The Bank of British North America

Statement to the Dominion Government (Condensed) 31st May, 1917.

LIABILITIES TO THE PUBLIC

Notes in Circulation	$ 5,097,685
Deposits	54,258,876
Other Liabilities	947,825
	$ 60,304,386

ASSETS

Cash on Hand and in Banks	$ 10,043,066
Deposit with Government o/a Note Circulation	1,385,691
Government, Municipal and other Securities	10,697,792
Call and Short Loans	8,536,819
Current Loans and Discounts and Other Assets	37,126,051
Bank Premises	2,314,106
	$ 70,103,525

TWO FORMER LONDONERS ARE CHOSEN AS HEADS OF GREAT AMERICAN CONCERN

Archibald Kains, elected president of the American Foreign Banking Corporation, and T. Fred Aspen, the vice-president, are two London boys who have risen to great heights in the banking business. Both lived in this city in their early youth.

Major Hume Cronyn, manager of the Huron and Erie, remembers Mr. Kains very well, having gone to school with him. He was formerly head of the clearing house in San Francisco, and was quoted as an expert on foreign finance.

Mr. Aspen formerly lived on Dundas street in the house where the residence of T. B. Escott now stands. He was for years in charge of the foreign exchange of the Bank of Commerce in Canada, and established a name for himself.

"Both are Londoners," said Major Cronyn. "They are recognized as leaders in their line of business, and to be chosen to head such an institution as this promises to be is indeed an honor to them, and to London, where they lived."

MEXICAN VETERANS RETURN TO CANADA AND SIGN TO FIGHT

Air of Canuck Adventurers Don Khaki Here.

FOUGHT ON ALL SIDES

Forced To Join Victors and Lives Have Not Lacked Excitement.

Most soldiers feel satisfied to fight on one side or the other during a war, but not so with Harry H. Howard and George Clason, who enlisted at the armories yesterday, and who had the unique privilege of fighting for all of three factions in the Mexican civil war. Both Pres. Howard and Clason are native Canadians, the former claiming Ottawa as his birthplace, and the latter Montreal. Howard is a blacksmith, and was sent from El Paso, Texas, by the British Recruiting Mission, while Clason is a cow-puncher, and reported from Albuquerque, New Mexico.

They wanted to join a mounted unit, but they were sent to the Army Service Corps, and when discovered by The Advertiser this morning were busily engaged in winding on puttees.

Not Used to Puttees.

"I've never been in these things before," Pte. Howard said, as he painfully bent to his task, speaking in the easy southern drawl. "I been used to boots. If these had been boots, I'd have had 'em on, and been gone."

With regard to his Mexican experiences, he said that he had been a miner, but when the trouble started in Mexico there was "nothing doing in the mining business," so along with other Americans he joined the insurrecto forces of Madero, in a unit that became known as the American Legion. He went through many engagements, and bears a scar between the eyes where a ball cartridge struck him. He was later captured by Villa, and when the proposition was put up to him that he should fight for Villa or be shot, he "loose to fight for the later. The fortunes of war again veered around, and under similar circumstances he was forced to fight for Villa Montorra.

Prisoners of Carranza.

He left the war game to work for an American firm which had interests there, but the whole fourteen Americans in the employ of the firm were taken prisoners by the Carranza forces, which happened along under Col. Blanco.

"That was at Hemallhemo," added Pte. Howard, "and we were marched through the streets of the town, while Mexican crowds shouted 'Matta la gringos' (Kill the Americans). We were kept there for fourteen days, and finally we were taken before the colonel and sentenced to be shot. We were actually lined up against a wall, when a British and American consuls intervened, and saved us. We were then given two days to get out of town, and were given an escort of fifteen or twenty Mexicans. We knew what they were up to. They would trail us out for a couple of days, and then shoot us when we were not expecting it, so we determined to fight our way out of the country."

Made a Fight of It.

"We rode over the crest of a hill, and then taking up our position behind it, waited for them to appear. On they came, yelling at us to get out of there, although we were poorly armed, for they had taken all our guns and, in fact, nearly everything we possessed, away from us, we opened fire on them, and it was not long before they were all out of action."

