Attempt to Force Offensive on the Daily News, he says: Both Sides of River.

BOMBARDMENT BROADENS

Heavy Artillery Work on Wide Area East of the Meuse.

PARIS, June 9 .- The crown prince is attempting to launch an offensive at Verdun on both sides of the Meuse, now extending from a point west of Hill 304 to the region of Danloups on the east of the river, a distance of nearly ten miles.

Since the general attack on the right bank, which culminated in the loss of a French trench between Thiaumont farm and Cailletto wood, there has been no infantry assault, but the artilbombardment has been incessant and has extended over a wide area. Four attacks were made today about Hill 304, two on the west and two on the southwest. Although liquid fire was used the enemy was unable make progress, owing to the effective French curtain of fire and the fire of the mitrallieuses. Official Statement.

Tonight's official report says: "On the left bank of the Meuse the Germans during the day several times attacked our positions on Hill 304. Two attacks to the west of the hill and two others to the southwest, which accompanied by projections of our mitrailleuses.

"On the right bank of the Meuse in all of the region to the south of

There is nothing particular to re-

NO MORE CONTRACTS FOR AMERICANS, SAYS AN ENGLISH DIRECTOR

At Home To Carry the Nation Through.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, June 10 .- American manufacturers will receive no more ammunition contracts from England, according to T. H. Curtis, a director in the firm of Curtis & Hardy, English manufacturers of explosives, who came here yesterday on the Finland. Mr. Curtis said his firm, with twelve factories in turning out 200 tons of ammunition partment of agriculture under the provi-About 10,000 women are employed in the plants.

"England is making all her own am-nunition now," continued the powder manufacturer, "and has enough in sight will award no more contracts in the TELEGRAPHER ACQUITTED to carry her to the end of the war. She United States. Among other reasons, the prices here are extremely high and uncertain. The military authorities are preparing for another

MOBILIZE ALL ELIGIBLES, SAY CONGREGATIONALISTS

Meeting of Canadian Union Asks Government to Effect This Somehow.

[Canadian Press.] Sherbrooke, Que., June 9.-Mobilization of all men eligible for military service by national registration, or by conscription, or any other method deemed advisable, and organization of all material resources, in order that the war may be brought to a successfu finish, were called for in a resolution adopted unanimously in the closing session this afternoon of the meeting of the Congregational Union of Canada, and directed to the attention of the Dominion Government. After its adoption the assembly rose and sang "God Save the King."

APOLOGIZES TO GERARD

Von Westarp Takes Back Statement as To Peace Interview.

[Canadlan Press.] Berlin, June 9-Via London, June 10. -Count Friedrich Von Westarp, Conaccepted the statement of American Ambassador Gerard that the interview regarding peace which the ambassador was alleged to have given to a representative of the National Zeitung was a fabrication. As a consequence, Count Westarp today published a statement withdrawing criticisms on the American policy which he made in the Reichstag, and which were based on the alleged inter-

JAP STEAMER LOST

Only Twenty-One Seamen Are Reported Saved.

NEW YORK, June 9 .- A dispatch to any boy is dismissed or given his disthe Hearst papers from Nagaski, Japan | charge, the case is to be turned over to Maru has foundered with heavy loss of life. Only 21 seamen were saved."

The supervisor, so that, by an interior indefatigable letter writer of all the life. Only 21 seamen were saved."

Oats—July
Sept.

HELD UP DYE CARGO. [Canadian Press.]

Berlin, June 10-By Wireless to Say--"The Dutch newspaper Handelsblad says the British compelled the captains of several Dutch steamships encouraging him to save. unload aniline dyes in their cargoes before permitting the vessels to proceed to the Dutch Indies," says the Overseas News Agency. "The dyes were needed for English industries. Great Britain had promised to let them pass, although they were manufactured of a merchant marine by chartering the in Germany. It is reported the British steamer Allaguash and placing her unjustify their action by asserting that a former cargo of dyes reached undesir-

WHAT BERLIN SAYS.

BERLIN, June 9 .- Via London, 8:15 p.m .- The following official communi-

cation was issued today: "This morning off the Flanders coast there was an artillery fight between country. outpost boats and enemy monitors and destroyers at long range. Several of our salvos were observed to have had good effect. The enemy then with-German forces were not damaged.

drew in the direction of Dunkirk. The ple, cashier of the United States treas-During the afternoon a French battle air boat was shot down by one of Abraham Lincoln, and was appointed our aeroplanes. The occupants were teller in the treasury department during captured by one of our submarines." Mr. Lincoln's administration.

