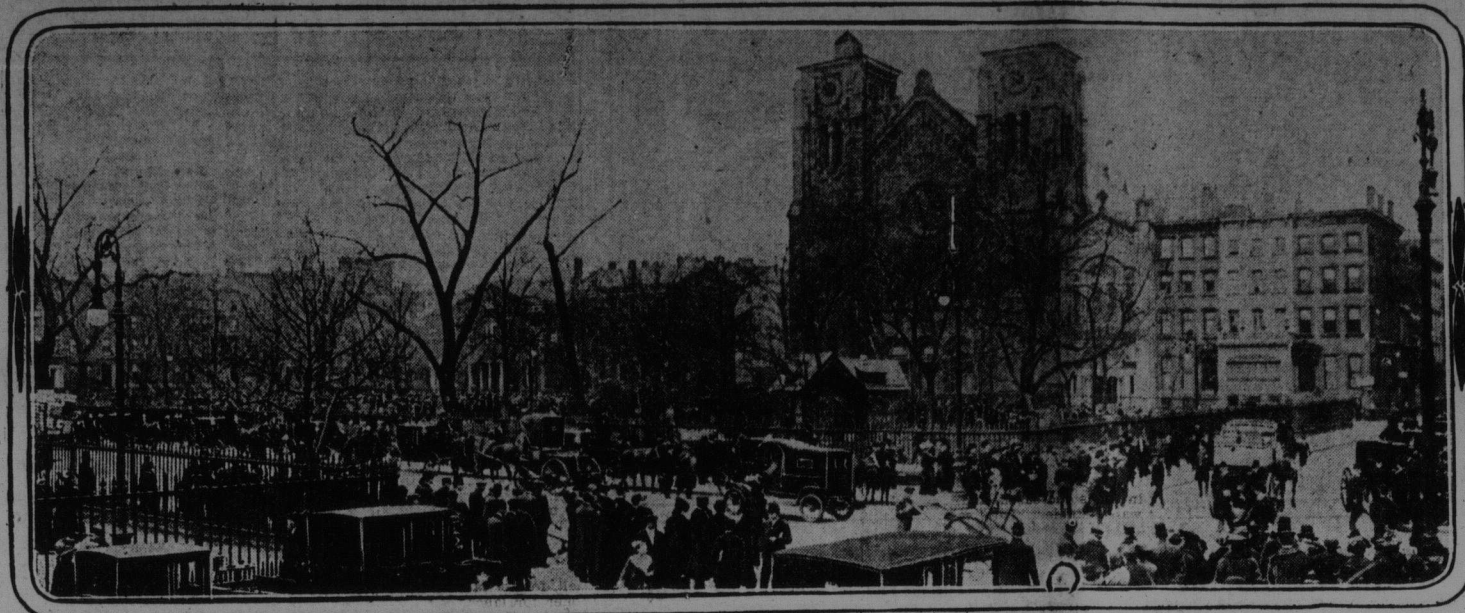


FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS AND COMMENT

FUNERAL OF J. PIERPONT MORGAN ATTENDED BY MANY THOUSAND ADMIRERS.



SCENE WITNESSED IN STUYVESANT SQUARE WHILE MR. MORGAN'S FUNERAL SERVICES WERE BEING HELD

The financial world, men prominent in the greatest business institutions of the country, leaders in the law, science and education, joined with the relatives of the great financier in paying a last tribute of affection and esteem to the memory of J. Pierpont Morgan, financier, constructor of great business, patron of art, parent and friend.

Men and women of the social world, members of art and scientific societies, trustees and directors of museums and delegations from patriotic and philanthropic societies were in the assemblage which attended the funeral.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER FROM RANDOLPH

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
New York, April 22.—The market opened quiet and without much change. After some hesitation around the opening level, prices advanced, and a fair amount of strength was shown during the first hour, at fractional gains throughout the list. Some stocks, however, seemed to be for the advance and prices hesitated and in the afternoon a sagging off began, which increased as the day wore on so that before the close very general declines were shown from the early high level. The advance of yesterday and this morning seemed to be a covering movement on the part of the professional element on the floor. When this was over, and the support from this source was withdrawn, prices started to sag back to their previous levels. There was no news to affect values. The money market, both for time and call funds in Wall street continued easy. Commercial borrowers still complain of high rates and difficulty in securing accommodation. Total sales—Stocks, 517,000; bonds, \$1,829,000.