Then, always traveling by night, we continued our way to the border, but were nearly done out for want of food, when we came on a Carranza camp. We simply had to eat, and although we would have all shot if caught, we managed to evade the sentry, and filching into the cookhouse, we got a supply of tortes (a kind of thin bread) and beans. We again set out, and crossing the border into the United States, we reached Naco, Arizona, at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Impressed by Villa.

The Clason was in Chihuahua City when Villa captured it, and Villa proceeded to take every man in the town he could bear a rifle, to fill up his mounted forces. At Ascension, Villa and Obregon of the Carranza forces in a pitched battle, and at the end of 24 hours of fighting Villa was beaten. Pte. Clason was wounded and picked up by the Carranza men, who would do nothing for him until he had sworn to fight for their side. It was a case of die or fight, so he swore to fight, and was afterwards cared for, until his wound healed.

Villa tried twice to take Chihuahua after that, but we drove him off each time," Pte. Clason told The Advertiser. "I then did patrol duty on the Northwestern Mexico Railroad for the Carranza army. I was later ordered to march back to Juarez. I got as far as Almas Lake, when one night I decided to pull out, and I rode eight miles crossing the border to Columbus, New Mexico, where I was put in jail by the American authorities until I could prove who I was."

Mex. Money Worthless.

Pte. Horward has a considerable amount of Mexican paper money, ranging in value from one to fifty pesos, some of which was issued by the Villa government and some by the provisional government. Both men had at one time large amounts of money, but before they could turn it into gold it became worthless.

HERMIT ROOSEVELT GOES ON STAFF OF GEN. MAUDE

Plattsburg, N. Y., July 10.—Kermit Roosevelt, a son of the former president, has received a cablegram conveying an offer, which he has accepted, of a staff commission with the British army operating against the Turks in Aria-Minor. He was granted leave from the officers' training corps.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

EMPRESS AVENUE PICNIC.—The Empress Avenue Church will hold their annual picnic on the church grounds this afternoon from 2 o'clock till 6:30 o'clock.

PERMIT FOR GARAGE.—A permit was issued by Building Inspector Piper this morning to George Heaman for a garage on Dundas street, to cost $3,000. The permits for July now total $15,000.

NORTHCLIFFE URGES THE OVERSEAS CLUB MEMBERS TO HELP U. S. WIN WAR

New York, July 10.—Co-operation with the United States to win the war by the 400 branches of the Overseas Club in America, was urged by Lord Northcliffe, president of the club, and head of the British commissions here, in an address today o members of the New York branch. The club is composed of British men and women, there being 160,000 members, of whom 12,000 young men, Lord Northcliffe said, have joined the armies in Europe.

Every man of military age must offer himself, whether single or married, for service, he declared. "I call upon all members of the Overseas Club to join hands with American war plans. I ask them, for one point, to give full co-operation to my friend, Mr. Hoover, in his projects for food saving.

Lord Northcliffe said the organization has raised more than two million dollars for patriotic purposes, nearly half of which was used to organize an aircraft flotilla.

8-YEAR-OLD BOY IS IMPORTANT WITNESS

In the case of S. Weinstien vs. the Artificial Ice Company, an action heard in the ninth division court at the court house today before Judge Judd, evidence of an important character was given by Kenneth Smith, 8 years old.

Owing to the straightforward manner in which he answered all questions, Judge Judd stated that in view of other conflicting evidence, he was inclined to regard the boy's evidence as worthy of great consideration. Judgment was reserved. W. R. Meredith appeared for plaintiff, and J. B. McKillop represented defendant.

DOUBLE DROWNING IN OTTER LAKE; MOTHER AND DAUGHTER PERISH

PARRY SOUND, July 9.—Word was brought here today of a double drowning, which occurred in Otter Lake, about eight miles from here. Mrs. Annie Gillespie, wife of Samuel Gillespie, a farmer, and her fifteen-year-old daughter left home Saturday morning in a punt to cross the lake to Faulding. They crossed the lake safely and started to return, but were not seen again. The punt was found afloat, and later the body of Mrs. Gillespie was recovered in twenty feet of water. Up to the present the body of the daughter has not been found.