KITCHENER BELIEVED WAR WAS NEAR END

[Canadian Press.] New York, June 10 .- A special cable to the World from London says: Lord Kitchener looked for an early close of the war, according to A, G. Gardiner. In an article published by

"I am told on good authority that a few days before the end which came upon him so swiftly and silently, Lord Kitchener said he had revised his estimate of the duration of the war. He had calculated that it would last three excessive, and looked for an earlier Gloucester Men Make a Raid close. The enormous impetus of events during the past few days gives force to the prediction. There is on all sides a feeling of the eminence of final things."

TWO POMMERNS SENT TO THE BOTTOM BY BRITISH WARSHIPS

Battleship Torpedoed in Baltic and Cruiser in Great Jutland Fight.

[Canadlan Press.]

ship Pommern, which was sunk in the engaging various enemy positions sucbattle off Jutland, was not the battle-ship of that name, but a recently-com-short bombardments at numerous points pleted battle cruiser, according to a Co- behind our front line between the Yprespenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Comines Canal and the Ypres-Roulers Potatoes, retail 200 Telegraph Exchange, says a sea cap- road. tain who is a frequent visitor to German ports. The battleship, which was completed in 1905, was torpedoed in the captain.

the bombardment has been very heavy in all of the region to the south of Associated Press that the Pommern "Mine warfare continues in the the Thiaumont farm, in the Chapitr- which was sunk in the great naval bat- of the Hohenzollern Redoubt near Hulwood, in the Fumin wood, and in the tle was a new capital ship. They point luch, south of Neuville-St. Vaast and Spinach, per bushed to the south of Damloup. No out that the commander of a submarine northeast of Albert. In the last 24 Hay nor the south of Damloup. sector to the south of Danhoup. At the tast the commander of a submarine horneast of Albert. In the last 24 infantry attack took place during the reported that he had torpedoed the old hours we have exploded successfully six battleship Pommern in July, 1915, and mines. by survivors of the battle who were and a small defensive mine with trifling landed wearing her cap band.

The sinking of a German battleship in ounced in the House in July, 1915. It out interference." as believed to have been the Pommern, t this was promptly denied by the rman Government. Following the Jutand battle the German admiralty issued a statement denying that the Pommerr

England Has Enough in Sight SEIZURE OF BARLEY INTENDED FOR ALLIES

ported to have been intended for the Entente Allies in Greece was seized yesterday by United States Marshal Power. Secretary of Agriculture Houston ordered the seizure. The consignment is on the Greek Line steamship Iossifoglu, which will sail within the next few days. Seizure of the barley was made fol-England and one in Montreal, was lowing a report of inspectors of the desions of the food and drug act. The inspectors allege the barley is only 65 per cent pure, being mixed with oats, wheat, seeds, dirt and other substances.

Admits That Fatal Accident Was Due to His Negligence.

MONTREAL, June 9 .- William Menard, who was a telegraph operator at the South Durham Station on the SOME RECIPIENTS OF Grand Trunk Railway on February 28 last, when Wilfrid Gagoon, a fireman, was fatally injured in a collision, was tried at the court of King's Bench today for manslaughter and acquitted. Menard admitted that it was through

The sudden rise in the economic value of the boy, the competition for his services, and the high wages he is paid, have made many of his kind less amenable to discipline than ever. The workers' welfare department of

the ministry of munitions, which has servative leader in the Reichstag, has been studying the boy problem in its new phases, finds that the chief complaints are these:

It is proposed that the supervisor

shall look after the general working conditions so far as they affect the health and comfort of the boy. Before papers from Nagaski, Japan
Japanese steamer Oyo
the supervisor, so that, by an interputation of being the most voracious reader and of

cause of the trouble. It is intended also that the super- Kent recently that during the war more visor shall be told the wages each boy earns, which will enable him to appreparcels had been sent to the troops in ciate the boy's financial position in his home, and devise the best means for weighed about 1,500 tons a week. In ad-

SWISS HAVE A NAVY.

