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COMMERCIAL

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Speculation was weak at the opening of the stock market today and prices crumbled away rapidly. Sensational losses were registered in all of the important stocks during the first ten minutes. There was a break of 5 points in N. Y. 2 1/2 in Can. Pac. 3/4 in U. S. 3/4 in B. & O. Amal. Copper and Colo. Fuel 1 3/4, 2 1/4 in Erie.

First and Brooklyn Trans. 2 1/4 in Reading and Atchafalpa, 2 in Sou. Pac. and H. and Smeltling, and considerably over a point for all other stocks. The market became feverish and unsettled, some stocks rallying strongly in supporting orders and others declining still further.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS

Chicago Market and New York Cotton Market.

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St. John, N. B., Aug. 12.


Cig. Op's Noon	Sat. Mon.
Amalg. Copper	74 1/2 75 1/2
Anacosta	47 1/2 48 1/2
Am. Sugar Rfrs.	113 113 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Hfg.	95 1/2 97 1/2
Am. Can Foundry	28 1/2 29 1/2
Atchafalpa	85 1/2 86 1/2
Am. Locomotive	23 1/2 24 1/2
Brook. Rfd. Trans.	10 1/2 11 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	93 1/2 94 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	33 1/2 34 1/2
Canadian Pacific	106 1/2 107 1/2
Chi. and G. West.	109 1/2 110 1/2
Colo. F. and Iron	25 1/2 26 1/2
Erie	22 1/2 23 1/2
Erie, First pfd.	51 1/2 52 1/2
Erie, Second pfd.	35 36
Kansas and Texas	34 1/2 35 1/2
Louis. and Nashville	106 1/2 107 1/2
Missouri Pacific	70 1/2 71 1/2
Nor. and Western	70 71
N. Y. Central	105 1/2 106 1/2
Ont. and Western	23 24
P. C. and Gas Co.	87 1/2 88 1/2
Reading	91 1/2 92 1/2
Sloss Sheffield	45 1/2 46 1/2
Pennsylvania	115 1/2 116 1/2
Rock Island	19 1/2 20 1/2
St. Paul	122 1/2 123 1/2
Soo	85 86
Southern Pacific	82 1/2 83 1/2
Northern Pacific	120 1/2 121 1/2
National Lead	50 1/2 51 1/2
Union Pacific	121 1/2 122 1/2
U. S. Steel	31 1/2 32 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	96 97
Total sales in New York Saturday	821,000 shares.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Sat. Mon. Cig. Op's Noon

Sept. corn	55 54 1/2
" wheat	87 1/2 88 1/2
" oats	45 44 1/2
Dec. corn	82 1/2 83 1/2
" wheat	92 1/2 93 1/2

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AMERICAN IN TRANCE IN A VILLAGE STREET

Found by Policeman, But Every Means Was Taken to Conceal His Identity.

PARIS, Aug. 10.—A policeman at St. Nom-la-Breche, a small place near Versailles, yesterday found a well-dressed man lying on the grass in front of the village church. He was lying at full length with his arms stretched out. His eyes were wide open but he could not speak. A doctor was called and pronounced that the stranger was in a cataleptic trance.

In the inside pocket of his jacket was an envelope bearing an American stamp and from which the name of the addressee had been carefully scratched. Underneath was "St. Nom-la-Breche, Montreal, Canada," all the letters after "St." having been scratched out. Inside the envelope was a half sheet of note paper bearing the following mysterious words:

"When you are in Paris only use what we give you the very last extremity and when you cannot do otherwise. Keep this card on your person as a means of establishing your identity."

In the waistcoat pocket were five coins of American currency, with a receipt for a trunk deposited at St. Lazare station on July 18 at 8 o'clock. The trunk had apparently been sent back to America.

The description of the mysterious stranger who was removed to the hospital at Germaine-en-Laye, is as follows: Age 25 to 30, dark complexion and dark mustache; wearing a dark lounge suit and straw hat, bought in Paris; patent leather boots; wearing Montreal bootmaker's name; red tie, no marks on linen. He was seen walking in the neighborhood of the church in the early morning.

WILD TIME THIS MORNING IN THE ASSYRIAN COLONY

(Continued from Page One.)

Fred Isaac's store and residence is on Brunswick street, and to a Star reporter at police headquarters this morning, he said that after the talk on Saturday nothing was done until this morning when, as he was leaving his house, he was struck on the head with a club in the hands of Thomas Simon. This his brother Anthony came to his rescue, having been informed that Fred was being murdered, and then in which many participated, and he did not know who inflicted the blow on Sullivan or the others. Isaac's professed not to know what the trouble was about, and wished as little publicity as possible over the affair.

The Star made a visit to the colony, and from those who live in the vicinity of the fight, a different story was given out by Fred Isaac's is told.