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Toronto, July 10—Noon.

	Bid.	Ask.
Apex	4	4¼
Dome Lake	17	..
Dome Mines	11½	..
Imperial	..	..
McIntyre	12	12¼
New Ray	155	157
Porcupine Crown	52	55
Porcupine Vipond	49	..
Preston East Dome	..	33
Teck-Hughes	4¾	5
West Dome	40	42
Adanac	19½	20
Beaver	13¾	14
Buffalo	37	37½
Chambers-Ferland	12	..
Coniagas	44	13¾
Crown Reserve	29½	45
Great Northern	..	..
Hargraves	6	7½
Hudson Bay	10	10¾
La Rose	30	35
Nipissing	42½	47
Peterson Lake	710	715
Rochester	12	13
Silver eLaf	1	..
Temiskaming	13	15
	36	38

NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] New York, July 10.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2 p.m.
July	26.85	26.86	26.80	26.85
October	26.20	26.26	26.15	26.26
December	26.34	26.34	26.27	26.29
January	26.42	26.75	26.37	26.52
March	26.50	26.62	26.50	26.62
May	26.66	26.72	26.65	26.72

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Chicago, July 10.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	$2 03	2 05	2 02¾	2 03½
Sept.	1 91	1 91¾	1 91	1 91
Corn—				
May	1 15	1 20¾	1 15	1 20½
Sept.	1 55¼	1 57¼	1 54½	1 57
Dec.	1 16½	1 21⅝	1 16	1 21¼
Oats—				
July	64¾	67	64¼	66½
Sept.	55	55½	54½	55⅝
Dec.	56¾	57¼	56½	57⅛

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Chicago, July 10.—Pork—September, $40 27.

Lard—July, $21 10; September, $21 22.

Ribs—September, $21 92.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Winnipeg, July 10.—Wheat—October, $1 91⅛.

Oats—July, 74⅛c; October, 62⅝c; December, 59¾c.

Flax—July, $2 62; October, $2 65½.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Minneapolis, July 10.—Wheat—Close—July, $2 02½; September, $1 89.

KANSAS CITY GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Kansas City, July 10.—Wheat—Close—July, $2 18½; September, $1 90½.

VETERANS OF THE WAR AMONG 57 RETURNED MEN ARRIVING HOME

Two 1st Battalion Men With Party of 48.

ONE BEARS MANY WOUNDS

Nat. Slipper of St. Thomas Under German Fire While On Stretcher.

Forty-eight wounded and invalided soldiers, ten of these from this city, including two 1st Battalion men, and others who were members of the 18th, 33rd, 70th, 34th, 71st and other battalions that trained here, arrived in the city via C. P. R. at noon today.

The men were met at the depot by representatives of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, Returned Soldiers' Club, and a host of friends and relatives.

Placed in automobiles kindly loaned by citizens for the occasion, the men were taken to Central Military Convalescent Hospital, where a dinner was provided, followed by addresses of welcome by James Gray, J. P. Moore, Dr. Reason and others.

Wounded at Festubert.

Sergt. J. J. Humphreys, 439 Ottaway avenue, city, and Nat Slipper, Talbot street, St. Thomas, were the two 1st Battalion men in the party.

Sergt. Humphreys enlisted a few days after the outbreak of war, and was with the first lot of Canadians to arrive in France. He passed through all the big battles in which the Canadians participated up to the attack at Festubert in June last, when he was wounded by flying fragments from one of the largest German shells that struck near a party of which he was one.

Nat Slipper, St. Thomas, enlisted here in September, 1914, and was in all the big battles with Canadian troops. He was first wounded at the second battle of Ypres on April 22nd, 1915. After a few weeks he was able to return to the trenches, and was wounded the second time at the third battle of Ypres in June last. While slightly wounded he was lying on a stretcher and in this position was shot three times, the Germans having concentrated their fire on this particular point. He carries scars of wounds on the legs, arms, shoulder, face, on both sides of his body, and bore the appearance of one of the worst battle-scarred heroes who has returned here in months.