[Canadian Press.] New York, June 10 .- Although Switzerland is without a seaport, that country has at least established the nucleus der Swiss registry. Flying the Swiss flag, the Allaguash left here yesterday flag, the Allaguash left here yesterday presidency of the International Asso-for Cette, France, loaded with grain ciation of Police Chiefs at the closing Oct. and other foodstuffs intended for Switzpelled to adopt this method of obtaining | Kansas City, Mo. imports because of the shortage in ocean transportation and the difficulty in obtaining food from any European

JAMES A. SEMPLE DEAD.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, June 10 .- James A. Semury, died suddenly here last night, aged 72 years. He was a personal friend of

ENEMY POSITIONS ABOUT YPRES ARE SHELLED BY BRITISH

Says Official Report.

CAPTURE MACHINE GUN

on the German Trenches.

LONDON, June 10.-1:58 a.m.-The following British official communication

was issued early this morning: "Last night (Thursday) a party belonging to the Gloucester Regiment entered the enemy trenches south of Neuve Chapelle, and after successfully attacking the garrison, captured a machine gun. Otherwise there were no

infantry actions "Yesterday (Thursday) afternoon our heavy artillery destroyed the railway station of Salome, east of La Bassee, setting a train afire and damaging the Good results also were obtained track. against strong positions behind the enemy lines north of Hulluch.

"Today (Friday) there was much London, June 10 .- The German war- artillery fighting east of Ypres, our guns

Bomb Enemy Trenches "South of Amentieres we effectively bombarded the enemy's trenches east of our curtain of fire and the fire of Baltic in July, 1915, according to the Laventie. South of La Bassee Canal Admiralty officials here have expressed we destroyed an enemy trench mortar,

"Mine warfare continues in the areas The enemy sprung a mine this report, they claim, was confirmed without damage or casualties to us,

"There was aerial activity yesterday (Thursday), but no combats, our Baltic by a British submarine was machines doing successful work with-

FAMOUS SEA CAPTAIN

His Rescue of Danmark's Passengers Subject of Painting.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 9.-Capt. BALTIMORE, Md., June 9.—Capt.
Wm. F. Murrell, whose rescue of 733 Hogs, per cwt.......10 00 passengers and crew off the steamer Fat sows, cwt. 7 50 [Canadian Press.]

New York, June 10.—A shipment of 198,875 bushels of adulterated barley re
Danmark, in 1889, was the subject of Small pigs, pair.....12 00

Export cattle, cwt.... 8 00

Milch cows, each....75 00

Poultry, Dressed, 54 years old.

The steamer Missouri, commanded by Capt. Murrell, left London March 28, On April 5 the steamer Danmark from Old fowl, per lb..... Copenhagen in distress was sighted. When she started to sink Capt. Murrell threw his cargo into the sea and where he had had room for but twenty passengers on the Missouri, every one of the 733 passengers and crew of the

On his return to Europe Capt. Murell was feted in many places. The King of Denmark presented him with the the Order of Knighthood and the insignia of the Order of Danneborg and he received a personal letter of ommendation from Prince Bismarck.

PATRIOTIC FUND ARE CALLED EXTRAVAGANT

ever before, are reckless and spend-thrifts.

The association has empowered the relief committee to keep some tab on the extravagance of these people, and, if it is judged proper, to withdraw this relief and thus try to encourage econrelief, and thus try to encourage econ-

and thriftless in spending them.

Believing that the boy needs, aside from the formal factory control, kindly supervision and guidance, it has been lecided to appoint supervisors, to be add by the management of each of the 100 odd munitions factories.

It is proposed that the control, and extravagant with children, \$10 per month on her own account, and \$3 per month on her own account, and \$3 per month for each child under 14; the maximum for any family to be \$25. All members of the association were present, Judge Boles, Colonels Atkinson, Aiken and Donly, Mayor Williamson, Frank T. The control of the growing crop.

Liverpool, June 10.—Wheat—Spot was steady; No. 1 Manitoba, 10s 3d; No. 2 red western winter, 10s 3d.

Corn—Spot easier; American mixed.

Red deal for the growing crop.

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weighed about 1,500 tons a week, In addition, about 800,000 books and maga- | Sept. zines were being distributed week by week, and on behalf of the troops he July appealed for even more to be handed in. Sept.

