BRAZILIAN RALLIES: STEELS ARE LOWER

Steamships and Maple Leaf Among Firm Issues on Toronto Market.

Trading on the Toronto exchange yesterday provided little more than half the volume of that of the previous day, but the tone was better, and several issues lately under pressure showed a tendency to rally on light purchases. The improved feeling in New York was a cheering influence. Offerings of Brazilian appeared to have dried up again, and the stock yesterday rallied almost a point to 49, while Steamships sold up 3-8 to 45 3-8, and Maple Leaf advanced a full point to 131, being strengthened by the publication of the figures of the Western Canada Flour Mills, which drew attention again to the profits enjoyed by the milling industry as a whole.

The only pronounced weakness was shown by the steel issues, which sagged in sympathy with the dip in United States Steel at New York in the afternoon. Dominion Iron at 62 1-2 showed the loss of half a point, and while Steel of Canada was not traded in, the bid declined a full point to 62 1-2. The Mackay issues, which had been holding up well in the face of New York's irregularity earlier in the week, were somewhat easier yesterday, the common coming out at 78, and the preferred at 64 1-2. Canadian General Electric was also shaded 1-4 to 104 1-2.

The war loans were quiet but firm, the 1925 issue selling at 96 3-4, and the 1937 issue at 96 5-8, each around the recent high mark.

The day's transactions—Shares, exclusive of mining stocks, 532; war loans, $2500.

—BUY BONDS—

WESTERN CANADA FLOUR SHOWS LARGE PROFITS

Earnings Are Equal to 23 Per Cent. on Company's Stock.

The report of the Western Canada Flour Mills Company for the year ending August 31, 1918, shows milling profits of $289,929 and profits from other sources and investment income of $253,915, making a total of $543,844, as compared with $418,023 a year ago. This is equal to 23 per cent. on the common stock as against 19.8 per cent. a year ago. The company had carried forward from the previous year a balance of $844,651, from which a stock dividend issued later of $212,470 must be subtracted, leaving $632,181, which, added to the profits of the year under review makes a surplus for distribution of $1,175,026. From this amount bond interest took $87,839, dividends of 8 per cent. and a bonus of 2 per cent. took $299,702 and a balance was carried forward into the current year of $853,434.

The company's net working capital was reduced nearly $100,000, due partly to the enforced curtailment of inventories which were reduced from $1,067,000 to $509,084. The company, however, strengthened its financial position, as the balance sheet will show. Accounts and bills receivable were increased $147,000. Holdings of Victory Loans were $250,000 against nothing before, cash account amounted to $208,000 more than in 1917, the total being $235,699. On the other hand accounts payable were reduced by $346,000.

—BUY BONDS—

ORE BODIES AT DEPTH IN DOME EXTENSION

Hamilton B. Wills in his weekly market letter says: While I do not as yet know the exact values encountered along the 1250-foot level in Dome, have learned sufficient from one of drillers, thru my engineer at Porcupine, to convince me Dome Ex. is of inestimable value to Dome.

Insofar as underground development as gone in Dome Mines, gold values increase perceptibly from the 500-foot level downward. The kidney-shaped ore bodies below this depth show, I am advised, a decided pitch to the east, while at the lowest depth yet opened up I am further advised, high grade ore in large quantity persists as the drillers work to the east. This is exactly as forecast year ago by Capt. H. C. Anchor, when he stated to me: "At 1000 feet and below Dome Ex. will have the Dome ore bodies and at such depths the grade will not be low."

—BUY BONDS—

ON NEW YORK CURB.

Hamilton B. Wills received the following wire at the close of the New York Curb market yesterday: A strong undertone prevailed thruout the general list, and those issues which should benefit by the conclusion of the war were in excellent demand. Marconi of America and U. S. Steamship were in exceptionally good demand. Burns' Ice sold at a new high record. Oklahoma Producing & Refining was also in excellent demand, as was Northwest Oil. Quiet accumulation is reported in the leading curb copper stocks in anticipation that these stocks will follow the recent action of the stock exchange coppers and advance to higher prices.

—BUY BONDS—

FIELD AND CO. ASSIGN.

New York, Nov. 1.—George W. Field, residing at 788 Riverside drive, and carrying on business under the name of G. W. Field & Co., stock brokers, of 50 Broad street, this afternoon made an assignment for the benefit of creditors to James F. Devine of 225 East 57 street.