There has been bad blood for some time between Fred Isaac and Thomas Simon, they say, and the two had some words on Saturday. It usually happens that Thomas Simon and his 14 year old brother, Raymond, leave home at 6 o'clock in the morning to go to work, and the latter is the water works at seven o'clock, but it is not customary for Fred Isaac to be on the street at that time. The principal concern was on Brunswick street. It is claimed that Isaac's to be waiting for Simons on Erin street, and as the latter came along he was assaulted with a club.

John Sullivan, who also works on the water works, was with Isaac, and he was a general mix-up and cries of murder rent the air. Clubs were swung and stones were hurled through the air. Mrs. Sadie Thomas, who is a sister of Thomas Simon, rushed in her night clothes to her brother's assistance, only to receive a deep cut over the left temple, from which blood streamed down her face. She sank unconscious to the muddy street. Mrs. Sullivan, also in night attire, rushed to the street and dragged her husband out of the fray. Neighbors who were engaged in the affair were covered with blood and the sight was a bad one. Nearly every resident work in the colony was alarmed and the street was almost blocked by an excited crowd of Assyrians of both sexes. The fight was stopped and the injured taken away to be cared for. In the meantime a busy call was sent to central police station and Call Officer Scott, with Policeman McCollum and Sgt. Campbell hastened to the scene. When they arrived there the fight was over, but there was an excited crowd about and they made the arrests of those mentioned previously.

Dr. T. H. Lunney was summoned and dressed the wounds of the injured. He found Mrs. Thomas with a deep star-shaped cut over her left temple. She was obliged to retire to bed, in no condition at the time to be placed under arrest. Her brother, Thomas Simon, has a badly bruised left shoulder. Fred Isaac's head is cut open on top of the crown, three inches long. Anthony Isaac's is cut on the right side of the forehead, three stitches being required to close up the wound. At the police station it was found on examination of John Sullivan that his arm was broken between the elbow and the wrist. Dr. Lunney ordered his removal to the hospital where he was conveyed by Sergeant Campbell. The injuries to the Isaacs brothers, John Sullivan and Thomas Simon are said to have been done with clubs, while Mrs. Thomas' injuries are the result of a rock.

Thomas Simon's dinner can was used freely in the fight and was all battered up.

When the prisoners were arraigned in court this morning the majority of the colony were present. All of the prisoners pleaded not guilty and E. S. Ritchie is retained to look after the interests of John Sullivan.

Owing to the fact of Mrs. Thomas

FRANCE TRAINS CREWS FOR AERIAL WARSHIPS

Premier and War Minister Made Fun of for Their Journey in the Clouds.

PARIS, Aug. 10.—Ministers generally do not seem anxious to imitate the example of M. Clemenceau and General Picquart, who were passengers in the sixth aerial voyage of the Patrie on Monday last.

The premier has had to submit to a good deal of Opposition chaff in consequence of his journey to cloudland. What would have happened to the country if M. Clemenceau had not come back? Did France run the risk of a coup d'etat while the premier and the head of the army department were in the air? These are some of the journalistic pleasantries which have been hurled upon M. Clemenceau.

But findings of this kind does not affect the premier. He had been up in a captive balloon, but never before in a dirigible, and both he and M. Picquart are greatly impressed with the possibilities of the aerial fleet, on the lines of the Patrie, which, as pointed out in the Daily Chronicle a week ago, France contemplates building.

M. Berteaux, ex-minister of war and chairman of the army budget commission made several trips in the Lebaudy last year, when he carried out her trials in the neighborhood of the eastern frontier, and he is an ardent supporter of the scheme for increasing France's aerial fleet.

Yesterday M. Clemenceau had a long chat with M. Juliet, the constructor of the Lebaudy and Patrie and warmly congratulated him on giving to France what experts agree is the most perfect type of dirigible yet designed.

The Patrie is not to go on her frontier station at Verdun for the moment. She is still at the balloon park at Mendon, where she is employed in the training of the crews of the future airships, and in this connection she will make a series of ascents weekly.

M. Clemenceau contemplates making another ascent shortly, this time with M. Thomson, minister of marine. Some of M. Fallieres' intimate friends suggested that he should go on a presidential tour of the Patrie, but M. Fallieres is said to have reported that he will think about it when his term of office had expired.

BICYCLES AND DOGS IN MIMIC WARFARE

Kaiser Wilhelm to Introduce Unique Innovations Into Army Manoeuvres.

BERLIN, Aug. 10.—Great interest attaches to the detailed announcement just made regarding the military manoeuvres to take place in the province of Posen from September 15 to September 21, which the Kaiser will attend. The manoeuvres will be unique, inasmuch as many modern improvements and recent innovations in the technique of waging war will be subjected to an exhaustive trial.