POLICE CHIEFS' ELECTION. NEWARK, N. J., June 9 .- Michael T. Long, local chief of police, defeated William J. Peterson, chief of police of Oakland, Cal., by nine votes for the presidency of the International Assosession of the chiefs' convention today. The 1917 convention will be held in

SUNK BY MINE.

London, June 10—10:35 a.m.—A Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam says that a trawler has brought to that port 32 sailors, the crew of the Norwegian steamer

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Minneapolis, June 10.—Wheat—Close
—July, \$1 10%; September, \$1 10%. Erkendal, which was sunk by a mine. A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen says the Swedish bark Heidi has been sunk by a Neither the Erkendal nor the Heidi

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Despite the threatening appearance of the weather today there was a good market, many farmers coming in with a wide variety of produce, and there was a good turnout of city people. The bad weather during the week was responsible for poor markets, with the sponsible for poor markets, with the responsible for poor markets and the responsible for poor markets and the responsible for poor markets and the market, many farmers coming in with Successful Bombardment, a wide variety of produce, and there result that there was a brisk local de- pails, 76s; do, boxes, 73s. mand for garden produce. Although the demand was good, few changes in prices were noted, the large supply o produce offsetting the tendency of prices

to rise caused by the demand. Vegetables, with few exceptions, wer firm and the demand was brisk. Asparagus sold at as high as 75c per dozen. Potatoes sold readily at \$2 retail and \$1.90 wholesale. British Columbia potatoes sold at \$1.75. Rhubarb was plentiful at 20c per dozen. Some farmers asked 25c for rhubarb, but the usual price was 20c. Dressed hogs were higher, selling at from \$14.50 to \$14.75 per cwt. During

Wednesday hogs were quoted at the same price as they are today. Yesterday they were 25c lower. Retail, butter was firm, but wholesale it was selling at a slight rise in price, being quoted at 23 1/2 to 24c per pound.

the week dressed hogs have been chang-

ing prices by about 25c per day. On

Grain, Per Cwt.
Oats, per cwt.....\$1 70
Barley, per cwt..... 1 35
Wheat, per cwt.... 1 59
Grain, Per Bushel. to \$1 to 1 to 1 Vegetables.
Potatoes, wholesale.. 1 90 Potatoes, per peck.. Beets, per bu..... Cabbages, per doz...
Green onions, doz...
Dry onions, bu..... thubarb, per doz.... Celery, per doz...... Celery, 3 heads..... Hay and Straw. Hay, per ton......19 00 to Straw, per ton......8 00 to Dairy Produce, Retail.

Butter, creamery, lb. Butter, dairy, lb rolls. Butter, creamery, lb.
Butter, rolls, lb.....
Butter, store lots, lb. Eggs, crate, doz. Poultry, Alive, Wholesale. Young chickens, lb... Old towl, lb....... 15 to Wholesalers to Farmers.

Butter, dairy, lb. Butter, crocks, Ib. Eggs, basket, doz...
Eggs, crate, doz...
Chickens, per lb....
Old fowl, per lb.... Live fowl, per lb

16 to 13 to Fruit. Apples, per bu Butchers' Meats. Dressed hogs, cwt...14 50 Veal, per cwt......13 00 Beef, per cwt......14 00 Mutton, per cwt.....13 09 Cow beef, cwt......10 00 Spring lamb, lb..... 18 Spring lamb, lb..... 18
Hides and Skins.

Cow hides, No. 1.... 18 Cow hides, No. 2.... 17 Lambskins, per lb.... Calfskins, per lb.... 26 to

GRAIN. Winnipeg, June 9 .- There was a big Winnipeg, June 9.—There was a big buil market in grain today. Wheat closed 2% to 2% c higher, oats 4c to 4% c higher, and flax 3% c to 4% c higher. May wheat closed at the highest point of the day. There was very good buying of futures, and a fair percentage was for foreign account. Exporters bought and reported a modest amount of business placed at seaboard.

Other was good throughout the Burt, com.

Menard admitted that it was through his negligence that the collision occurred. He was sick and suffering from grippe, he said, and overlooked giving an order for the train on which Gagnon was fireman to stop at Lisgar Station to pass another train. The accused had a good record.

A NEW BOY PROBLEM

Social Supervision Needed For Lads in Munitions Plants.

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[Canadian Press.]