—BUY BONDS—

MONEY RATES LOWERED.

New York, Nov. 1.—An unexpected development in the New York money market today was a decline in call loans from 6 to 4 per cent., the lowest rate in three months. The decline was based on such logical conditions as the successful flotation of the fourth Liberty Loan and the meeting of all necessary requirements for the moving of crops now under way.

—BUY BONDS—

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

London, Nov. 1.—Holiday on the stock exchange today. Money, 3 per cent. Discount rates: Short and three-month bills, 4 11-32 per cent.

	Buyers.	Sellers.	Counter.
N.Y. fds....	2 1-64 pm.	2 3-64 pm.	.....
Mont. fds...	par.	par.	¼ to ¼
Ster. dem...	485.10	485.25	487
Cable tr....	486.20	486.35	488

Rate in New York for sterling demand, 475½.

—BUY BONDS—

DOME REACHES YEAR'S HIGHEST

Dome Extension, McIntyre and Other Issues Features in Strong Market.

Dome, which advanced to a point well above the previous high for the year on both the New York and Standard Exchanges, and Dome Extension, which also broke into new high ground for the year, were the chief centres of interest in the local mining market yesterday. The general tone was strong, with McIntyre, Hollinger, Porcupine Crown, West Dome and Newray among the gold issues to show more or less substantial gains. The silver stocks were also in better demand, as a whole, altho some irregularity was observed in this section of the list. The total of transactions, which reached nearly 90,000 shares, was little below that of the previous day.

Dome is acting as tho the New York pool in control of operations has found conditions to its liking. The stock opened at 14.00 in New York yesterday, as compared with 13.50 at the close the day before, sold up to 15.00, as against a previous high for the year of 14.37½, and closed at 14.75.

The turnover was 7500 shares. On the Standard the range was between 14.00 and 15.00, with the closing at the latter price, or two dollars a share above the level of the previous sale, made two days before. Dome Extension, on dealings of 13,100 shares, advanced to 26½, a level 1½ points above the previous high of the year. Hollinger touched 5.20 and closed at 5.15, as against 5.10 on Thursday. McIntyre was up two points, to 1.60; Newray up ½, to 15, and West Dome up ½, to 12. Porcupine Crown was in strong demand, and sold as high as 18, the best price of the current movement, but was shaded at the close to 17¾. Hattie remained anchored at 58. The only reactionary issues were Schumacker, which, at 23½, lost ½, and Thompson-Krist, which sold at 5½, also ½ lower.

In the Cobalts, the strong features were Adanac, with a ½ point gain, to 10, on authentic news that the new vein had widened to 24 inches, and McKinley-Darragh, which moved up a point, to 41½. The company's oil flotation plant is showing a high rate of recovery from its tailings dump, and the lowest levels of the mine are reported to be showing encouraging indications. Ophir was subjected to a renewal of the severe pounding given on Thursday, but, after breaking badly to 3½, the lowest price of the year, there was a rally to 4¼, reducing the net loss to half a point. The rumor that the Mining Corporation would drop its option on the Ophir has been authoritatively denied, but the raiding operations continue. Peterson Lake was weak for a time, dipping to 8, but recovered to 8¼. Rockwood Oil was stationary at 11, but Vacuum Gas stiffened up two points, to 7½.

—BUY BONDS—

DEFICIT IS SHOWN IN SCHUMACHER REPORT

Company Preferred Cessation of Operations to Selective Mining.

A deficit of $7,695 for the fiscal year ended March 31 last, is shown in the annual report of the Schumacher Gold Mines, Limited, which is being mailed to shareholders. Bullion production amounted to $202,387, and other small credits raised the total income to $202,733, while costs total $210,479. The surplus carried forward was $65,530, as against $73,013 the year before.

President F. W. Schumacher says in his report that, by resorting to selective mining, the property could have been kept in operation, but that it was decided to close on July 16 rather than mine the rich lenses of ore.

During the period of operation, development work was aggressively carried on as is shown by the following figures: Drifting, 1442.2 feet; crosscutting, 1127.9 feet; raising, 178.7 feet; diamond drilling, 705 feet; stoping, 15,753 cubic yards.

