HAPPENINGS IN THE **WORLD OF SPOR**

Southern Crack Sprinter in States Has Drawn the Color Line

FREDDIE WELSH MATCHED

Brantford Lacrosse Club Has Withdrawn its Chal--Marquard Knocked Out of the Box.

The Montreal Baseball Club was outplayed by the terday by a score of 4 to 2. Miller, who pitched for Montreal, was wild in two innings, saite Bates was the victim of extra base hitting.

of their players being at the from

Williams, substituting at first base for Gandil, has

o-morrow on the grounds at the corner of Atwater and Dorchester, which have been extensive-

Dean Baker of the University of South Carolina has announced that Oscar Plaxico, the crack sprinter will not be allowed to compete in the Pennsylvania carnival because he would be forced to com pete with negroes.

Philadelphia Nationals defeated the Boston Braves esterday, making their seventh consecutive victory. They have yet to experience defeat this season.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association will be held at the Windsor Hotel to-morrow afternoon. A good season has been in about \$500,000 additional revenue this year. It also

Freddie Welsh, the lightweight champion, has been Tuesday

Sapient comment from C. Webb Murphy: "The has lots of strength there, but it will take him some time to get things going right.' A sot of clubs have been troubled that way for years.

Jeff Acton, the Toronto jockey who did so well at Juarez last winter, is at the Woodbine getting ready for the opening of the spring meeting. He already has had several offers to ride in the Plate races, but has not accepted any as yet.

For failure to deliver a message in which Hugh er for the Chicago National League team, was given began are as follows: a verdict for \$2,000 against the Western Union Telegraph Company

Bob Polson, the Toronto skater, has purchased a 16-foot dinghy. Bob is a novice at this game, but if he proves as good in yachting as he has in skating he will make good.

Amby McConnell, the former Leaf second baseman. who was with Atlanta last season, has been signed by the Syracuse team of the New York State League.

The trophies for the Ontario boxing championships which consist of handsome 14k. gold signet rings and diamond scarf pins are on display at Ryrie's at To-

Marquard, of the New York Gants, was knocked out of the box yesterday at Brooklyn.

Ad. Wolgast has turned promoter. He is representing a Wisconsin syndicate that has a jackpot of \$26,000 to offer Packey McFarland and Mike Gib bons for a bout. Wolgast refuses to say who the angels are, but \$25,000 is ready for the purse, and \$500 was on tap to pay each man the moment they place their John Hancocks to a set of articles.

SHIPE MEETING

New York, April 23.— A special meeting of the stockholders of the American Snuff Company will be stockholders of the American Snuff Company will be stock is stock, just as "pigs is pigs." held in Jersey City on May 4, previous to the anvalue of \$100 each, consisting of \$11,000,000 common theatrical magnates. It is almost universally recog-The stockholders also will be asked to ratif/ a Mantreal cancer to be the big managers.

January 19, 1913, and to further reduce the preferred in a few weeks. stock by retiring \$110,000 additional purchased by the company for retirement not above par. The stockholders also will be asked to approve a decrease realers have been missing much. With the exception of "The White Feather," nothing really worth the company in 1911 to make the outstanding issue

NEW ARGENTINE NOTES.

New York, April 23.—Although terms have not been definitely settled it is expected the new Argentine loan will take the form of 5 year notes probably bearing 5 p.c. interest. The amount of the loan will be about \$50,000,000 and half of it will be placed be about \$50,000,000 and half of it will be placed in this market and half in England. A syndicate management of His Majesty's Theatre and the Mu-Co., and Kuhn Loeb & Co. will handle issue in Lon-

The British treasury recently ruled that financing could be done in the English market by the Argentine government to secure funds to meet maturing obligations. Definite anouncement on the new issue is expected in a day or two.

SUGAR FUTURES QUIET.