London, June 10.—A new boy problem brought about by the war has created a field for male experts in social work in England—that of acting as supervisors for the thousands of boys employed on munitions work throughout the country. The sudden rise in the economic value every before, are reckless and spend-nown money than the content of the sudden rise in the economic value every before, are reckless and spend-nown money than a content of the feed, 574, No. 5, 384; feed, 874.

Norfolk Association Will Watch for Such Instances—Grants

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omy and thrift. It must be said, however, that the number of persons in this class, are comparatively few as compared with the saving ones.

Chicago, June 10.—Unresponsive foreign markets today turned wheat prices here down-grade. Besides, weather conditions in the Southwest were said to

the association were present, Judge Boles, Colonels Atkinson, Aiken and Donly, Mayor Williamson, and Mr. Frank Reid.

TOMMY A BIG READER. [Canadian Press.]

New York, June 10.—A dispatch to the Times from London says:

The Times from London says:

Tommy Atkins has got the reputation Dec.

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The Reid CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. [Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Steel of Canada, com. Steel of Canada, pfd. Steel of Ca

38 % 40 % CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

Winnipeg, June 10.
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High. Low. Close.
1 13½ \$1 13½ \$1 11½ \$1 11%
Oct. . . 1 09½ 1 09½ 1 07% 1 07%
Oats— Flax-1 60% 1 62% July Sept.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET. Thomson & McKinnon.] June 10.—Wheat—Close FLOUR.
June 10.—Flour—Winter

Liverpool, June 10.—Hops (in London) GROWTH REPORTED BY
-Pacific coast, £4 15s@5 15s. Liverpool, June 10.—Hams—Short

DAIRY.
Liverpool June 10.—Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, 97s; do, colored, new, 97s.

Turpentine Spirits—44s 3d.

Turpentine Spirits—44s 3d.
Rosin—Common, 20s.
Petroleum—Refined, 1s 1¼d.
Linseed Oil—41s 6d.
Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot,
5s 6d.

active and unchanged.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market unsettled; light, \$8 80@9 45; mixed, \$9 05@9 55; heavy, \$9@9 60; roughs, \$9@9 15; pigs, \$6 85@9 35; bulk of sales at \$3 30@9 50. \$\square\$ 50. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; market weak; wethers, \$7.08 25; lambs, native, \$7.70@ 10.35; spring lambs, \$8.25@11.25.

shorts.
Liverpool buying was the main feature, however. Moreover Liverpool stocks continue to decrease. The total there of all kinds is only 659,000 bales, a decrease for the week of 18,000 bales, against the total stocks a year ago of 1,708,000 bales, and two years ago 972,-

Included in the above are 519,000 of American against 1,436,000 last year, and 769,000 two years ago. Cool nights were also reported in parts of Texas, South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi and Georgia

NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE.
[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]
New York, June 10.
Open. High. Low. Close.
January13.15 13.24 13.15 13.20 13.43 13.50 13.43 .12.73 13.00 12.90

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, June
Asked.

La Rose Mines
Mackay, com.
Mackay, pfd.

Mackay, com.
Mackay, pfd.
Maple Leaf, com.
Maple Leaf, pfd.
Montreal Power
Monarch, com.
Monarch, pfd.
Nipissing Mines
Nova Scotia Steel
Pacific Burt, com.
Pacific Burt, pfd.
Penmans, pfd.

Quebec L., H. & P. 29% Quebec L., H. & P. 29% Sawyer-Massey,

Imperial Bank
Merchants' Bank
Bank of Nova Scotia... Ottawa Bank Koal Bank 226
Standard Bank 226
Bank of Tennot

UNFILLED STEEL ORDERS. New York, June 10.—The unfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation on May 31 stood at 9,937,798 tons, an increase of 108,247 tons compared with those on April 29, according to the nonthly statement issued today Monthly statement issued today.

Although the total was far under expectations in steel circles, this is the fourth record established for unfilled orders by the corporation this year. The last previous high record stood at 9,829,551 tons on April 29.

STRIKING FIGURES IN THE MERCRANTS BANK

Assets of Great Institution Now Exceed \$96,000,000.

STRONG LIQUID RATIO

Heavy Investment in Govern ment and Other Gilt-Edged Securities.

ended April 29, affords a striking evi-## 450@12.