The mill treated 45,373 tons of ore valued at $259,365.30 and recovered bullion worth $242,060.34. Income from other sources amounted to $635.59. Operating cost amounted to $234,021.33, being $1.22.02 per ton of ore milled for milling, and $3.93.75 per ton of ore milled for mining, and all other charges except depreciation. The foregoing figures are from the period between March 31, 1917 and July 15, 1918.

Referring to the success of the adjoining properties, the Hollinger and McIntyre at depth, the president points out, that the Schumacher directors had mapped out a similar policy, but war conditions prevented its carrying out, consequently ore reserves have not been augmented much since the previous annual report.

—BUY BONDS—

NEW YORK STOCKS.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, Toronto, report fluctuations in New York stocks, as follows:

Trunk Lines and Grangers—	Op.	High.	Low.	Cl.	Sales.
B. & Ohio...	56½	56½	56	56	110
Erie	17¼	17½	17	17½	.....
do. 1st pr...	32¾	32¾	32¼	32¾	.....
Gt. Nor. pr..	94½	94½	93¾	94¼	.....
New Haven..	39	39½	38⅝	38⅝	1,700
N. Y. C.	79	79¾	78	78	3,900
Rock Isl.	27½	28	27¼	27¾	1,100
St. Paul	49⅝	50	49⅝	50	1,000
Pacifics and Southerns—					
Atchison	93	93¾	92⅝	92¾	1,300
C. P. R.	166	167	165	167	1,000
Mo. Pac.	25¾	26¼	25½	26	.....
Nor. Pac. ...	93	93¼	92⅞	93¼	3,400
South. Pac...	103	103¾	102½	102⅝	49,700
South. Ry. ..	30½	31¼	30⅜	31¼	8,900
Union Pac...	132½	133⅝	132	132¼	5,400
Coalers—					
Ches. & O....	58¼	58½	58	58¼	1,600
Lehigh Val..	60¼	60½	60¼	60½	8,000
Penna., xd. % per cent.	48	48	46⅞	46⅞	2,800
Reading	89	89⅞	88⅝	88¾	12,700
Bonds—					
Anglo-rFench	95¾	96	95½	95½	150,900
Industrials, Tractions, Etc—					
Alcohol	105¼	105¼	99¼	100⅝	11,900
Allis-Chal. ...	28	28	27¾	28	800
Air Brake ...	108	108	107	107	20
Am. Can.	44¼	44¼	43¾	43¾	2,100
Am. Wool ...	50	.....	.....	.....	200
Anaconda ...	70	70⅝	69⅞	70¼	3,900
Am. Bet S....	65	65	60½	62	3,300
A. Sugar Tr.	110½	110½	110	110⅜	.....
Baldwin	80¾	82⅝	79⅝	80	28,400
Beth. Steel ..	65¼	.....	.....	.....	.....
do. B	68½	69	63⅝	64	.....
B. R. T.	41	41	39⅞	40¾	1,900
Car Fdry. ..	86	86½	85⅝	85⅝	2,000
Chino	41½	.....	.....	.....	.....
C. Leather...	64¼	64¼	63½	63¼	1,800
Corn Prod. ..	46½	48¾	46⅜	48¾	50,500
Crucible	55¾	56⅝	53¾	54½	15,700
Distillers ...	48½	49	47½	47¾	10,500
Dome	14	15	14	14¾	7,500
Goodrich	57	.....	.....	.....	.....
G. N. Ore....	31½	32	31⅝	31⅝	1,800
Ins. Cop. ...	54⅞	54⅞	54	54⅜	2,100
Kennecott ...	40	40	39½	39⅝	6,700
Int. Paper ..	34¼	34¾	34¼	34¾	.....
Int. Nickel ..	33⅜	34¼	32¾	33½	8,400
Lack. Steel...	74¼	74¼	72¼	72¼	1,900
Lead	60	61	60	61	3,000
Locomotive..	65	65⅝	64½	64½	200
Max. Motor..	34½	.....	.....	.....	2,300
Mex. Petrol..	167	170½	160½	160½	33,600
Miami, xd. $1	27½	.....	.....	.....	200
Marine	30	30½	29½	29½	4,400
do. pref. ...	121¾	122¾	120¼	120½	44,600
Nevada Cons.	20⅜	.....	.....	.....	300
Pressed Steel.	67½	67	66⅛	66⅛	400
Ry. Springs..	67	67	66⅛	66⅛	.....
Rep. Steel ..	82⅞	83	79	79½	6,500
Ray Cons. ...	24¼	24⅜	24¼	24⅜	900
Rubber	68½	68½	67½	67¾	.....
Smelting ...	88¾	89	87	87¼	27,800
Steel Fdries..	89½	90¾	89½	90½	.....
Studebaker...	66½	66¾	64¼	64½	6,400
Texas Oil ...	187	190½	187	187⅝	3,800
U. S. Steel...	103¼	103⅝	101⅝	101⅝	157,700
do. pref. ...	112	112	111⅝	111⅝	500
Utah Cop. ..	89¼	89¼	89	89	2,400
Westinghouse	44¼	44½	42⅝	44	.....
Willys-Over..	24¼	25	23½	24	.....
Total sales, 809,500.					