NOTES ON PUBLIC UTILITIES

Proceeds of the \$1,500,000 one-year collateral 5 per cent. notes sold by the Washington Utilities Company will be used to pay off an equal amount of one-year are plentiful in Montreal.

creased activity in the lead and zinc mining and other cent., and in March it went down to 4% per cent. industries of southwest Missouri the company is earning about twice bond interest and power load is showing a steady gain. Present earnings are nearly equal to the provisions of at least one "scrap of paper." Scranton team in the New York State League yes- the high record of two years ago, when activity in Prince Von Buelow says that "Germany will do her the lead and zinc industry was at its height.

The operation of jitneys in competition with street The Orillia lacrosse team is to be managed by Jack street railway company of \$500 in fares daily. Ala. tion, it is still "going strong" and looks good for an Tudhope, who will have the support of a strong barna is now considering the passage of a law to other 100 per cent. committee of Orillia's best sportsmen. That spells regulate the jitneys and protect the street railways.

been a big help to the Washingtons with his hitting. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, of California, one industry has received a big impetus since the Ger The Y. M. C. A. Lawn Tennis Club will inaugurate United States. That it has escaped jitney competi- coast of Great Britain, and, in addition to the home \$4.749.327, a gain of \$406.751 over the same period of turn their New Brunswick sardine factory into a lol 1914, and the balance for the preferred was running ster plant. at an annual rate \$1,000,000 better than last year These figures account for the expectation of a comhigher and the common approximately 7 points high-The company has the contract to supply all the gas, steam and electricity used in the Panama-Pacific Exposition and this business is expected to bring

BOOTS EXPORTED TO FRANCE.

portation from the city to the fair grounds.

The exports of boots and shoes from the United Pittsbug team will make them all hustle. Clarke to £24,014 and £30,053, respectively, but following of new. was interrupted as will be seen from the table given the case with the stock up to the moment. It will be observed that, though there was but little falling off in August, the following three nonths showed a decided decline. In December, shown, when the requirements of the French government became manifest. The export shipments in supply of arms has not suffered this serious deple-January, though still considerable, show a diminution; it is reported that the French manufacturers are now in a better position to meet the demands of Duffy, manager of the Milwaukee club in 1912, offered him \$300 a month, "Jack" Pfiester, former pitch-from the United Kingdom to France since the war meters.

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THEATRICAL NEWS

THE OVER-DOSE OF STOCK

It was recently announced that the Orpheum Stock Company would again grace the stage of the Orpheum Theatre this summer, but it must, in all justice, be admitted that the news was not received with much pleasure by the theatre-going set. Two seasons are plenty for any one company to play in a city like Montreal, where theatres are so few and far between. The management most decidedly has against \$30 to \$31 quoted by U. S. mills. their nerve with them.

Three seasons of summer stock, to be followed by a most unusual financial depression, and one long winter season made up almost entirely of stock companies and second-rate shows! It is too much for even the most casual theatre-goer to put up with.

companies are perfectly all right in their Germany VOTE ON CAPITAL READJUSTMENT. Stock companies are perfectly all right in their place, and, as a rule, those coming to Montreal have

A great many good shows have been appearing on

The whole situation seems an unfair one. Montseeing has come along since "Kitty Mackay."

Therefore, it must be presumed that Montrealers will have to continue to put up with the over-dose of stock, set their lips firmly and try to smile, but more Angeles was fixed at \$423,000 by court appraisers on the year these had been reduced to the amounts re

HIS MAJESTY'S ORCHESTRA.

COMMERCIAL PAPER QUIET.

New York, April 23.—Trading is quiet with best across the line, ames moving at 21% to 4 per cent, according to maturity.

per cent., depending on the maturity date.

Heard Around the Ticker

notes maturing May 1, 1915. The notes are secured understood that a controlling interest in the stock is by the deposit of 27,500 shares out of 65,000 shares of Washington Railway and Electric Company common stock. Dividends of 7 per cent. are paid on this ing well. It is stated that the jitney competition stock, which has a market value of approximately has not been materially felt, and that the earnings are in fact not changed in any degree from those shown previous to the inc Officials of the Empire District Electric Company In January Toronto Railway earnings decreased expect the current year to be the most prosperous the about 6 per cent, under the same month of last year; company has yet enjoyed. As a result of the in- in February the ratio of decline was only 41/2 per

> It is gratifying to know that Germany will live up does the insane Kaiser say!

