FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. (J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members Montreal Stock Exchange.)

New York, April 10.

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Am Sumatra 98½ 98¾ 98

Am Car and Fdry 146 145 1447%

Am Locomotive 107 107 105¾

Am Beet sugar 92 91 91

Am Can 49½ 487½ 487½

Am Intl Corp 1017% 103%

Am Smelters 68¾ 69¼ 69¼ 69¼

Am Tel and Tel 96% 96¾

Am Woollens 136 137 134¾

Anaconda Min 68¾ 63¾ 63½ 80¾

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Balt & Ohio 33¾ 33% 33% 33%

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Intl Mar Pfd 95½ 97½
Indust Alcohol 96½ 97¼
Kennecott Copper 31¾ 31½
Midvale Steel 48¼ 48¾
Maxwell Motors 37½
Mex Petrol 203 202⅓
North Pacific 76¾ 78⅓
N Y Central 72 71¾
New Haven 32⅓ 31⅙
Ohio Cities Gas 43¾
Pennsylvania 42
Pierce Arrow 69½ 69
Pan-Am Petrol 105⅓ 105½
Reading 84 88¾
Republic I & S 114¼ 118¾
South Pacific 99 98⅓
Studebaker 120⅓ 118
Union Pacific 119⅓ 119¾

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MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS.

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members
Montreal Stock Exchange.)
Montreal, April 10.
Bank of Montreal—6 at 209.
Hochelago Bank—35 at 158½.
Merchants Bank—28 at 189.
Bank 1 240 at 45% Brazil-340 at 451/2, 160 at 453/4. Fish—2 at 60. Fish—2 at 60. Brompton—125 at 86½, 175 at 87. Canada Car—50 at 65. Cement—50 at 67¾, 25 at 68, 80

Dominion Steel—20 at 71, 125 at 7. Smelters—25 at 28. Detroit—54 at 104, 1 at 104½. Laurentide—10 at 100, 300 at 99. Tucketts—75 at 55. Cottons—5 at 71. Power—10 at 87. Quebec—25 at 26, 75 at 25½, 25 ½, 40 at 25½, 35 at 25¾. Riorden—100 at 177, 55 at 176, 35 75

Coal Pfd—10 at 90½. Cement Pfd—25 at 95¼. Spanish Pfd—245 at 143, 25 at 143½, 340 at 144, 195 at 144¼, 75 at 142½, 5

LOCAL NEWS

ST. JOHN PROTESTANT ORPHANS HOME.

The following contributions are thankfully acknowledged by the treasurer, H. C. Rankine:-John H. Fleming, Fredericton, \$5; E. H. Estabrooks, Mc-Adam, \$8; Laurence MacLaren, Liverpool, England, \$215; H. B. Wilmot, St John, \$2; Hollis H. Brewer, St. John, \$25; Miss Jennie Smith, St. John, 21; John N. Golding, Sr., St. John, \$5; "A John N. Golding, Sr., St. John, \$5; "A Friend," St. John, \$5; "A Friend," St. John, \$100; Miss Mary Tweedie, St. John, \$1; "T. J. V. Anglin, St. John, \$5; Loyalist napter I. O. D. E., St. John, \$500; L. U. L., No. 39, Moneton, furnishings for West St. John Home, value \$150.

L. O. B. A. fair, April 12-17, in Orange Hall, Market Building, Charlotte street. 113721—4—13

INFORMATION WANTED. INFORMATION WANTED.
Will the hotel proprietors, farmers and others in New Brunswick, particularly those who live along the St. John river, who can accommodate tourists, communicate with the Commercial Club of St. John, informing it of their rates and number of guests they can accommodate, also naming the nearest railway station, or if reached by steamer, naming the nearest landing stage and distance from such station or landing stage, and any other information necessary for the prospective tourist.

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CIVIC ELECTION. Ward workers and all those interested in the election of F. C. Campbell will neet in Oddfellows' Hall, Sunday afternood at 2.30 to complete organization.

GIRLS WANTED. We have an opening for a couple of mart girls in our finishing rooms, Aply in person after four o'clock in the ftermoon.—The Reid Studio, corner harlotte and King streets.

Rent Courts for Ontario. Toronto, April 10—Establishment of ent courts may prove the solution of ne problem of high rents in Ontario, cording to Hon. Walter Rollo, ministrof labor. His proposal is to give nicipalities authority to appoint local arts with power to regulate rents.

Brigadier-General Macdonnell and-eut.-Colonel Sparling last night ad-ssed the Canadian Club of Moncton military operations by the Canadians ore and after Vimy Ridge

European Relief

OR the convenience of residents of Canada, who may wish to assist relatives or friends in Central or Eastern Europe, this Bank has arranged to handle the "Food Drafts" of the American Relief Administration.

The purchaser sends the draft direct, and the recipient obtains the quantity of food designated thereon.