—BUY BONDS—

THE WAR IS NOT OVER YET

BUY VICTORY BONDS

ON SALE AT ALL OFFICES OF

THE DOMINION BANK

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS.

	Asked.	Bid.
Am. Cyanamid com.	41½	...
Ames-Holden pref.	71½	...
Barcelona	14½	14
Brazilian T., L. & P.	49¼	49
B. C. Fishing	49½	48
Bell Telephone	130	...
Burt F. N. com.	63½	...
do. preferred	...	85
Canada Cement com.	65	64½
Can. St. Lines com.	45½	45
do. preferred	76¾	76¼
Can. Gen. Electric	104½	104¼
City Dairy com.	...	50
do. preferred	...	83¾
Confederation Life	325	...
Cons. Smelters	24⅝	...
Dome	15.25	14.50
Dom. Canners	36	...
do. preferred	...	70
Dom. Steel Corp.	63	62½
Duluth - Superior	41	...
Mackay common	78½	77¾
do. preferred	66	64½
Maple Leaf com.	131	130½
do. preferred	...	96
Monarch common	...	46
do. preferred	...	79
N. Steel Car com.	8	...
do. preferred	30	...
Nipissing Mines	8.70	8.50
N. S. Steel com.	64	...
Pacific Burt com.	30½	...
do. preferred	77¼	...
Penmans common	...	81
do. preferred	...	83
Porto Rico Ry. pref.	81	...
Prov. Paper com.	...	46
Russell M. C. com.	85	79
do. preferred	87	...
Sawyer - Massey	25	...
do. preferred	40	...
Standard Chem. pref.	64	60½
Steel of Canada com.	63	62½
do. preferred	95	94½
Tooke Bros. com.	25	22
Toronto Railway	58	...
Trethewey	25	24
Tucketts com.	22	20½
do. preferred	78¼	...
Winnipeg Railway	48	...
Banks—		
Commerce	...	186½
Dominion	202	...
Imperial	188	187
Nova Scotia	248	...
Ottawa	201	...
Royal	208	...
Standard	200	...
Toronto	187	...
Union	154½	153
Loan, Trust, Etc.—		
Canada Landed	148¾	...
Canada Permanent	168	...
Colonial Investment	...	64½
Hamilton Provident	...	133
Huron & Erie	204	...
do. 20 p.c. paid.....	196	...
Landed Banking	...	140
London & Canadian	126½	...
Toronto Mortgage	134	...
Bonds—		
Canada Bread	90	89
Canada Locomotive	90	...
Dominion Canners	...	85
Electric Development	85	84½
Mexican L. & P.	46	43
Penmans	...	85
Province of Ontario	...	76
Spanish River	...	81½
Steel Co. of Canada.....	95	93
War L., 1925	96⅝	96½
War Loan, 1931	...	96⅞
War Loan, 1937	94¼	94

—BUY BONDS—

TORONTO SALES.

	Op.	High.	Low.	Cl.	Sales.
Brazilian	48⅝	49	48⅝	49	35
Can. Gen. El.	104¼	104½	104¼	104½	35
Can. Perm...	167½	168	167½	168	25
Dom. Can. ..	35	35	35	35	30
Dom. Iron ..	63⅛	63⅛	62½	62½	60
Imp. Bank ..	188	188	188	188	10
Mackay	78¼	78¼	78	78	10
do. pref. ...	64⅝	64⅝	64½	64½	45
Maple L. ...	130	131	130	131	70
do. pref. ...	96	96	96	96	50
Steamships...	45¼	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝	75
do. pref. ...	76½	76½	76½	76½	45
Steel of Can. pref.	95	95	95	95	5
Trethewey ..	23	23	22¾	22¾	2,500
Tor. Rails ...	58	58	58	58	25
Twin City ..	50	50	50	50	2
Union Bank..	153	153	153	153	10
War L., 1925.	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾	$500
War L., 1931.	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	$2,000