Hollinger has already paid back more than its enrailways has cut deeply into the earnings of the rail-ways, an example being in Birmingham, Ala. Offi-tire capitalization in dividends. With the cheques their challenge for the Mann Cup owing to several eers of the Birmingham Railway, Light and Power mailed to shareholders last night the total distribu-Company say that the jitneys are carrying on an tion to date amounts to \$3,090,000, or 103 per cent average of 9,500 passengers a day and deprive the Although the mine has paid back its entire capitaliza-

> The largest shipment of live lobsters on record was of the public trustee amounts to \$423,000,000 sent out from Yarmouth to Boston yesterday. It con-Among the utilities not affected by the jitney is the sisted of 1,292 crates. The whole Canadian fishing of the five largest organizations of its kind in the man submarines have prevented fishing off the east tion is due to the fact that its traction business ac- and American markets, a good deal of fish is being counts for only a small percentage of its total earn- sent across to Great Britain. Since there is a de Its main business consists in supplying its mand for lobsters, it might be a good thing for Mr. 378,000 customers with electricity, gas or water. Earn- G. F. Johnson and his associates, who tried to put ings for the March 31, 1915, quarter showed gross of the sardine industry on the map a few years ago, to

Evidently the London brokers require more time at mon dividend and the strength of the company's se- present to think matters over than was formerly the curities, the bonds being up a point since the first of case. The stock exchange at that centre has decided the year, the new preferred stock being about 2 points to open at 10.30 a.m. daily, lengthening by fifteen

It is understood that all the essential preliminarie have been observed in connection with the application of the British Columbia Fishing and Packing Company to have its shares listed on the Montreal furnishes the power for the Municipal Railways of San Stock Exchange outside of the appointment of re Francisco, which constitute the chief means of transgistrars, and these, it is expected, will be named within the next few days. The stock will then be called in lieu of that of the British Columbia Packers' Association, which it supercedes. The stock Kingdom to France in June and July, 1914, amount has been exchanged in a ratio of one of old for two The dividend rate will be made, it is un the sudden outbreak of hostilities, the normal trade derstood, five per cent., instead of ten per cent., as is

There is no truth in the rumor that the Queen of Italy has had to have her arm amputated. In view however, an enormous increase in shipments is of the country's expected entry into a state of belligerency it is particularly pleasing to note that her

> Iron, whether in the form of pig or structural steel The exports of boots and shoes is regarded as one of the greatest and best trade baro-For this reason it is gratifying to know that the United States is now producing more pig fron than at any time within the past twelve mor At the present rate of production her output is 26,-3 000,000 tons a year, as compared with 18,000,000 tons in December last, or a gain of 44 per cent. In steel 4 production the present output is almost double what

> > It always did come high to have one's portrait painted by a distinguished artist! Bids are no en for distinction of sitting for what probably will be last portrait painted by John Singer Sargent, R.A. Proceeds will go to British Red Cross and hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in London. Sir Hugh Lane started the bidding at \$50,000.

> > It is announced that the Algoma Steel Corporation with works at the Sault has secured another order for steel rails of about 8,000 tons from a United States road. This brings the total rail orders received by the company from the States of late to 66,650 tons. The price quoted has been around \$27 a ton,

Another indication that the people of Hungary are not so enamoured of the war as are those of the Austrian portion of the Dual Monarchy is seen in the refusal of the Hungarian Chamber to vote the new military credits demanded by the general staff. Germany may be able to bully the Turks but she

