the citizens feel that "the investigation will cost 72 68% 29 69% 122% .190% and on which evidence will be adduced 121% 189% 98 will be: The illegal discharge of the 56 hotelkeepers by Chief Campeau. The collection of money from these otelkeepers for the campaign fund of Puts in Bid For Jaunt to the Nava Conference. No. 13 police station, in which not an item of the specifications is lived up to; in which old stone is about 90 per

chitects appointed by the city to report say it is not worth a cent, tho the contractors' bill is \$29,000, and the building inspector practically confirms their report.⁴ No. 12 police station, which has ac-commodation for policemen, without wantilation

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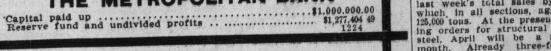
Phone Main 7014. not yet complete and is already in need of repairs. The citizens' committee make an them for counsel and for gathering of evidence to submit to the judge some-thing like \$5000. TEMPLEMAN WANTS TO GO

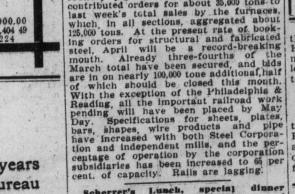
OTTAWA, April 18.—(Special.)—The prime minister is confronted with a new situation in regard to the trip of Sir Frederick Borden and Hon. Mr. Brodeur to England to confer with the admirative re elaborations a plan to

commodation for policemen, without able annoyance, and he is presented to the ventilation. No. 5 fire station, which has been building for the past three years, is his claim on the fact that he is the re-presentative in the cabinet of the Pa-

presentative in the cabinet of the Pa-cific province, which must be consider-ed in any plan of naval defence. Moreover, he has never been sent abroad to look after Canada's inter-ests, while the last time Mr. Brodeur was sent to England, he rolled up a NINE BRANCHES IN TORONTO CITY bill which staggered the country and got the government into a peck of

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thru the head of the latter's husband.

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FORT FRANCES, April 18 .- Over-

taken by a train Thursday at Bear's

Pass, 20 miles west of here, Alex. Dale,

and New York.

to have been his motive.

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