—BUY BONDS—

NEW YORK COTTON.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report New York Cotton Exchange fluctuations as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Close.
Jan. ...	27.10	27.20	26.07	26.07	27.43
March ..	26.70	26.85	25.88	25.88	27.12
May	26.50	26.65	25.55	25.55	26.87
July	26.35	26.40	25.62	25.50	26.75
Dec.	27.90	28.00	27.00	27.00	28.17

—BUY BONDS—

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; market opened steady to 15c higher, closing weak 10c lower than yesterday. Butchers, $18.10 to $18.40; light, $17.40 to $18; packing, $16.75 to $17.85; throw outs, $16 to $16.75; pigs, good to choice, $14.75 to $16.

Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market steady to unevenly lower; butcher cattle, and stockers and feeders, showing most weakness and closing mostly 25c down; calves steady. Beef cattle, good, choice and prime, $15.65 to $19.75; common and medium, $9.75 to $15.65. Butcher stock, cows and heifers, $6.65 to $14; canners and cutters, $5.65 to $6.65; stockers and feeders, good, choice and fancy, $10.25 to $12.75; inferior, common and medium, $7.50 to $10.25; veal calves, good and choice, $16 to $16.50; western range, beef steers, $14 to $17.50; cows and heifers, $8.75 to $12.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; fat lambs, steady to 25c lower; decline mostly on medium grades; sheep and feeders steady. Lambs, choice and prime, $16.50 to $16.75; medium and good, $14.75 to $15.50; culls, $10 to $13.25; ewes, choice and prime, $10.25 to $10.50; medium and good, $9 to $10.25; culls, $4 to $7.50.

—BUY BONDS—

CHICAGO MARKETS.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report the following prices on the Chicago Board of Trade.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Corn—				
January	119	120⅛	114⅝	115⅛
November	117¼	118	115	115⅛
December	116¼	116⅝	112⅛	112⅞
Oats—				
January	68	68⅝	66	66
November	68	68⅞	67	66¼
December	67⅝	68¼	66	66½
Pork—				
November	b34.75	34.90	34.50	34.90
January	40.08	40.08	39.40	40.00
Lard—				
November	26.40	26.40	26.37	26.37
January	25.00	25.05	24.10	24.20
Ribs—				
November	21.90	22.10	22.00	22.10
January	22.00	22.30	22.00	22.15

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STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

	Asked.	Bid.
Gold—		
Apex	5	4⅝
Boston Creek	27	25
Davidson	35	32
Dome Extension	26¾	26½
Dome Lake	14	12
Dome Mines	15.25	13.50
Eldorado	2	½
Elliott	36	...
Gold Reef	...	1⅛
Hollinger Con.	5.25	5.10
Hattie	58	50
Keora	8	6
Kirkland Lake	41	...
Lake Shore	85	82
McIntyre	1.60	1.59
Moneta	9	7½
Newray Mines	15	14½
Porc. V. & N. T.	20	17
Porcupine Crown	18	17¾
Porcupine Gold	1	...
Porcupine Imperial	1⅛	1
Porcupine Tisdale	...	1½
Porcupine Vipond	20	17
Preston	4¼	4
Schumacher Gold M.	24	21½
Teck-Hughes	...	28
Thompson-Krist	6	5½
West Dome Con.	12	11½
Wasapika	30	25
Silver—		
Adanac	10	9½
Bailey	5	3⅛
Beaver	29½	28¼
Chambers-Ferland	9¾	8⅛
Coniagas	2.75	...
Crown Reserve	20	19
Foster	3	2½
Gifford	2¾	2
Gould Con.	¾	...
Great Northern	3⅛	...
Hargraves	4	3¾
Hudson Bay	...	20
Lorrain	1	...
La Rose	40	38
McKinley-Darragh	42	41
Mining Corp.	2.75	2.65
Nipissing	8.75	8.55
Ophir	4⅜	4¼
Peterson Lake	8¾	8¼
Right of Way	4½	3¾
Silver Leaf	1	½
Seneca Sup.	...	1
Timiskaming	31	30
Trethewey	25	...
York, Ont.	...	½
Miscellaneous—		
Vacuum Gas	10	6½
Rockwood	12	11

—BUY BONDS—

STANDARD SALES.