The Canadian Mining and Exploration Company which was organized some three years ago for the nual meeting on that date, to amend the company's charter so that the authorized capital stock will be
Why can we not be included in the circuit? Because, \$15,000,000, divided into 150,000 shares of the par Montreal is no longer considered a "proposition" by ments. In the ordinary line of its undertakings the company so far has not concluded any business that justified a call upon the shareholders for subscrip Montreal cannot support two high class theatres tions. But in recent weeks the company has securdecrease in the preferred stock by retiring in accordance and one vaudeville house. Why can it then be called upon to support three houses playing stock? for it results. While the nature of these has not been discounted and cancelled on the corn. has been surrendered and cancelled on the com-has been surrendered and cancelled on the com-has been said that the Princess Musical Comedy closed, they are said to amount to a considerable fig. pany's books under the offer of exchange, dated Company which is now on the road, will be back again ure. The company, which has a capital stock of \$2,-500,000, the shares having a par value of \$5,000 each numbers among its shareholders such prominent Canadians as Sir William Mackenzie, Sir Edmond Canadians as Sir William Walker and Sir Herbert Holt.

a valuation of \$7,000,000,

Sir George Paish has returned to the London Statist against \$1,700,000 for 1913, but the decrease is almost as one of its two editors having joint rank. Mr. Paish entirely due to provision made for depreciation in the retired from the Statist several months ago to become adviser to the British Exchequer in its dealings 8 per cent. to 6 per cent. and the surplus carried half in England. A syndicate management of His Majesty's Theatre and the Miles and City Bank, J. P. Morgan & Sciens' Union, and the orchestra, which has been sicians' Union, and the orchestra, which has been with the United States when the exchange situation forward is \$63,000, a decrease of \$19,000. A year ngo the directors carried \$20,000 to reserve, and at both performances yesterday, and will continue to Mr. Paish long ago familiarized himself with financial \$40,000 to pension fund. No additions are now made PRINCESS MATINEE SATURDAY CIRL." States and has been considered in London its highest authority on such matters arising in this country and

The Westmount Post Office will be removed this and April 12½ bid. May 12½ bid. East St. Louis spot The Westmount Post Office will be removed this and April 12% bid. May 12% bid. Evening from its present location, corner Greene bank acceptances but the supply while showing some Avenue and St. Catherine street, and on and from New York, April 23.—Sugar futures market open-ed quiet and barely steady. May 273 bid, July 286 increase is still far behind the demand.

Rates for these commitments continue at 2% to % Office Building, corner of Greene and Western

GLEANED FROM MANY SOURCES

Interboro annual meeting will be held this after

J. P. Morgan expects to sail from London for home

English government has arranged to control sale of 2,000,000 tons of Isdian wheat

Southeast of Ypres the British still hold Hill 60 against repeated German attacks Exports from the United States in March amount-

ed to \$299,099,563, and imports \$158,040,216. The German wireless plant at Sayville, Long is-

ard, has been trebled in power. Average price of twelve industrials 89.26, off 0 28 Twenty railways, 97.91, off 0.54.

or a short term loan of about \$50,000,000.

It is reported that Pennsylvania Railway will spend 25,000,000 for a new terminal in Philadelphia.

Directors of the Dow Chemical Co., of Cleveland, eclared an interim dividend of 1 per cent., payable April 26.

The Republic Rubber Co., of Youngstown, Pa., Enos is Turkey's most southwesterly port on eceived an order for 10,000 auto truck tires for one of the belligerent European nations.

eamship communication with Holland would be fortifications. suspended.

state-supported university in the United States.

ton, voted to increase the number of directors from than ever convinced, that the undertaking is pe six to seven and to create the office of vice-presi- fectly feasible, and before long the object

Henry Phippps Wednesday gave to his wife, Annie C. Phipps, their \$2,000,000 residence at northeast

N. L. Amster says he is assured that he can get

\$6,000,000 for Rock Island. A change in the management of the road is demanded by men who will furnish the money. Involuntary petition in bankruptcy against E. C.