H. A. Dowell, 94 Chesley avenue, a 70th Battalion man, was wounded on the Somme in September last, when shot through the leg after his company had succeeded in taking a section of German trenches.

Shot in Shoulder.

D. Wilson, 49 Becher street, also a 70th Battalion member, was shot in the upper shoulder.

Alfred Gleed, 24 Alexandra street, enlisted with the 33rd Battalion, and after passing through a number of heavy engagements was wounded in September last during the Somme offensive.

The other Londoners who returned were: D. C. Miller, 318 Hill street; W. Bailey, 3 Shirley avenue; G. H. Brown, 103 Briscoe street; F. Glover, general delivery; R. E. Pooley, 29 Redan street; Rowell Merritt and G. W. Griffiths, general delivery.

Among the out-of-town men was Frank J. Wise, Chesley, Bruce County, a member of the 34th Battalions. During the attack on Vimy ridge he was shot in the back by a sniper and a wound four inches in diameter torn in the flesh, as the result of a German explosive bullet.

Wounded at the Somme.

W. Stephanoff, H. Wamby, and R. S. Beaman, all Detroiters, enlisted with the 99th (Essex) Battalion, and each returned bearing wounds. All were wounded on the Somme during the autumn offensive.

From Windsor were: P. Ridal, H. Skine H. Tassie and J. Wilson. Ridal was wounded at St. Eloi.

Five Stratford residents, who had enlisted in battalions trained here returned. The most severely wounded of these was T. Hinds, a 34th Battalion man, who was shot in the elbow in the Somme in November last. The other Stratford men were H. Clements, J. V. Harding, R. D. Canahan, and P. A. Newell.

From St. Thomas the following men all of whom enlisted with the 91st Battalion except W. Slipper, were met by friends from the Railroad City: J. Bailey, C. M. Mills, H. Simms, W. Slipper and W. R. Smith.

The others in the party were: C. A. Kenzie, V. A. Lardner and E. Matthews, Galt; H. Noble, Bilding, Mich.; H. G. Bartley, Listowel; C. W. Bowman, Preston; G. Andner, Merlin; M. H. Black, St. Marys; J. O. Habkirk, Walton; D. Harris, Pratt City, Alabama; E. Lidston, Alvinston; J. E. Luscombe, Preston; S. G. Martin, Chatham; M. A. Matthews, Clifford; E. D. McKillop, West Lorne; K. D. Moore, Springfield; J. Porter, Princeton; S. Russell, Chatham; F. Sapworth, Doon; F. W. Smithham, Goderich; P. C. Westbrook, Komoka; V. White, Staples, and D. Ferriss, Point Edward.

WEDDING BELLS

SECORD—WALKER.

ALVINSTON, July 9.—A pretty wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Walker, on Wednesday, June 20, at 5 o'clock, when their daughter, Minnie Jean, was married to Dougald M. Secord of Mosa. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. McKay of Alvinston, in the presence of about 100 guests.

At the appointed hour, six little cousins, daintily gowned in white, formed an aisle on the lawn with festoons of ribbon, and the bridal party took their place beneath the evergreen arch decorated with bridal wreaths and flags, to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, played by Mrs. M. Secord of Detroit.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a gown of white silk, embroidered net lace and pearls, and wore a silk embroidered tulle veil, with juliet cap and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations and maiden hair fern, her only ornament being a pearl necklace, the gift of the groom. She was attended by her sister, Emma, who was gowned in canary duchess silk, with lace and pearl trimmings. The groom was supported by his cousin, Dan Secord of Detroit. After the congratulations the party retired to the dining-room, where a sumptuous dinner was served by the bride's girl friends.

The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a pearl ring; to the best man, a pair of engraved cuff links, and to the pianist, a cut glass vase. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents, among which was a handsome silver casserole from the choir of Chalmer's Presbyterian Church, of which she was a member.

The evening was spent in dancing, after which the happy couple left amid showers of confetti and rice for London, Hamilton, Niagara and other eastern points, the bride traveling in a suit of hunters green taffeta and panama hat with large plumes.