Stocks—	Op.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sales.
Gold—					
Apex	4⅞	...	...	...	500
Dome Ex. ..	25	26½	25	26½	13,100
Dome Lake.	14	14	13	...	1,500
Dome M..	14.00	15.00	14.00	15.00	210
Holly Con.	5.15	5.20	5.15	5.15	355
Hattie	58	...	...	...	900
Lake Shore.	82	83	82	83	1,200
McIntyre ..	1.58	1.60	1.58	1.59	3,800
Newray M..	14½	15	14½	15	5,000
P. Crown...	17½	18	17½	17¾	6,200
P. Imperial.	1⅛	...	...	...	1,000
Preston	4	...	...	...	2,500
Schumacher.	23½	...	...	...	1,000
T.-Krist ...	5⅝	...	5¼	5½	5,000
W. D. Con..	11½	12	11½	12	4,500
Silver—					
Adanac	10	...	...	...	500
Bailey	4¼	4½	4	...	3,000
Foster	2½	...	...	...	2,000
Gifford	2	...	...	...	1,000
Hargraves..	3⅝	...	...	...	1,000
McKin. Dar.	41½	...	...	...	500
Ophir	5	...	3½	4¼	22,000
Pet. Lake..	8½	...	8	8½	2,500
Timisk.	30	...	...	...	100
Trethewey...	23	...	...	...	2,000
Miscellaneous—					
Vacuum Gas	7½	...	...	...	500
Rockwood...	11	...	...	...	8,800
Silver—$9,965.					

—BUY BONDS—

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Supplied by Heron & Co., 4 Colborne street.

Stocks—	Op.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sales.
Brazilian ...	49	...	...	...	5
Can. Car pr.	35	...	...	...	1
Can. S.S. pr.	76½	...	...	...	50
Can. Gen. El.	103	104	103	104	12
Can. Cement bonds	83¼	...	...	...	$500
Dom. Iron ..	63¼	63¼	62½	63	825
Maple L.	130	131	130	130½	95
Penmans	83	83	82	82	16
Steel of Can.	63½	63½	63	63¼	272
Spanish R. ..	16½	...	...	...	10
Royal Bank..	208	...	...	...	21
C. W. L., 1937	94	94	94	94	164,200
Bell Tel. bds.	88¼	...	...	...	$1,000
D. Iron bds..	84	...	...	...	$1,000

—BUY BONDS—

NEW YORK CURB.

Closing prices yesterday in the Cobalt and Porcupine stocks on the New York Curb, as supplied by Hamilton B. Wills, in the Royal Bank Building, were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Beaver	28	30
Buffalo	75	100
Crown Reserve	18	20
Dome Lake	12	14
Dome Extension	26	28
Hollinger	5.00	5.25
Kerr Lake	5.75	6.25
La Rose	38	40
McKinley - Darragh	41	43
McIntyre	1.58	1.65
Nipissing	8.50	9.00
Peterson Lake	8	9
Timiskaming	30	31
Vipond	18	20
West Dome Con.	11	13
Hattie	50	58

—BUY BONDS—

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Supplied by Heron & Co., 4 Colborne street:

	Asked.	Bid.
Abitibi Power	52	50
Brompton common	59	58
Black Lake common.....	3	2½
do. preferred	8½	7
do. income bonds	35	...
Carriage Fact. com.	15	...
do. preferred	50	...
Macdonald Co., A.	21	20
do. preferred	93	90
North Am. P. & P.....	3¼	2⅞
Steel & Rad. com.....	20	14
do. preferred	65	...
do. bonds	68	...
Volcanic Gas & Oil.....	98	...

—BUY BONDS—

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Nov. 1.—Cotton futures closed unsettled. Nov. 19.99; Dec. 19.17; Jan. 18.72; Feb. 18.21; March, 17.66.

—BUY BONDS—

GOLD PRODUCERS CALL FOR RELIEF

Government Insurance to Cover Deficit in Mining Operations is Suggested.