A \$10 Draft will Purchase:-244 lbs. Flour 10 " Beans 24½ lbs. Flour " Beans
" Cottonseed Oil 74 " Cottons 12 Cans Milk 8 Cans Milk

A \$50 Draft will Purchase:-140 lbs. Flour " Beans
" Cottonseed Oil OR 48 Cans Milk

140 lbs. Flour 50 "Beans 16 "Bacon 15 " Lard 12 " Corned Beef 48 Cans Milk

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

St. John Branch, W. H. LUGSDIN, Manager



Electric Map Tells Sales Story Quickly.

Graphically to illustrate the phrase, 'Say It With Flowers," Frank M. Ross, florist, of Philadelphia, Pa., has made good use of his window to instal an ingenious electric map of the United States, tupon which are portrayed the principal cities of every state, connected by wires strung from telephone poles and reaching all over the country.

A small red electric bulb indicates every large city, and by means of an automatic device, the "message" is flashed from place to place, the bulbs lighting up here and there every second or two.

Converters—100 at 69, 120 at 70.

Ships—55 at 74, 30 at 74½.

Spanish—350 at 97, 70 at 96¾, 165 at the local florist an order for flowers to the local florist an order for flowers to the local florist and order flowers.

amply justified by the attention it attracted as well as by its value in calling the public's notice to the telegraphic feature of the service. An interesting point brought out by the display was its attraction for children, who, on their way to school, stopped to figure out in advance the day's lesson in geography and to compare notes with each other.

The idea to be conveyed to the public is that flowers may be sent to any city in the United States and Canada at any lime through the Florists' Telegraph Delivery Association. By mertel giving home an unforgettable merchandising home an unforgettable merchandising home an unforgettable merchandising home at the flowers at the proper time. There is no extra charge expense attached to this service, the telegraph tolls being borne by the association's members. Although the map cost Mr. Ross something like \$400, the expense was AGOODA \$3.8.2 To Vote

Civic Primary Election.

Second Monday in April A. D. 1920.

FOR ALDERMAN OR COMMISSIONER

GEORGE FREDERICK FISHER

JOHN THORNTON

Are you in favor of owners of properties abutting on screets proposed to be paved being assessed for a portion of the cost as provided for in Bill now before the Legislature?

Herbot Elbouderper Commeller

For the Good of St. John

REAL ESTATE

Brick House

in the valley

Price \$4,200

POSSESSION MAY 1ST

The owner of the above is leaving the city and desires to dispose of his property quickly. He makes a sacrifice and someone gets a genuine bargain. Furthermore, terms can be arranged. This house has modern heating, lighting, plumbing, etc.

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For further particulars, apply

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FOR SALE Fairvale **Brick Building**

St. James' Street A three story building having fifteen rooms and basement. Substantially built and commanding a beautiful view of the harbor and bay. On the rear of the lot, which measures 40 x 100 ft., is erected a two story frame building suitable for large work shop or could be con-verted into dwelling. For

further particulars consult JOHN GILLIS Real Estate Dept.,

The Eastern Trust Co. C. H. FERGUSON, Manager Cor. Princess and Prince Wm. Streets



ute to your stock and also to ask if you ever show me another such bargain to remind me of what I missed by my delay."

The writer's experience was by no means unusual. Good antiques, the only kind we sell, are increasingly hard to obtain. The war has laid waste a large part of the treasure house of Europe. The rare pieces of American olden time which we offer are not easily found by antiquarians. Therefore, we are proud of the rare things shown on our third floor. We shall be glad to have you spend a leisurely hour examining them. You need feel under no obligations to purchase. Should you find your heart's desire, however, remember that your neighbor may have an eye as discriminating as yours. An antique in your house is a treasure; in a friend's house it might be an aggravation.

Boston, April 10—Housing facilities in Massachusetts are so scanty that 16,000 homes are needed in forty towns, a special committee of the state chamber of commerce reported yesterday.

A Long Tow. Victoria, B. C., April 10—Completing the longest tow ever recorded in Pacific marine annals, the powerful tug boat Hero is passing up the gulf to Vancouver with the auxiliary schooner Laura Whalen behind.

The Whalen had been damaged in a control the days of the part of the second storm and the Hero towed her from Tahiti, where she had been laid up, to Honolulu and thence to the British Columbia coast.

THIS LETTER NEARLY SIX YEARS ON WAY. Cobalt, Ont., April 10—A letter posted in a town in what was formerly Aus-trian Poland on July 17, 1914, and ad-dressed to a foreigner, a member of the Old Miners' Union here, was safely delivered in Cobalt this afternoon. It had been censored and re-sealed, and bore the stamp of the old Dual Monarchy.

Moose Jaw Tax Rate. Moose Jaw, Sask., April 10-Moose Jaw's 1920 tax rate was struck at 41.60 for public school supporters and 49.30 for the separate school, at a special meeting of the city council.