FAILED TO REPORT—FINED.

SARNIA, July 9.—Nicholas Snitiskey and Paul Snitiskey, two aliens, who were taken off the 10:30 train on Sunday evening, appeared in the police court this morning, charged with a violation of the alien enemy act. The former has resided in Hamilton for the past five months, and had reported last on June 15. On his statement that he had come to this city to work, he was allowed to go on suspended sentence upon payment of costs of the court, amounting to $10. Paul Snitiskey was also allowed to go on suspended sentence upon payment of costs of $7. He had received permission to go from Port Arthur to Kipeyaw, but finding no work in the latter place came on to Sarnia without reporting.

TIME WILL TELL

Advertiser Illustrations

Wilhelm II.—I wonder why that old chap seems so interested in me?—Vancouver Sun.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

The local market was featured today by an abundance of strawberries of the best quality that has been on sale this season. A slight decrease in price and the firmness and size of the fruit were responsible for the demand. Although the largest yet, the supply was insufficient for the demand. The berries are somewhat acidy compared with the crops of former years. The farmers declare they are at their best today, however, yesterday's rain and today's stormy aspect pointing to a poorer offering for tomorrow. They brought 11c to 12½c wholesale and 12½c to 14c retail, some of the finest calling for 15c.

Hay was very scarce at $19 to $19.50 per ton.

Old potatoes sold at 50c to 60c per peck, the new variety bringing 70c to 80c.

Green shelled peas were offered in small quantities at 30c to 40c per quart and peas in the pod sold readily at 10c, a decrease of 2½c from yesterday's offerings.

Vegetables of all varieties were plentiful, dropping slightly in price. Beets sold at 75c per dozen bunches, asparagus was in demand at 10c per bunch, green onions brought 5c per bunch, spinach 15c to 20c per peck, cucumbers 12c to 15c each, and radishes two bunches for 5c.

Dairy produce remained stationary. Eggs sold at 35c per dozen, butter brought 42c per pound retail, and 38c wholesale.

Little change was shown in livestock, small pigs remaining firm at $11 and $15 per pair, and live hogs selling at $15.25 to $15.50 per cwt.

Poultry, living and dressed, and butchers' meats, sold at unchanged prices and fair demand.

Grain, Per Cwt.			
Oats, per cwt	$2 10	to	$2 10
Wheat, per cwt.	3 33	to	2 33
Grain, Per Bushel.			
Wheat, per bu.	2 00	to	2 00
Oats, per bu.	71	to	71
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, per peck	60	to	60
Potatoes, per bag	2 50	to	3 00
New cabbage	10	to	10
Seed onions, box	20	to	25
Green onions, bunch	5	to	5
Green onions, doz.	30	to	40
Parsley, per doz.	40	to	40
New carrots, quart	10	to	10
Lettuce, per doz.	50	to	75
Lettuce, per head	5	to	7
Seed lettuce, box	25	to	25
Tomato plants, box	20	to	25
Rhubarb, per doz.	30	to	30
Radishes, 2 bunches	5	to	5
Spinach, per peck	15	to	20
Spinach, per bu.	50	to	60
Asparagus, per doz.	75	to	75
Asparagus, per bunch	10	to	10
Cucumbers, each	12	to	15
Beets, bunch	10	to	10
Peas, green, qt., pods	10	to	10
Green peas (shelled), quart	30	to	40
Turnips, bunch	5	to	5
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	10 00	to	11 50
Straw, per ton	9 50	to	10 00
Fruit.			
Gooseberries, quart	12½	to	15
Strawberries	12½	to	14
Currants, per qt.	11	to	12½
Dairy Produce, Retail.			
Butter, creamery, lb.	42	to	42
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	37	to	38
Butter, crocks, lb.	34	to	35
Eggs, per doz.	35	to	35
Dairy Products, Wholesale.			
Butter, store lots, lb.	32	to	33
Butter, creamery, lb.	39	to	39
Butter, dairy, lb. rolls	34	to	35
Butter, crocks, lb.	33	to	34
Eggs, crate lots	30	to	31
Eggs, basket lots	31	to	32
Poultry, Dressed, Retail.			
Spring ducks, each	90	to	1 25
Spring chickens, pair	1 10	to	1 40
Old fowl, lb.	23	to	25
Poultry, Alive.			
Old fowl, per lb.	18	to	18
Live Stock.			
Hogs, per cwt.	15 25	to	15 50
Small pigs, per pair	11 00	to	15 00
Butchers' Meats.			
Dressed hogs, cwt.	19 00	to	19 50
Veal, per cwt.	15 00	to	18 50
Fat sows, per cwt.	12 50	to	12 50
Beef, per cwt.	14 00	to	15 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	17 00	to	18 00
Lamb, per cwt.	20 00	to	22 00
Spring lambs, each	10 00	to	11 00
Wool, unwashed, lb.	50	to	50
Wool, washed, lb.	60	to	62
Co whides, No. 1	20	to	20
Cow hides, No. 2	19	to	19
Calfskins, per lb.	30	to	35
Sheepskins, each	2 50	to	3 50

