HAPPENINGS IN THE **WORLD** OF SPORT

Montreal Inaugurates its Season in International League Today at Newark

FRIENDLY SOCCER MATCH

frving Long, the Billiard Player, is Dead-Jim Cor-Has Made a Great Hit With the Aus. tralians-Toronto Team Gets Two Pitchers.

couple more infielders. At present Fullerton and for a reduction in earnings for the year 1914. former for the infield and the latter for the outfield.

Irving Long, a weil known figure in the pocket billiards world, is dead of ptomaine poisoning. Long billiard career when 16 years of age.

Providence inaugurated its season by a whitelittle trouble in holding the Greys runless.

State Boxing Commission, and his two sisters were a day. asleep in their home in New York city, burglars en tered and stole money and jewelry valued at \$7,500.

After their initial defeat, Torontos came back strong and defeated Richmond 15 to 4. The Maple August, 5.73d.; Oct.-Nov., 5.91%d.; Jan.-Feb., 5.98d. Leafs gleaned 22 hits, or over three times as many

D'Arcy Hinds, the great Irish bard.

ferred to the Giants.

friendly match.

The Royals inaugurate their season in the Inter- asking his decision," said Mr. Shirkie national League with a game this afternoon at New With the exception of Holden, in the outfield, and Irelan on third, the Montrealers will present practically the same line-up as a year ago.

The Royals will have a lay-off to-morrow and play Newark again on Saturday, with a double-header or

great hit with the Australians. Corbett took with him from the United States the heavyweight Tom Cowler, of whom he prophesies great things. Cowler will have plenty of trying out with the Australian heavyweights.

Pitchers Adolph Luque and Eugene Cocreham have been released by the Boston Nationals to the Toronto team, of the International League.

Lady Curzon, the Dyment filly which won the Woodbine, is reported to have worked a mile at the

Sir Clifford Sifton's hunters, which are being sold

W. Starlnig Burgess aeroplane factory in Marblehead, solos by Prof. McCreary. Mass. Burgess is constructing a machine for young

release. He was a member of the club since 1909.

satisfaction.

NOTES ON PUBLIC UTILITIES

Montana Power Co., reports the following earnings: Net after taxes 652,047 432,036 Dec. 42,420 Sur. after charges 389,615

An appeal to the Supreme Court has been filed by he city of Memphis in the decision holding that Memphis Street Railway Co. is a subsidiary of American Cities Co., not obligated to issue transfers on tickets sold 11 for 50 cents. The upholding of this decision by the higher courts means an addition of \$30,000 a year to the revenue of the street railway.

According to the annual report of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, depressed business onditions and competition with jitney buses and nes the opening game. He is on a still hunt for a McGraynor are the only utility players available, the 1913 the surplus for the \$25,000,000 stock amounted to 5.66 per cent., as compared with 3.85 per cent. in 1914. In 1912 it was 6.21 per cent.; in 1911 it was 7.02 per cent., and in 1910 it was 6.06 per cent.

Gross earnings of the Municipal Railway of San Francisco for the first two months of 1915 amounted to \$373,685, according to figures given out by the city. 891.08 decreased gross profits on reduction in Expenditures were \$155,105, leaving a profit for the wash, Buffalo turning the trick by a score of 3 to 0. two months of \$118,580. These figures include only from other investments. Merchandise stocks show Bader, the Bison pitcher, was in rare form, and had eight days of the exposition traffic, and the city officers in the considerable reduction and are now well as the considerable reduction. excess of \$1,000,000, as gross receipts since the open-While Charley Harvey, secretary of the New York ing of the exposition have been averaging over \$6,000

FUTURES CLOSED QUIET.

Liverpool, April 29.—Futures closed quiet at a net decline of 4½ to 6 points. May-June, 5.56d.; July-

PLAN \$30,000,000 COAL MERGER.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 29.-Plans for the merger Johnson has left for sunny Spain, the abode of the of coal-mining properties in Indiana worth \$30,000,000 Spanish omelet, while Flanagan, happy as a lark, is will be discussed at a meeting here next Thursday back in Toronto telling how it all happened to night by representatives of 114 coal companies, it be-The services of Zack Wheat, the crack left fielder to consolidate the sales departments of all the comof the Brooklyns, and regarded by many as the star panies, and "by this arrangement it is hoped to eli- "The Day" will have arrived. outfielder of the National League, has been trans- minate much of the expense of handling coal in Indiana.

