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Theft Gang 1-Year-Old "Chief"

Ont., Dec. 14 .-- (Spefts, totaling \$150 in fastened by the police ys, whose ages range ars. The leader, who f age, loyally acceptof responsibility for dations, and made no e blame on the older were brought into of the juvenile court te Campbell. The is were ordered to l by the magistrate, he fate of the others In the meantime ng made by the parears to have been spoils by member a system of disimplicitly obeying The money stolen been largely spent on andy, altho the pur and flashlights, Falls and dinners at



MONDAY MORNING DECEMBER 15 1919

Moderate Rally in Foreign Ex- Silver and Gold Issues Score

TONE IS STRONGER

**IN MINING STOCKS** 

Gains in Saturday Morn-

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**STOCK MARKET** 

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New York, Dec. 13.-Bar silver, 1.314. Libby ....

7,900 ploye may designate. 3,900 This group policy includes about 100 40 employes in the Hamilton B. Wills' of-fices in this city, as well as in New York, 900 Rochester, Buffalo, Syracuse, Detroit, Gos-5,900 bait and Timmins. Nipissing 13.30 Ophir .... 4 Pet, Lake... 20 Timisk..... 51 52 51 52 Trethewey...... 49½ 50 49 50 Vecum Creation <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> -170 112 105 142 113 200 160 150 MONEY AND EXCHANGE. acuum Gas 26 27 26 26 Total sales-68,790, 5.500 tion will exceed all earlier ones. Securities of sound producing mines must now be regarded among the best possible investments. Period of solid dividend-paying pros-**VICKERY & CO.** STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE BLDG. We Are Offering Shares in GREAT STATE PETROLEUM COMPANY of TEXAS, Inc. \$10.00 Par Value Call and See Us. H. W. HODKINSON & CO. Investments 163-7 Yonge St. Phone M. 6954. TORONTO. Stocks of Merit My Market Despatch con-tains the latest and most dependable news from the leveling Mining Camps of Canada and the United States. INVESTORS' GUIDE SENT FREE UPON REQUEST Wills' Bldg., Toronto Phone Adelaide 3680. Wm.A.LEE& SON Real Estate and General Insurance Brokers. All Kinds of Insurance Written Private and Trust Funds to Leas 26 VICTORIA STREET Phones Main 092 and Park 667. cent., payable Jan. 2 to shareholders of record Dec. 20. Toronto Mortgage-2 per cent., payable bareholders of record Dec. 15. Toronto Mortgage-2 per cent., payable bareholders of record Dec. 15.

Firmer tendencies in the pound steri-ting and foreign exchange generally on Saturday morning had a strangthening intuence upon C.P.R. in New York. The stock, which had closed on Friday at 139%; opened on Saturday at 134, an overnight gain of 4% points. This was followed by a setback to 131%, but there was a later rally to 132%, with the clos-ing at this figure. Offerings were on a much reduced scale, only 2700 shares coming out as compared with 12,400 cn Friday and 9100 on Thursday. C.P.R. is now 6% points above the low of Thurs-day last, but there is no certainty that the decline has been definitely arrested, as the market fortunes of the stock are cossely, bound up with foreign exchange rates. A New York despatch on Saturday 
 Dominion
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 Hamilton
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 Following the declaration of a 10 per cent, bonus on the annual salary of every employe in the Hamilton B. Wills' or-ganization, Mr. Wills announced Satur-day that he had taken out a group in-surance policy in behalf of every em-ploye. Each policy covers an amount practically equal to the yearly salary re-ceived, and is payable to whom the em-ploye may designate 3.250 
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 Silver-Molsons ...... Montreal 207 270 6,850 A New York despatch on Saturday sold: "Leading banking interests attached ittle significance to recent active trad-ing on the stock exchange here in Cana-dian. Pacific Railway stock." "From all that could be learned in high financial quarters today, there has been ho private trainsfer of large blocks of the stock, while public sales in this market have been comparatively smal. "It was pointed out that German bankers who were large, holders of Canadan Pacific before the war, had no popriumity, even had they so desired, to ell their holdings, which were tied up der the string.nt regulations govern-ing the enemy alien act." 215 209 194 **16**0



THE TORONTO WORLD

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16%

 68½
 Atlas
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 Apex
 3½

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 Baldwin
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 50¼
 Boston Creek
 25

 61
 Davidson Gold M.
 77

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 Dome Extension
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 106
 Dome Lake
 16½

 20½
 Gold Reef
 5¼

 8072
 Hollinger Con.
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 Inspiration
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 Hargrave
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 Gould Con.
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 Kerr Lake
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 La Rose
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 McKin.-Der.-Savage
 73

 Mining Corp.
 179

 Nipissing
 4

 Ophir
 4

 Peterson Lake
 20½

 Right-cf-Way
 4½

 Silver Leaf
 51½

 Trethewey
 50

 Weitlaufer
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 York, Ont.
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 Miscellaneous
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 STANDARD SALES.