E. & C. RANDOLPH.

DEVELOPMENTS AFFECTING MARKET

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
The commander of the International fleet blockading the coast has notified Montenegro that she must immediately withdraw her troops from Scutari, or else the fleet will land troops at Antivari. In the Senate a combination of opponents of the tariff bill are expected to fight. Experts say that a break in the levee will flood 1,130 square miles in the cotton belt. A Minn. rate case decision cannot be expected for several months. United States Circuit Court judges favor extension of time for the dissolution of the Hartman lines until July 1st. New Haven's 9 years financing will under United States inquiry. The financial situation of the board will announce its decision tomorrow. A delegation representing 100,000 trainmen will meet the road managers today for increased wage demands. Information channels are favorable to conservative purchases. A continuation of the tendency of the market to respond readily to moderate buying may be seen today. The small floating supply places the short and long interest in a somewhat uncertain position. We would look for buying opportunities with the intention to hold until there is more important selling which has recently been in evidence.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL BUREAU.

MARKET VIEWS OF NEW YORK PAPERS

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
New York, April 22.—News—There is nothing important in way of news to explain the reversible form in the market, and the movement is generally attributed to a drive against the short interest, forcing them to cover. Herald-Advertisers having short contracts outstanding are in a rather uncomfortable frame of mind. Tribune—At the right price there is money for the purchasers of high class offerings. American—Developments indicative that nervousness on the part of the bears may bring about a further advance in prices. To reiterate, the market is probably stronger than it looks. World—There is little evidence of public interest in the stock market.

EVANS ON STOCKS.

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
New York, April 22.—The market is apparently sold out, and the rally yesterday was on shorts. This rally is apt to go farther today, but there is nothing in the situation to cause any real change in the market, and it will probably remain for some time longer a trading range with any real tendency in either direction.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

Throughout the British Empire the subjects of King George will today observe the festival of St. George, the tutelary saint of England. The hero of the legendary battle with the dragon was a tribute to the reign of King George, and was celebrated on the 23rd of April, 290. At an early date he was honored above other saints by English Christians, and in 1222, during the reign of Henry III., it was ordered that his feast be kept as a holiday.

A True Bill.

(Toronto Mail and Empire.)
Orville Wright has expressed the opinion that many lives will be lost before the prize of \$10,000 offered by the London Daily Mail is won by the first aviator to fly across the Atlantic. A newspaper might find a better use for its money than in encouraging aviators, already sufficiently reckless, to imperil their lives.

A LISTLESS DAY IN MONTREAL MARKET

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
Montreal, April 22.—The local stock market showed a further tendency towards listlessness today, with what there was on a slight downward direction. Even C. P. R., with a range of only 1/2 point in the local trading and little more than that in the New York market, failed to furnish a feature of interest. Power was similarly listless, holding unchanged at 22 1/2 throughout the day. Both leaders closed virtually unchanged. On actual transactions C. P. R. showed a gain of 1/2 point, but closing bid at 24 1/2 was shaded 1/4 point below Monday's. Power was offered at 22 1/2 as compared with 22 1/2 the previous day, but closing bid was the same at 22 1/2. The rest of the market exhibited much the same dullness. Toronto Railway opened strong at 14 1/2, an over night gain of 2 points and advanced a small fraction higher. On light trading it fell back to 14 1/2, in the afternoon and closed offered at 14 1/2 with 14 1/2 bid, or virtually unchanged. Cottons preferred was fairly firm on its two point rise to 79 on Monday and held between that price and 78 1/2. At the close, however, it was offered at 79 1/2 with 78 1/2 bid. Textile eased off 1/4 to 88 1/2. Cement common was firm between 30 and 30 1/2, closing unchanged at 30, while the preferred was up 1/2 to 31. Detroit and Iron were both on the heavy side, iron declining 1/4 to 51 and closing that price asked, while Detroit fell back 1/4 to 75 1/2 and closed at the low. Canners and Richelieu showed losses of 1/2 points each. Laurentide was a firm stock between 22 1/2 and 23 and Scotia was slightly better at 8 1/2. Tramway debentures continued their recovery, selling at 79 1/2 as compared with a last sale price of 78 and a recent low of 75. On the surface the market appears to have settled back into a waiting mood with more attention again directed to New York. The inspiration of the market, however, appears to be not encouraging, the London tone was rather neutral and locally the money situation remained a depressing factor. C. P. R. 300 shares; 300 mines, \$13,800 bonds.