Hogs—Receipts, 2.500 head; active:
heavy and mixed, \$9 75@9 80; yorkers,
\$9 25@9 75; pigs, \$9@9 25; roughs, \$8 25
@8 40; stags, \$6@7.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 600 head; inclination to save in the community The balance-sheet now accounts for no less than \$96,361,363 of assets, an increase of more than ter millions in the year, and of thirteen millions in the two years since April, 1914, and this increase is wholly due to the very rapid growth of the deposits and note circulation of the bank. terest-bearing deposits are higher by five million dollars, non-interest deposit by four and a half millions, and circulation by more than a million. Against these increased liabilities

the public, the bank holds unprecedented reserves of liquid assets. Its cash and equivalent-to-cash items exceed 20 millions, added to which there are more than 20 millions of gilt-edged securities and call loans, bringing the total liquid reserve up to \$40,960,486, as compared with \$32,086,572 in 1915, and \$24,923,404 in 1914 (before the war). The bank now holds over five millions of Canadian Government and municipal securities, of which more than four millions were acquired during the year, along with five millions of railway and other securities, and nearly eight millions of call loans, all of which constitute not only an excellent liquid asset, but a very good source of revenue. Commercial loans are nearly a million

and a half greater than a year ago, but are still a long way from the pre-war figures. Profits for the year were in onsequence considerably below the rate of two years ago, but they amply sufficed for the payment of the regular dividend after meeting all requirements in the way of taxes, donations, and contingency appropriations. The directors and the general manager have succeeded in keeping the bank in a post tion of great strength.

October ... 12.90 13.00 12.90 12.97
November ... 13.06 13.17 13.06 13.14

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, June 9.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady; June, 8.14d; June and July, 8.09½; July and August, 8.06d; August and September, 7.99d; September and October, 7.92d; October and November, 7.84½d; November and December, 7.79¾d; December and Denderment, 7.79¾d; December and Juny, 7.76½d; January and February, 7.76½d; January and February, 7.76½d; January and March, 7.73¾d; March and April, 7.72½d; April and May, 7.71½d; May and June, 7.70½d; June and July, 7.70½d.

Cotton — Spot, moderate request; prices weak; American middling, fair, 9.14d; good middling, 8.58d; middling, fair, 9.14d; good middling, 8.58d, middling, fair, 9.14d; good middling, 8.58d; mi WALL STREET WEEKLY REVIEW 9.14d; good middling, 8.24d; good ordin8.42d; low middling, 8.24d; good ordinary, 7.88d; ordinary, 7.58d. The sales
of the day were 7,000 bales, of which
1,500 were for speculation and export,
and included 4,800 American. Receipts
were 8,000 bales, including 4,900 American.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

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Coppers and metals in general were Coppers and metals in general were little more than steady, despite the declaration of many larger dividends, warranted by vastly increased earnings. Miscellaneous shares were mostly higher, but their advance, with few exceptions, faled to enlist outside interest. Foreign developments contributed to firmer tendencies, the success of the Russian forces against Austria, and more detailed reports of last weeks naval engagement in the North Sea being reflected in the rise of British consols. International issues moved irregularly in this market, but showed a firm larly in this market, but showed a firm undertone, considering the extent of the

offerings.

WALL STREET. New York, June 10.—Stocks opened with some show of strength today, but changed their course before the end of the brief session, when leading issues fell variably under final prices of the preceding session. With the outcome of the political situation at Chicago still a matter of conjecture, traders were disposed to abstain from operations for either account. Specialties afforded some diversion, Texas Company, Air Brake, United Fruit and South Porto Rico, Sugar rising 2 to 6 points, the some diversion,
Brake, United Fruit and South Formalists, United Fruit and South Formalists, Brake, United States and Ohio, with firmness in United States Steel. The closing was irregular. Bonds were steady.

New York, June 10—Wall Street, 10:10 New York, June 10—Wall Street, 10:10 a.m.—Changes at the opening of today's market were limited to fractions, these being mainly upward. Trading was light, except in United States Steel, which led the former favorites.