Cook & Bro., leather manufacturers, Chicago, says rejection of \$500,000 worth of leather army equipment by British government agents is reason for Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, urging proposal to

standardize the dollar by varying the weight so as standardize the dollar by varying the weight so nee. "Month by month the stream of new to keep the value fixed, chaims that dollar now has been maintained with amazing regularity, o keep the value laked.

been maintained with amazing regularity, he shall not succeed and when the time comes to call for still more 1896. Prof. Fisher favors use of gold certificates exclusively so that changing of weight of gold coins would not have to be carried out literally

FRENCH MILITARY DEMANDS

he frezen meat trade has been issued by W. Wed- ng. del & Co., Limited, London, England. As in 1913 there had been increasing supplies in sight, lower

welve leading descriptions of frozen meat for past tic liners due to leave there to-morrow for Canada ten years, index figures are as follows: 1914, 143.84; the United States, will be held up. The 1913, 112.07; 1912, 104.60; 1911, 93.35; 1910, 96.56. Re- ers were willing to consider the question of tail business in Great Britain was seriously hurt by crease provided the men for the time bei high prices, but recovered because of good wages at on at the old rates and that any advance the close of the year.

French military demands later restored the trade. Switzerland reimposed a prohibitive tax upon imported meat.

meat trade of the world, decreased 8,5 per cent. but ton and lamb, together decreased 1.1 per cent. Beef will be employed on the contract. increased 11.7 per cent. over 1913. All frozen meats South American chilled beef imports were 240,507

tons valued at £9,785,438 in 1913. The war changed ternoon, in the Princess Theatre, in aid of the F demand from chilled to frozen beef, targety increas- Cross Fund, Prof. Frank Norman's juvenile put ing exports from South America of the latter and will give a number of their fancy dan reducing the quantity of the former.

WELL-KNOWN SWISS BANK'S PROFITS GREATLY REDUCED.

London, April 23.— The report for 1914 of the well known banking institution, the Swiss Bank-If one has an aristocratic name and millions in verein, reflects the influence of the war. To strengthmoney, why worry about the succession duties? The en its resources the bank caled in the bulk of its inheritance tax of Mrs. Arcadia De Baker of Los credit balances in other countries and by the end of quired to transact current business

The net profit for the year works out at \$1,100,000,

TIN MARKET QUIET.

New York, April 23.-Tin market is quiet 42.00 to

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Boston, Mass., April 23.—Market opened strong; Copper Range 61, Fruit 139 up 1.

There are signs of great naval activity in the Britian stops North Sea Shipping And may Close Certain Ports

TURK PORT SURRENDERED

British Landed at Enes-Seven Million Poles Starv ing is Statement—No Prohibition, but "Limi-tation of Facilities" in England.

An official statement issued at Amsterdam in behalf of the British Government, says that all shipping between Holland and the United Kingdom stopped for the time being. No ships will leave th United Kingdom for Holland, and ships from Holland will not be admitted to the United Kingdom from to day. It is hoped shortly to resume limited cargo and passenger traffic. Special arrangements have been made for the transfer of mails. United States Con Argentina is negotiating with American bankers sul-General Skinner, at London, cabled to Washing ton that the British Admiralty had given notice tha certain ports of Great Britain may be closed to ship German property in England now in the hands ping without notice. "Closing will be indicated. the message said, "by three vertical red lights at night and three red balls by day. When these signals at displayed vessels must proceed to examination chorage or keep to sea.

Eugitives from Enos says that following a bor dment by the Allies the British landed a force at Enos and the Turkish commandant ordered as evacuation of the port, says a despatch from Sofia e Aegean Sea. British troops are reported to have ef fected a landing at Enos. The Allied fleet is b barding places on the Gallipoli Peninsula, where the England has announced that from Thursday all Turks for a considerable time have been working

The best means for hastening the passage of the Petrograd says that the Austro-German attack on Dardanelles by the Allies' warships was one of Petrograd says that the Austro-German attack of the right flank of the Russian southern army is being thrust back. and the Rt. Hon. Winston Spencer Churchill, Firs Dr. Edward K. Ingraham was inaugurated presi- Lord of the British Admiralty. The conference wa dent of the University of North Carolina, the oldest held in the north of France. On his return to Par M. Augagneur stated the French navy never has thought that the straits could be forced without long Stockholders of the Franklin Mining Co., in Bosntly desired will be attained.