FLOUR

Toronto, July 9.—Flour—Manitoba. Listed quotations at Toronto are: First patents, $12.50; second patents, $11.90; strong bakers, $11.50; Ontario winter, 90 per cent patents, $10@10.10, Toronto.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $32 per ton; shorts, $33 per ton on track, Montreal freights.

Montreal, July 9.—Flour is steady.

Millfeed is strong, with a good inquiry from all sources for supplies for future delivery, and small offerings.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, $12.50; seconds, $12; strong bakers, $11.80; winter patents, choice, $12.50; straight rollers, $12@12.30; do, bags, $5.75@5.90.

Rolled Oats—Barrels, $9@9.25; do., bags, 90 lbs., $4.35@4.40.

Bran—$33.

Shorts—$38.

Middlings—$40@42.

Moullie—$44@49.

Minneapolis, July 9. — Flour—Unchanged; shipments, 31,004 bbls.

Bran—$30@32.

New York, July 9.—Flour—Quiet; spring patents, $11.65@11.90; winter patents, $11.30@11.65; winter straights, $10.50@11.15; Kansas straights, $11.65@11.90.

Rye Flour—Quiet; fair to good, $11.50 @12; choice to fancy, $12.10@12.50.

HAY

Montreal, July 9.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $12.50@13.

New York, July 9.—Hay—Steady; No. 1, $1.10@1.15; No. 2, $1@1.05; No. 3, 80@95c; shipping, 75@80c.

GRAIN.

Chicago, July 10.—No independence was displayed by wheat today. The market moved upward, owing to the advance of other grain, but otherwise proved listless in the absence of definite announcement of government plans of food control.

After opening half a cent higher, at $2.03 for July and September nominal, the market reacted a little, and then rose to $2.05 for July.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, July 10.—Receipts at the Union stockyards today were 522 cattle, 253 calves, 664 hogs and 15 sheep. Cattle were firm and active, hogs declined 50c. Quotations:

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $11 25; butchers, choice, $10 50@11; do, medium, $9 25@10; do, common, $8@8 50; do, cows, choice, $8 50@9; do, medium, $7@8; do, canners, $5 50@6; do, bulls, $8@9; feeding steers, $7 50@8 50; stockers, choice, $6 75@7 50; do, light, $6@6 50; calves, $6@15; milkers, choice, each, $40@100; springers, each, $40@100.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $8@9 25; bucks and culls, $6@7; lambs, $15@16 25.

Hogs—Fed and watered, per cwt, $16 25.

Chicago, July 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; market strong; beeves, $8 40@14; stockers and feeders, $6 30@9 50; cows and heifers, $5 40@11 90; calves, $10@14 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 21,000; market dull; light, $14 10@15 35; mixed, $14 30@15 65; heavy, $14 20@15 70; rough, $14 20@14 45; pigs, $10 75@13 90; bulk of sales at $14 60@15 45.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market was steady; lambs, native, $10@16 25; wethers, $7 80@11.

East Buffalo, N.Y., July 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 300 head; steady.