Telephone Profit. Edmonton, Alta., April 10—Nearly \$5,000 profit was made by the city's telephone department last year, according to the annual report of Superintenden

Summer Home \$1,900

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SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, APR 10. A.M. P.M. High Tide... 4.11 Low Tide... 10.53 Sun Rises... 5.49 Sun Sets... 7.00

Sailed Yesterday. C G M M liner Canadian Adventurer, Weyman, 1201, for Havana and Nassau.

CANADIAN PORTS. Halifax, April 9—Ard, strs Canadian Miller, Galsgow via Louisburg; Canada, Sld-Str Scheme, St John's, Nfld, and

FOREIGN PORTS. New York, April 9—Ard, strs Philadelphia, Southampton; Columbia, Glasgow; Toramina, Naples and Genoa; Bergensfjord, Christiania.

MARINE NOTES. The Camadian Government Merchant Marine steamer Canadian Adventurer, sailed at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Havana and Nassau, with general

for Havana and Nassau, with general cargo.

The C. P. O. S. liner Grampian will sail for London on Thursday.

A large number of people arrived in the city last night to take passage on the C. P. O. S. liner Empress of France, which will sail for Liverpool either today or tomorrow. Among the arrivals was Prince A. Boncomponi of Italy, who came through from the States where he had been on business. Other distinguished passengers who are to sail on the large liner are Sir William and Lady Price of Quebec, who are leaving on an extended trip to England and the continent.

Among the passengers who landed

Among the passengers who landed yesterday from the C. P. O. S. liner Scandinavian were forty boys from a Scotch orphanage home who are en

KEEPING UP WITH PRICES IS

SOME TASK In its summary of the iron, steel, metal nd 'machinery markets for the week

bungalows at this desirable summer colony. Fine large living-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. Veranda on front and side. Splendid large lot 150x 249.

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Telephone Main 2596

MOUNT Pleasant

Near Rockwood Park

For Sale—New house the aring completion, the aring completion, and carring completion, the aring completion, with prices firm. Nothing better can be a summer and machinery and Manufacturing News, Toronto, makes the following comment:

Keeping up with the prices is providing a merry time for a good many lines of trade moving now than a year ago in many of these lines, and this is bringing new problems never encountered before Here is a case in point? A large Toronto distributor has been in the habit of sending about \$4,000 a month, in business to a certain maker of pulleys. This year there has been an enormous demand for this line of equipment, and to this line of equipment,

outlook. Ample room for garden and garage.

The house contains large living-room with stone fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, sun porch, the posteries kitchen engages and of contains large living-room with stone fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, sun porch, the posteries kitchen engages and of contains lipid.

Several dealers from this district have been in the United States machine tool districts during the last few days. From reports there they can see nothing much better in sight in the way of deliveries or lowered prices. There are several lines that are now selling at from 18 to 20 per cent above the high prices that were asked during the war, and yet the state of trade is good enough to make it a fact that delivery and not price is still the deciding factor in the business.

The scrap metal market continues uninteresting. There is very little business moving.

desire, however, remember that your neighbor may have an eye as discriminating as yours. An antique in your house is a treasure; in a friend's house it might be an aggravation.

SAY FLOUR PRICE
SHOULD NOT GO
UP IN CANADA

Toronto, April 10—Flour is not due for an advance in price, according to prominent flour men of this city, even though the grain board has lifted the regulations fixing the price.
There is enough flour in the country at present, they say, to prevent an increase in price.

GREAT SHORTAGE
OF HOUSES IN

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston, April 10—Housing facilities in Massachusetts are a seent that 16 000

The second of the state of the comprehensive imperial steel and subputibiling combination in which the splendid natural resources of the dominion are to play an important part."

The BIG STEEL MERGER

Montreal, April 10—(By Canadian Press)—The Montreal Gazette says:

"It may now be stated more or less authoritatively that the long impending and much discussed consolidation of the two principal Canadian steel enterprises, the Dominion Steel Corporation and the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, Limited, is now close to the completion stage. A further extension to include Canada Steamship Lines and several Canadian shipbuilding enterprises is also embraced in the plans of the interests which conceived the scheme, which is one of the most ambitious in the history of Canadian industry. The ultimate ramifications of the enterprise, it is said, will lextend not only to Great Britain but to the outlying parts of the British Empire, including India and Australia, so that the developments here from a part of the comprehensive imperial steel and shipbuilding combination in which the splendid natural resources of the dominion are to play an important part." THE BIG STEEL MERGER

WIDE-AWAKE BRITISHERS British manufacturers, aided by the Imperial government, are not relaxing their offers to extend old export markets and to develop new ones. The announcement is now made that the government of Peru has granted permission to the British Charge d'Affaires for the use of one of the government buildings in which to install an exhibition of British

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