10:30 a.m.—The uncertainty attending latest developments in the political situation was reflected in the hesitant tone at today's opening. Trading was situation was reflected in the hesitant tone at today's opening. Trading was light, most transactions being in small lots. The one exception was United States Steel, in which the initial offering consisted of 1.500 shares at 86½ to 86½, virtually unchanged from yesterday's final quotation. There were minor advances in other active issues, with declines in Reading and Chesapeake and Ohio. Texas Company featured the

lines in Reading and the co. Texas Company featured the cialties, rising 5 points to 196, and cific Mail supplemented yesterday's Ohio. specialties. His properties and supplemented yesterday's Pacific Mail supplemented yesterday's belated advance at a further gain of 1½ LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE. LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.
London, June 10.—The continued scarcity of stocks and a strong demand for
home rails held the stock market in a
buoyant condition today. The war loan,
consols and home rails were features,
while Rusian issues soared on the latest war news. Courtaulds, Limited, at
5%, was the leading stock in the industrial section. Copper shares were
steady. A steady business was transacted in the American section under
the mobilization scheme. The closing steady. A steady business was train-sacted in the American section under the mobilization scheme. The closing

was firm. Atchison, com. 111

Baltimore & Ohio 96

Canadian Pacific 185

Chesapeake & Ohio 70

Chicago Great Western 12

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul 194

Denver & Rio Grande 144

Erie, com. 41

Erie, st pfd. 57

Grand Trunk 112

Louisville & Nashville 1384

Missouri, Kansas & Texas 54

New York Central 113

Norfolk & Western 29

Pennsylvania Railway 614

Rand Mines 214

Rand Mines 244

Rand Mines 344

Pending Pallway 344

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Pending Pallway 344

 Pennsylvania
 31/2

 Rand Mines
 108 %

 Reading Railway
 108 %

 Southern Railway
 24 %

 Southern Pacific
 104 %

 Union Pacific
 144 %

 United States Steel
 90

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DAYLIGHT SAVING

The attention of the public is called to the

recent action of the BANKS AND LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANIES

These institutions have adopted the daylight-saving scheme passed by the city council and for the summer months, commencing on MONDAY NEXT, JUNE 12.

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ADVANCED TIME OF ONE HOUR

And the second s MANITOBA'S WHEAT ACREAGE SHOWS MARKED DECREASE

Seven Hundred Thousand Acres Less Sown This Year Than Last.

WINNIPEG, June 9. - Manitoba's wheat crop for this year amounts to 2,994,529. Last year it was 3,664,281 acres, the largest on record. This was announced this morning by the minister of agriculture. The reason for the decrease is ascribed to the high wage demanded by farm laborers rather than to an actual shortage of help; also to the desire of many harvesters to summer fallow large portions of

Many low-lying fields were too uted to the decrease. Only 2,122 acres are in fall wheat. The fall wheat area in 1915 was 3,351 May 5.

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ON KINGSVILLE YOUTH His Marriage Since Being Accused

Brings Peaceful Conclusion. WINDSOR, June 9 .- Judge Dromgole allowed George Scratch, the Kingsville 18-year-old youth, to go on suspended entence Friday morning, when he learned he had since his arrest married the girl he was accused of wrong-The marriage was performed by ing. their land, after last year's heavy Rev. Horton, the Anglican minister of Kingsville, Wednesday night. In alwet for seeding, and this also contrib- lowing him to go, the bench cautioned him to make good in respect to keeping the girl and the baby, born on

CLEARING HOUSE.

MONEY MARKETS.
London, June 10.—Bar silver, 30%d per cent.

Money, 3% per cent.
Discount rates—Short bills and months, 4 9-16 to 4% per cent.

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The republic has been com-

[Canadian Press.]

mine. The crew was saved. appear in available maritime registers. Liverpool, patents, 47s.

OILS.
Liverpool, June 10.—Tallow—Austraian (in London), 47s 3d.

East Buffalo, N.Y., June 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; steady.
Veals—Receipts, 50 head; active, chants Bank of Canada for the year

Chicago, June 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; market steady; beeves, \$8@11 30; cows and heifers, \$3 90@9 85; calves, \$8 50@11 85.

NEW YORK COTTON

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

New York, June 9.

Prices advanced on good buying by
Liverpool which took some 8,000 bales
of July and October, a fair demand
from spot houses which also bought
July and October and some covering by

American Cyanamid, pfd..

uron & Erie Landed Banking
London & Canadian...
Toronto General Trust... 208
Toronto Mortgage
Canada Bread bonds... 93½
Canada Bread bonds... 89½ nion Canners bonds.. 95