Veals—Receipts, 250; market lower, at $5@15 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500; slow; heavy, $15 90@16; mixed, $15 85@15 90; yorkers, $15 75@15 85; light yorkers, $15 25@15 50; pigs, $15@15 25; roughs, $13 85@14; stags, $12@12 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 200 head; steady to strong.

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, July 10.—Bacon—Short ribs, 137s; clear bellies, 130s; long clear middles, light, 132s; do, heavy, 131s; short clear backs, 126s; shoulders, square, 109s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 112s; American refined, in pails, 114s; do, in boxes, 112s.

CHEESE.

Liverpool, July 10.—Cheese—Canadian and American nominal.

OILS.

Liverpool, July 10.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 60s.

Turpentine Spirits—55s 6d.

Rosin—Common, 29s 3d.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 2¼d.

Linseed Oil—55s.

Cottonseed Oil—67s 6d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2¾d.

COTTON

Liverpool, July 10.—Cotton—Futures 10 points higher; July, 18.15d; July and August, 17.90d; August and September, 17.57d; September and October, 17.27d; October and November, 16.85d; November and December, 16.45d; December and January, 16.30d; January and February, 16.20d; February and March, 16.11d; March and April, 16.02d; April and May, 15.91d; May and June, 15.86d; June and July, 15.78d.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.] Toronto, July 10.

	Ask.	Bid.		Ask.	Bid.
Am Cy	20	18	Sawyer	..	10
do pfd	59	55	Spanish	14½	13
Barcel	11½	11	St Ch, p.	..	55½
Brazilian	40⅜	40⅛	Stl Can	58	57½
Burt, c	80	..	do pfd	92¼	91⅜
do pfd	90	88¼	T Paper	82	78
C Bread	15½	..	Tor Ry	74¾	74
do pfd	85	80	Tw City	86	85
C Car	92½	31	Win Ry	50	..
do pfd	70½	69½	Banks—		
Cement	61	60½	Commerce	186	..
do pfd	95	92	Dom	..	204½
C S L	43¼	42¾	Imperial	..	191
do pfd	80½	80¼	Molsons	182	..
CGElec	102½	101½	Ottawa	202	..
C Loco	58	57	Royal	211	..
do pfd	58	57	Stand	206	205½
do pfd	90	86	Union	..	140
C Salt	133	128	Loans, etc.—		
C Dairy	..	30	C Land	153½	..
do pfd	60	..	C Perm	167½	..
ConLife	375	..	C Invest	74	..
C Smelt	25¼	25	H Prov	..	137
Con Gas	..	150	H & E	210	208
Detroit	107	105¾	20% pd	200	186
Dome	1200	1140	L Bank	..	142
D Steel C	60½	59⅞	L & C	128	127½
Duluth	45	43	N Trust	210	..
La Rose	40	..	T Trust	207	..
Mackay	82¾	82½	T Mort	..	136
do pfd	65	64	Bonds—		
M Leaf	106	101	C Bread	92½	92
do pfd	95	..	Mex Elec	35	27
Monarch	40	35	M L & P	40	30
NStlCar	14	11	P Rico	..	86½
do pfd	30	27½	Rio Jan	82½	81
Nipis'g	740	710	S Paulo	83	80
NSStel	96	94½	Spanish	88	..
P Burr	36	..	Stl Can	97½	96¾
do pfd	81	80¼	War Loan, 1925	98	97¾
Petrol	1400	1325	War Loan, 1931	94⅞	94¾
Quebec	19	18	War Loan, 1937	94⅞	94¾
Riordon	125	122			
Rogers,p	90	..			
Russell	75	70			
do pfd	..	106			

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, July 10.—The stock market was cheerfully firm on the Russian news, which further hardened Russian securities. The chief interest was in home rails on dividend anticipations. Industrials were dull.