According to information received from a well-known source, the new military airship will take an active part in the manoeuvres, as was arranged some time ago. By way of experiment, the airship will also play an entirely new role, being used not only for reconnoitering purposes, but also for active offensive warfare, executing surprise attacks on infantry and cutting communications. By way of experiment, they will be provided with machine guns.

Dogs will be largely employed on patrol and intelligence service. Wireless telephony will be extensively tested, with the view of ascertaining its importance in warfare. Another interesting instance will be the less important role played by cavalry, owing to the substitution of cyclists.

A conspicuous part will be played by armor-clad towers containing revolving cannon and quick-firing guns. The troops will be called upon to meet many difficulties similar to those presented at Port Arthur. Great importance will be attached to the laying out of mine fields and the construction of bridges by railway troops, who will be supplemented by a company of railway workers from Bavaria.

On the last day of the manoeuvres an attack will be made on the fortress of Gumburg, which the emperor will lead a person.

NEW COMET IS NOW PLAINLY VISIBLE

For the first time in many years, a bona-fide, full-sized comet in full view of all who care to look at it. What is more, another one is on the way to out of the heavens, and while of section of the heavens, will be even more carefully inspected by Canadian astronomers.

The comet at present visible, and plainly visible, even to the naked eye, between the Zeta star in the constellation of Taurus, and the Alpha star in Orion.

Its tail is several degrees in length, and even the nucleus of the head is visible without a glass, although a pair of opera or field binoculars are a great help in looking at it.

Officially, its location is given as near star 126, Flamsteed's number, about 5 h. 45 m. right ascension, and 15 degrees north declination.

At the Dominion Observatory in Ottawa, the observers are at present busily engaged in photographing the comet, which has been identified as the "Daniel's Comet" (1907 Alpha) which was discovered in June.

The comet is continuing to grow brighter for some little time. The best hour to observe it is in the early morning, about three o'clock, when its position is due east and the elevation is about 20 or 25 degrees above the horizon.

MAGEE'S FUR OPENING

A Star reporter attended the fur opening in D. Magee's Sons up-to-date establishment on King street this forenoon and found the spacious upper floor a bower of palms, croton plants and cut blossoms, while the floors were richly laid in Oriental rugs and the fixtures and casings enlarged and renewed. In and about the room are extensive showings of the very newest styles in small and garment furs were exhibited. In all, an array of the goods, bewildering in its richness and aggregating a cost of thousands upon thousands of dollars.

A passing description would include such conspicuously fine pieces as a full length coat in Persian lamb, Russian sable coat of whole skin, cream caracul evening coat with ermine tails and lace insertion, handsome broadcloth evening coat in crimson; seal skin and Persian lamb jackets, cut in the newest models; muffs in prevailing shapes, neck pieces, etc., in mink, stone marten and all the other high grade furs. A particularly striking garment was a motor coat of grey squirrel with ermine tails.

Miss Stanton, the consulting saleslady, was very busy during the forenoon, demonstrating the new modes to visitors, not only local people, but touring Americans. The opening will be continued for several days, marking the commencement of the busy season for the Magee house.

VIENNA MUSICIAN COMING TO NEW YORK

VIENNA, Aug. 12.—Gustav Mahler, the famous director of the Vienna Imperial Opera House, will in a few months introduce himself to the musical public of America, manager Conrad having engaged him as musical director of the Metropolitan Opera House of New York. The prospective departure of Herr Mahler has created a distinct sensation in musical circles as he has established a reputation for surpassing genius as a conductor such as has not been known in Vienna before.

The exact time of Herr Mahler's departure for America is not yet fixed.

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MUSIC HALL STARS TO BE RULED BY TRUST

Paris Agent Believes Salaries are Too High, and Takes Steps to Lower Them.

PARIS, Aug. 10.—While Messrs. Klaw and Erlanger are talking over their Music Hall Trust, a number of other theatrical managers have formed one which controls the principal halls in all the important cities of continental Europe.

H. B. Marinelli, the well-known music hall agent, who was the originator of the scheme, spoke if its object last evening. Associated with him in the trust are Percy G. Williams, who represents a combination known as the United Booking Office of America, in which the firms of Keith, Proctor, Hammerstein and the Orpheum Association are partners; M. Ruez, who owns the Folies Bergere, the Olympia, Parisiana and Printania Music Halls; Mr. Steiner, of the Berlin Winter Garden; Mr. Brill, of the Bonaparte in Vienna, and other managers of music halls in Dresden, Copenhagen, Munich, Budapest, Frankfurt, Cologne and all the lesser towns of Germany, several Swiss managers and managers in Amsterdam, Brussels, Rome, Naples, St. Petersburg and the towns of provincial France.