## 90 841/4 Op. High. Low. Cl. Sales. 6,000 700 7, 10 60 1 50½ 37 138 3.200 8,000 500 800 500 196 204 187 190%

SPANISH RIVER UP **TO RECORD PRICE** Cement and Steels Advance and Brazilian is Firmer-Activity in War Loans. 151/2 Rallying tendencies in New York in response to the stiffening in foreign ex-

response to the stiffening in foreign ax-change rates were reflected in the To-ronto market on Saturday morning, nearly all the stocks deait in finishing with more or less substantial net ad-vances. Trading, however, consisted largely of odd lots, the turnover in ist-ed issues, exclusive of mining stocks. falling short of 1000 shares, while the c-were comparatively few in which the hundred-share mark was reached. In the war loan section an outstanding fea-ture was the heavy demand for the Vic-tory issue of 1933, which p.o.ided nearly three-fourths of the aggregate, althe the price showed no inclination to raily above Friday's level of 102%. Spanish River and Cement were strongest among the stocks. Only 15 shares of the former changed hands, but the price advanced 2% to 83, two points above the former high record, with the closing bid raised to 84%. The upturn infected Spanish River's strength in Montreal, where paper stocks are in spe-dal favor at the moment because of the 6% 9%

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17% closing there. The steels were firmer, especially Steel of Canada, which advanced % to 81%, the closing bid moving up to 82. Dominion from at 71% was up 4. Offerings of Brazilian were not so fice, the price ruling firmer between 50% and 50%. Canawan Locomotive's response to the raising of the dividend from 6 to 7 per cent. Was a decline of % to 100%. 13.25 cline of % to 100%, Several of the war loans showed a drooping tendency, the war leans of 1925 and 1931, and the Victory issue of 1937 seeling % to ½ under Friday's quo-

51 493/4 31/4 The morning's transactions: Shares, 3971, including 2900 mining; war loans, \$433,350. 26

## CANADIAN LOCOMOTIVE 21/2 **DIVIDEND IS RAISED**

Canadian Locomotive directors have in-creased the dividend on the common stock from 6 to 7 per cent. The first payment at the new rate will be made Jan. 2 to shareholders of record Dec. 20. Some months ago predictions were currant of an increase from 6 to 8 per cent, but an employes' strike inter-vened.

BROKER INSURES EMPLOYES. Following the declaration of a 10 per



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cture business; but times have changed since Adolph Zukor, William Fox and Carl Laemmle were aspiring picture-play producers. These men have grown to financial giants, and those who invested their money with them have prospered greatly. We believe we are offering you a similar opportun-ity in the stock of

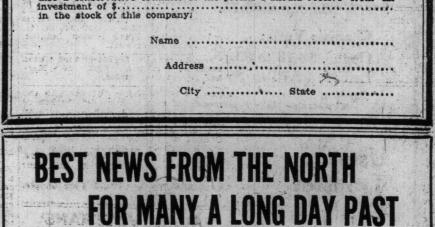
## FILMS Incorporated

and one which should return hundreds of per cent. on your and one which should return mindreds of per cent. on your investment. This company is already a producing company, and has done some very big things already. The acquisition of Miss Catherine Calvert, of Famous Players-Lasky fame, to the list of its artists, and Harry O. Hoyt, straight from the great Pathe organization, as chief director, assures Films In-corporated the very highest product to be secured in the world of "the silent drama." NOW

## "BOB WISE" Says:

I was at the studio of FILMS, incorporated, on East forty-eighth street, last Saturday and saw what the company is doing. It sure is great. Why, there I saw our youngest motion picture company working at a great rate on its first feature picture and paving the way toward fifty per cent, earnings on its total capitalization on productions to be made in 1920. The tet you don't fully realize what that means. It means that when the company has earned fifty per cent, on its capitalization, when man who bought five hundred dollars' worth of stock will be entitled to dividends amounting to two hundred and fifty dollars. You can't beat this business for a real money maker. Now, my job is to tell the movie fans of Canada all about FILMS, incorporated, and how you can make money by investing in its shares, but that's where I'm up against it. I can't see you all. So here's what I want you to do: Clip the coupon and mail it to me to-day. As soon as I receive your name and address I will epiden you my new book free, which tells the tale of the profits behind the screen. Now, you people in New York, I am going to make a very special offer to you, and one which I know you will appreciate. Drop in and see me at the office, just below Wall street, and I will do some thing for you that no other producing company will do. I will give you a pass to go visit the Studio and see the plotures being made. You will see what I have seen and you will then be as enthusiastic as I am now.





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