Closing prices were:

British 5 per cent loan	94⅝
British 4½ per cent loan	94⅛
Consols, for money	55¼
Anaconda, £10 shares	£14 5s
Atchison, com.	105
Baltimore & Ohio	74
Canadian Pacific	178½
Chesapeake & Ohio	62
Chicago Great Western	11½
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	72
De Beers	14⅝
Denver & Rio Grande	31½
Erie, com.	28½
Erie, 1st pfd.	33
Grand Trunk	9⅞
Illinois Central	108
Louisville & Nashville	131¼
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	8
New York Central	92
Norfolk & Western	126
Ontario & Western	24½
Pennsylvania Railway	54½
Rand Mines	3⅝
Reading Railway	99½
Southern Railway	29
Southern Pacific	96¾
Union Pacific	141
United States Steel	131

WALL STREET.

New York, July 10—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Many substantial gains were reported at the opening of today's operations. The improvement was attributed in part to the encouraging crop prospects and over-night developments at Washington. Trading was active and broad, although equipments and war shares were most prominent. Rails, shippings, motors and specialties also figured in the rise at gains of 1 to 2 points. United States Steel opened virtually unchanged, but soon rose a fraction on the usual large transactions. This advantage was almost immediately forfeited, irregular tendencies being manifested elsewhere.

Noon.—The reversal of the first half hour coincided with a report of a proposed new government issue of 3½ per cent bonds, and resulted in very heavy offerings of the existing Liberty issue at par. Steel shares, oils, Central Leather, motors and Ohio Gas receded 1 to 2 points, some of those stocks falling below minimum quotations of the previous day. Standard rails and a few specialties, notably tobaccos, followed an opposite course, showing increased strength. A brisk rally was in progress at midday, leaders showing gains of 1 to 3 points. The general bond market was firm.

1:30 p.m.—Industrials reacted large fractions in the afternoon on the reduced tonnage reported by the United States Steel Corporation for June, and motors yielded to profit taking. Rails retained their gains, and tobaccos supplemented early advances.

MONEY.

London, July 10.—Money was in good supply and discount rates were easy today. French and Russian exchange rates declined sharply.

New York, July 10.—Bar silver, 79½c per ounce.

UNITED STATES STEEL REPORT.

New York, July 10.—The unfilled tonnage of the United States Steel Corporation on June 30, 1917, was 11,383,287 tons, a decrease of 503,304 tons, compared with the figures for May 31, according to the monthly report issued today.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

	New York, July 10.			
Trunk Lines and Grangers—	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30.
Baltimore & Ohio	70	70½	70	70
Erie, com.	24½	25	24½	24¾
Great Northern	102⅞	..	..	..
New Haven	36½	..	..	..
New York Central	88⅝	88⅝	88½	88½
Rock Island	34⅝	35	34⅝	35
St. Paul	70¼	70¼	69⅞	69½
Wabash, com.	26	..	..	..
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	100	100¼	100	100¼
Canadian Pacific	48¼	49¾	48¼	49¾
Col. Southern	21⅝	..	..	..
Louis. & Nash.	125	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific	29	29¾	29	29¾
Northern Pacific	98½	98⅝	98½	98½
Southern Pacific	92⅛	93	92⅛	93
Southern Railway	26½	26⅝	26½	26½
Union Pacific	135⅛	135⅞	134⅞	134⅞
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio	59	59½	59	59½
Lehigh Valley	61¾	..	..	..
Norfolk & West	121¼	121¾	121⅛	121½
Pennsylvania	52⅛	52½	52	52¼
Reading Railway	94¾	96	94¾	95⅝
Tractions—				
Brooklyn Transit	57	..	..	..
Industrials—				
American Can	48¼	49¾	48¼	49¾
American Car	75	76½	75	76½
Am. Locomotive	70	70¾	69¾	70¼
American Sugar	119	119¼	119	119
Am. Smelters	104¾	104⅞	104¾	104⅞
Am. Tel. & Tel.	120⅝	..	..	..
American Wool	51½	..	..	..
Baldwin Loco.	69⅝	71	69⅝	70½
Central Leather	88¼	89¾	88¼	89¾
Corn Products	35½	36⅝	35½	36
Distillers	21½	21⅝	21½	21⅝
General Motors	47⅞	48	47¾	48
Goodrich Rubber	47⅞	48	47¾	48
G. Northern Ore