Mr. Marinelli declared: "Our object is a simple one. Music hall artists have been paid far too much lately. There is a rush for talent, but talent, even when it gets a high salary dislikes a long rest. It therefore occurred to me that a powerful combine that could insure long engagements for good 'turns' might be able to get those good 'turns' at a far cheaper rate than those at which they are now obtainable."

Mr. Marinelli is not represented in our combination yet, but I hope to number some of the leading London halls and many of the provincial ones in it before long.

MUCH DAMAGE DONE BY YESTERDAY'S STORM

One Man Killed in the West—Fire Caused by Lightning at St. George

A barn owned by Mrs. Moses Parks at St. George was struck by lightning during yesterday's storm and was set afire. The flames spread to Mrs. Parks' house, and this structure was soon ablaze. Another barn caught and it was evident that to save a section of the town, a hard fight with the flames would have to be put up. Many men were seen on the scene, and after several hours' hard work the fire was out.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 11.—A heavy electrical storm passed over the city this afternoon and the lightning was very sharp. A house on York St. opposite the Alms house, owned by Mrs. Fleet was struck, and the whole end of the building torn out. No one was injured. The escape of some of the inmates was miraculous. Two other buildings were also struck, but no serious damage resulted. The fire alarm was also badly shattered and for a time was rendered useless.

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., Aug. 12.—The culmination of two days heavy rain came Saturday afternoon in which from two in the afternoon until four o'clock the next morning, this district was swept by the worst storm of years. As a result of the storm one man is dead, two are in a critical condition, the spire of the Roman Catholic church is torn to pieces. The large new warehouse of the John King Company is injured and a dwelling house on Wiley avenue partly destroyed. The man is Mat Pisania, a Finlander. In company with two companions he was on his way from the freight sheds about six o'clock Saturday night when a bolt of lightning killed him instantly. His two companions were thrown to the ground, and when found were unconscious. One of them remained in this condition for several hours.

About 12:30 on Saturday night the storm came again in a worse fury than in the afternoon. Telephone and electric lights were put out of business at the same time, and the injury to the telephone system is very heavy.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 12.—This city was the centre of a terrific electrical storm Saturday evening, but while the lightning was fearful very little damage has been reported. Rain, however, fell in great quantities, and the size of the hail stones were about half the size of hens eggs, but fortunately were not heavy enough to make the damage general to vegetation.

INDIAN SEDITIONISTS IN ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

Boycott of English Goods Urged as Means of Retaliation Upon Oppressors.

SIMLA, Aug. 12.—The Indian seditionists are now developing further mischief. Speaking at Calcutta, a native named Abul Hossain congratulated his hearers upon the expected closing of various Manchester mills which manufacture for the Indian market. He said that they must continue to buy English goods in such a way as completely to paralyze the commercial life of England, and declared that it will be "a bright day" when, "owing to the exclusive boycott of English goods, English laborers will be thrown out of work, and maddened by hunger will run up and down the streets of London crying for bread."

Wild talk of this kind, sedulously propagated from one end of India to the other, is so greatly shaking confidence in native subordinates that the necessity is becoming more and more evident of materially increasing the European element in those branches of the public service responsible for the maintenance of law and order, and reform which the prosperous condition of the finances of India fortunately abundantly justifies.

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BRITISH PICTURES FOR AUSTRALIA'S GAZE

Scheme Originated in Antipodes to Have Art Exhibition in Melbourne.

MELBOURNE, Aug. 11.—Encouraged by the success of some small exhibitions of the work of individual artists, a scheme was conceived in Victoria, by which early next year there is to be held in Melbourne a great exhibition of British pictures. A representative committee in Victoria, which includes all the leading public men and merchants, and which has Miss Bors as honorary secretary, H. Murray Smith as chairman, and Joshua Lake (a local art critic) as manager, has already secured a guarantee fund of \$8750 out of which transport and exhibiting expenses will be paid; and at the moment of writing Mr. Lake is on his way to London.

Under the title of "The British Art Gallery," three previous picture exhibitions have been held in Melbourne in conjunction with the Royal Anglo-Australian Society of Artists in London. The first, in 1890, was taken on to Sydney and Adelaide; the second, in 1892, was confined to Melbourne and was held in the exhibition building; the third, in 1894, was held in the Melbourne National Gallery, and afterwards in Adelaide. All three gave the greatest satisfaction and delight to the Australian public. There were, the Melbourne Argus points out, over 30,000 visitors to each, and purchases to the amount of about \$50,000 were made by the national galleries and by private citizens.

DROWNING AT HAMILTON.

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 12.—Through the accidental upsetting of a skiff on the Bay on Saturday afternoon, a young man was drowned, and his step-brother, Joseph Johnson, had a very narrow escape from a similar fate, being rescued in a very exhausted condition, having been in water for nearly half an hour with his clothes on.