Seven million Poles, of whom two Jews, are in dire need of food, according to a state prier of Fifth avenue and Eighty-seventh street, ment by Mr. Hermann Landau, a prominent Jew ish philanthropist, associated with various Jewish charities in London. Of these sufferers, 5.500,000 east of the Vistula River and 1,500,000 west of t river, he said. The Jews are even poorer than Gentiles, because of the boycott against the Jews parts of Poland before the beginning of the war, which apoverished thousands who otherwise would have ben able to provide for their families.

The recruiting results of the last few mont have been most satisfactory and gratifying, was the statement delivered in the British House of Cor nons yesterday from Earl Kitchener, by Mr. Haro J. Tennant, Parliamentary Secretary of the War () fice. "Month by month the stream of new men b same readiness, decision and promptness as it has responded in the past."

That the British Government does not intend to have recourse to prohibition in dealing with th drink question was inferred from Premier Asquit statement in the House fo Comm that on Wednesday or Thursday next the Chance lor of the Exchequer would bring forward pr New York, April 23.- The 27th annual review of for "dealing with the limiting of facilities for dria

Trouble has again arisen on the Clyde ever prices had been expected. But new records were set up for all classes of frozen meat.

Thomse has again arisen on the city of the mean of With 100 as the average of top quotations for is conceded within the next few ho retroactive. These proposals.

HARNESS ORDER FOR MEDICINE HAT.

Imports of mutton in Great Britain, centre of the Hat, have received an order to make five hundred The T. Hutchinson Company, Limited, of Medi meat trade of the work, and the second second imports of lamb increased 8.7 per cent. Both mut-will be done at once and from forty to seventy me sets of harness for the Militia Department. The wor

TO GIVE FANCY DANCES.

At the matinee of "A Country Girl," tons of a value of £10,205,002 compared with 262,400 A. A. Operatic Society, to be held next Saturday a

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DOMINION SAVINGS E

BIG MILITARY CAMP IS

Calgary, Alta., April 24.—Busines re looking forward with interest e big military camp on the Sarces ty when some 6,000 soldiers will Large quantities of lumber and o erial are being taken to the cam erned into huts, stores, building while a large force of workers a ctions of the Canadian Enginee There are now somewhere around he city, and it is estimated that app per month is being spent by ar he husiness men here. When the c and 3,500 more men added, it is thou here will show a marked improveme is understood, will not be very f and some \$260,000 will, as is estima the soldiers, the business men fir hare of this sum will also be left Colonel Lowe and Major De Roch hich it is expected will be occupied

out the end of May.

EMDEN'S CREW AGAIN man warship Aysha, composed of when the cruiser Emden was sun n warship in the Indian Ocean, N ed again from Allied patrol ships Arabian harbor of Lidd on March

red by sea the distance of three m Hodeida to Lidd. After reaching the coast the sailo nue their journey overland but v rabs, supposedly at the instigation After three days' stubborn fighting t pulsed and they reached the road where the railway was open. The ac

ans suffered heavy losses. The Aysha is a schooner seized as nd by a landing party from the cruis were abandoned by that ship when Sydney was chasing her.

LARGE WAR ORDERS RUM New York, April 24 .- TheA meric has issued no statement relative but it is officially admitted that the con osed. With the British war order equipment buying would enable the cor new high records in earnings over t years, which would seem to assure the cent, on the preferred, and a large su

common. Value of the company's order ombined war orders of the Bethleher reported January INSPIRATION COPPER PL New York, April 23.— Inspiration Cop ed to begin operations in June. company will be able t rate of 100,000,000 pounds a year a ats a pound. On the present price fould mean earnings of close to \$10,0 it is claimed that on 16 cent. copper

can earn \$7.35 a share on an output of LEGISLATURE WILL ADJOS Albany, N.Y., April 24.—The New Yo ature will wind up its labors to-day djournment was scheduled for noon, will likely run into late afternoon in o p some pending matters. Up to date 3 been signed and become law.

claimed that advertisers in An 615,000,000 a year, or an average of \$6.8

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