DOW JONES' SUMMARY OF NEWS AND VIEWS.

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
House begins its debate on tariff bill today. Stock Exchange incorporation bill to be considered at executive session of Senate Judiciary Committee today at Albany. Court holds that White Star Line cannot commit its liabilities for damages arising out of Titanic disaster to Government makes no objection to extension of time for Union Pacific reorganization to July 1st. Governor Sulzer nominates John Mitchell, former labor leader, as commissioner of labor. Arbitration board to announce its award in firemen's wage demands tomorrow. California legislature decides to draft new alien bill as substitute for Thompson-Birdsall now in Senate. Federal action expected. Twelve industrialists advanced 73 per cent. Twenty active rails advanced 65 per cent. Brazilian Traction Light and Power declared quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent, payable May 20. DOW JONES.

A Rod in Pickle.

(Whitcomb and Tomlinson.)
The Alberta Conservatives have done remarkably well. The increased representation in the Legislature means, if it means anything, that the people of the Province have not that full-fledged and implicit confidence in Liberalism and Siftonism which was paraded as the chief asset of the Alberta Government. In any fair and square contest in which the power of the Government was pitted against its record, it would be repudiated. It was able to save its bacon because of its control of the vote in the rural districts. The townspeople of the Province have a rod in pickle for it.

PRICE'S LETTER ON COTTON MARKET

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
New York, N. Y., April 22.—Cotton market has shown continued nervousness again today with prices again making new low ground and reaching the lowest level touched since the high point of last December. The opening was steady at an advance of 1 to 3 points in response to steady cables and a renewal of yesterday's late buying movement, but there was a lot of cotton for sale around the opening prices, and it looked as if favorable weather forecast and the lowest point was reached during the early afternoon when the active months were 12 to 15 points under the closing figures of last night. Nothing further developed in the way of fresh news bearing on the old crop situation and the fact that southern spot prices are maintained through the independence of holders rather than through any particular demand seemed to be indicated by the further and further below a party. Private cables reporting apprehension of labor troubles in Lancashire proved rather a surprise as recent mill advices may have been optimistic on this point.

W. W. PRICE.

DOCTOR ON TRIAL IN WIFE POISONING CASE



The trial at Springfield, Ohio, of Dr. Arthur B. Smith, accused of murder in the first degree by poisoning his first wife, Mrs. Florence C. Smith, is attracting considerable attention. J. B. Malone, chief counsel for Dr. Smith, declares that experts' evidence will show that no trace of poison was found in the body of Mrs. Smith and that she died of natural causes.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, April 22.—OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 43; Canadian western No. 3, 40 1/2; extra No. 1, 42 1/2. FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.40; Manitoba spring wheat second, \$5.30; Manitoba spring wheat strong bakers, \$4.70; winter patents, choice, \$5.25; straight rollers, \$4.85 to \$4.90; straight rollers, bags, \$2.20 to \$2.25. MILLFEED—Bran, \$19 to \$20; shorts, \$21 to \$22; middlings, \$24 to \$25; middling, \$28 to \$34. HAY—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$13 to \$13.25. POTATOES—50 to 65.

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MARRIED IN TAUNTON, MASS.