New York, Nov. 1.—Gold producers, representing 85 per cent. of "the only declared essential industry that has not received consideration at the hands of the government," decided at a recent conference here to ask for relief corresponding to the increased cost of production, Eugene Davis, chairman of the finance committee of the American Gold Conference and the International Gold Conference, announced today.

Under war conditions, gold is being mined at a loss, said Mr. Davis, adding that a large percentage of the normal pre-war production is in danger of being irretrievably lost. While deciding not to make specific demands, merely stating their case and leaving the extent of relief, if any is granted, to the government, the mine owners went on record opposing a charge in the amount of gold in the dollar or placing a premium upon the commodity. This, in effect, would preclude an increase in price, so that the most logical course open, according to leading producers, would be a government insurance of the industry to cover the production deficit during the war and the period of reconstruction.

Mr. Davis cited a telegram received today from the Northwestern Gold Mining Association, announcing that mines were being sold or closed, and that the industry would be completely ruined unless prompt relief was given.

—BUY BONDS—

WHOLESALE FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Pears sold fairly well yesterday, Keiffers bringing from 50c to 75c per 11-quart, some choice Anjous and Lawrence bringing from 75c to $1.25 per 11-quart, while extra choice Anjous sold as high as $1.75 per 11-quart leno basket; hothouse tomatoes had a slightly easier tendency, No. 1's selling at 25c to 30c per lb., and No. 2's at 20c per lb.; head lettuce brought $3.25 to $3.50 per hamper; cauliflower of exceptionally choice quality was shipped in heavily, selling at about $2 per dozen.

McWilliam & Everist, Limited, had a car of bananas, selling at 7c per lb.; a car of apples, No. 1 and No. 2 Spys, selling at $6 to $6.50 per bbl.

A. A. McKinnon had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at $1.85 per bag; a car of New Brunswick Delawares, selling at $2.10 per bag; onions at $2.25 per 100-lb. sack.

D. Spence had sweet potatoes at $2.40 per hamper; onions at $2.25 to $2.50 per 100 lbs.; grapefruit at $5.50 to $6 per case; Jonathan apples at $3 to $3.25 per box; cranberries at $12.50 per bbl., $6.75 per half bbl.

W. J. McCart Co. had sweet potatoes at $2.40 per hamper; Emperor grapes at $4 to $4.25 per lug; Spy apples at 40c to 50c per 11-quart basket; celery at 25c to 35c per dozen.

White & Co., Limited, had a car of bananas, selling at 8c per lb.; a car of sweet potatoes, selling at $2.25 per hamper shipments; hothouse tomatoes, selling at 25c to 30c per lb. for No. 1's and 20c per lb. for No. 2's; choice Anjou pears at 75c per 11-quart flats, and $1.75 per 11-quart lenos; box Anjous selling at $3.

Jos. Bamford & Sons had a car of New Brunswick Delaware potatoes, selling at $2.10 per bag; westerns at $1.85 per bag; cauliflower at $2 to $2.50 per box; onions at $1.65 per 75-lb. bag; hothouse tomatoes at 28c to 30c per lb.

The Union Fruit & Produce, Limited, had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at $1.85 per bag; a shipment of California figs, selling at $3.25 per case of twenty 8-oz. packages; extra fancy cauliflower at $2 per case.

Manser-Webb had sweet potatoes, selling at $2.35 to $2.50 per hamper; Florida oranges at $9 to $9.50 per case; grapefruit at $5.50 to $6 per case; apples at $3.50 to $6 per bbl.

Stronach & Sons had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at $1.75 to $1.85 per bag; heavy shipments of pears. Keiffers selling at 50c to 75c per 11-quart; choice Anjous and Lawrence at $1 to $1.25 per 11-quart; Emperor grapes at $3.75 to $4 per lug.

Chas. S. Simpson had Emperor grapes at $4 per lug; Florida oranges at $10 per case; sweet potatoes at $2.25 to $2.40 per hamper; cranberries at $12 per bbl.

Wholesale Fruits.

Apples—Home-grown, 25c to 75c per 11-quart, $3.50 to $6.50 per bbl.; boxed Snows at $2, $2.50 and $2.75 per box; B.C.'s, McIntosh Reds at $3 to $3.25 per box; Washington Jonathans at $3.25 per box; Rome Beauty at $3.50 per box; Ontario boxed Greenings, Pippins and Baldwins, $2.

Bananas—6c to 7c per lb.

Citrons—No much sale.