Apothol, April 18.—Cards have been received announcing the marriage on Tuesday, 15th, in Taunton, Mass., of Harry L. McCready, youngest son of C. B. McCready, of this place, and Miss Grace R. Conaty, of Taunton. The couple left on Wednesday for New York en route to Atlantic City and other southern points. On their return they will make their home in Lewiston, Maine, the groom being supervisor of the Slinger Sewing Machine Co. for the State of Maine.

Insurance Settled.

The appraisers have settled the damage to the Lawrence building which was damaged in the Daniel fire at \$725.

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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT AND MEETING OF CREDITORS.

TAKE NOTICE that William G. Lee, of the City and County of Saint John in the Province of New Brunswick, formerly Steamship Agent, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 141 of the Consolidated Statutes of New Brunswick, 1903, intituled "An Act respecting Assignments and Preferences by Insolvent Persons," did on the twenty-first day of April instant, make a general assignment for the benefit of his creditors to the undersigned Stephen S. deForest of the City of Saint John and County of Saint John, High Sheriff of the said City and County; and also so that a meeting of the creditors of the said William G. Lee will be held at my office at the Court House City of Saint John on Monday, the fifth day of May A. D. 1913, at the hour of eleven o'clock of the forenoon, for the appointment of inspectors and giving of instructions with reference to the disposal of the estate and the transactions of such other business as shall legally come before the meeting. And Notice is further given, that all creditors are required to file their claims, duly proven, with the said Assignee, within three months from the date of this Notice, unless further time be allowed by any Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of such Estate, and that the said Assignee shall be at liberty to distribute the proceeds of the said Estate as if any such claim not filed did not exist but without prejudice to the liability of the debtor therefore. Dated at Saint John this 22nd day of April A. D. 1913. STEPHEN S. deFOREST, Sheriff, Assignee.

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SEALED TENDERS

addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Construction of a 50 ft. 6 inches Single Screw Wooden Tug" will be received at this office until 4:00 P. M. on Monday, May 12, 1913, for the construction of a 50 ft. 6 inches Single Screw Wooden Tug with Gasoline Motor. Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of T. H. Schwitter, Esq., Mech. Superintendent Birks Building, Ottawa, Ont.; A. E. Dabur, Esq., District Engineer, Montreal, Que.; C. E. W. Dowdell, Esq., District Engineer, Halifax, N. S.; G. A. Bernasconi, Esq., District Engineer, North Sydney, N. S.; H. H. Donnelly, Esq., Supt. of Dredges, St. John, N. B.; J. T. Nickerson, Esq., Insp. of Dredges, Liverpool, N. S.; and J. N. MacDonald, Esq., Insp. of Dredges, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupation, and the place of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted check on a clearing bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or to complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works.

NEWSPAPERS WILL NOT BE PAID FOR

Ottawa, April 17, 1913. Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department—39716.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or an adult over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of land in the Dominion of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, or the Northwest Territories. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at the office of any Local Agent of Dominion Lands (not sub-agent) on certain conditions. Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within five miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 40 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required in every case, except when residence is performed in the vicinity. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3 per acre. Duties—Six months residence in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough scrubby land). A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price, \$1 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect house worth \$200.

THE CITY OF ST. JOHN

Invites Sealed Tenders for the following works, viz:—Excavation, backfill and cartage for sewer and water main in Douglas avenue, Adelaide street, and for the building of a concrete culvert over Newman Brook in Adelaide street. All of which work is to be done in accordance with plans and specifications on exhibition in the office of the Commissioner of Water and Sewerage. A cash deposit equal to five per cent. of the estimated full value of the work must accompany each tender. Tenders for these works will be received in the office of the Common Clerk, City Hall, until 11 a. m. of Friday, April 25th inst., and none will be considered unless on the form supplied by the city. The City does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. St. John, N. B., April 17, 1913.

RUPERT W. WIGMORE, Commissioner.

ADAM P. MACINTYRE, Comptroller.

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Investment News

St. John, April 23, 1913.

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