Mr. Shirkie also told of the trip a committee of A team picked from the British Navy defeated the coal operators, including several Chicago men, made developments, aside from the usual routine proceed-Canadian Vickers soccer eleven 1 goal to 0 at the to Washington, where they interviewed C. G. Todd, ings, are expected. As is generally understood the Canadian Vickers grounds yesterday afternoon in a Assistant United States Attorney-General, in charge year 1914, which is covered in the report to be subof the Trust investigations, in regard to the merger.

THEATRICAL NEWS

McGILL ORCHESTRAL CONCERT.

The last McGill Conservatorium Orchestral Con cert of the season will be given to-night in the Royal Victoria College, at 8.30. This student body, under the direction of Dr. Perrin, has been doing some remarkably clever work this season, but it is said that they will this evening surpass their previous efforts.

song entitled, "The Colors of the Flag," and will, with orchestral accompaniment, be sung by Mr. W. W. Marshall. Thme words of this song are by the Rev. Canon Scott, of Quebec, who is now with the troops at the front, and are set to music by Dr. Perrin.

ERSKINE CHURCH MUSICALE.

A musical recital, under the direction of Prof. A. A. Guy Tombs: Miss eBatrice Fraser; Miss Kathleen cent. Vincent Astor is taking lessons in aviation at the McKissock; Miss Grace Hanson, and several organ

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Heard Around the Ticker

Additional evidence that the local "Street" is get 1915... 1914. Changes. ting back to normal is shown by the fact that blok ers have commenced to re-issue their market letters One from Thornton, Davidson & Co. appeared this morning, giving a resume of the market conditions since the Stock Exchange opened. The report pays Car & Foundry, Scotia and Dominion Steel, Domin

for the year ended December 31st, 1914, were unfavorably affected by the general dep ent throughout the earlier part of 1914, and more drastically affected, following the severe damage to through drought, resulting in a decrease from \$7,318,412.51 (for thirteen months) to \$5,703,339.33 (for twelve months) or a difference of \$1,615,073.18. Collections exceeded sales by \$27,000.00, which is considered a creditable showing, when hegard is had to the prevailing financial stringency. The percentage of profit on cost of sales was well maintained notwithstanding unexpected competition, and ar to \$187,827.57, which, when compared with \$321,273.39 for the previous thirteen months, shows a shrinkage of \$133,445.82, this amount being represented by \$131,additional losses for bad debts, and reduced incomconsiderable reduction and are now well assorted, cials estimate that for the year net profits will be in approximately \$250,000.00 of fancy and slow selling ceries included in the 1913 inventory of \$1,188, and acquired from the old company having been disposed of during the year by special effort last previous sale. in order that all the stock included in the present in ventry be placed in first-class condition

> Canada is still in the billion dollar class! Trade returns for the fiscal year ended March showed bush ness transacted amounting to \$1,078,000,000, a slight decrease, however from the figures of the previous year, when the figures were \$1,112,000,000.

If Admiral Jellicoe has an opportunity of visualiz ing that phantom fleet of sixty-eight German war ships, said to have been seen cruising in the North Shirkie a wealthy Terre Haute coal-mine owner, is Sea by a Norwegian sailor, all other achievements have been beaten off. in this war will pale into insignificance. For then

The annual meeting of the Steel Company of Canada, Limited, is being held in Hamilton to-day. No mitted, bore heavily upon companies of the class in Mr. Todd advised us to perfect our plans before question both in Canada and the United States, and it not, therefore, surprising that a substantial decline in profits is to be noted. In the case of the Steel Company of Canada the practical cessation of all activity in railway building, in the manufacture of agricultural implements and cars of all kinds, municipal and other construction work, cut deeply into the production of rolled bars and pig iron, which are the concern's heaviest tonnage lines. The first five June and the early part of July a fair increase was noticed, but at the outbreak of the war, business was entirely disrupted; many desirable orders which had een placed on the books were cancelled in whole or in part. With the falling off in demand, there also followed, as a natural sequence, a decline in prices.

> New York City expends \$623.197,000 on its civic affairs. Montreal has to go some to equal the record set by her big neighbor to the south, but business men will not object if we do not catch up to her.

The Boston Globe describes Senator Curry, presi-Michaelmas Stakes last autumn in record time, and
J. McCreary, will be held at Erskine Church this dent of the Canadian Car and Foundry Company, as evening, and a truly enjoyable time is forecasted, the "Canadian responsible for the boom in American Among those participating is Sergeant Hawkins, stocks," and suggests that, with his information re- four shillings weekly in all wages below £210 yearly. chief trumpeter to His Majesty King George V. at garding the \$80,000,000 Russian order, he might hav St. Paul's Cathedral, London, Eng. He is programmed made millions in speculation. He might have bought for two cornet solos." Others taking part are Mrs. stocks several weeks ago and sold them now at adin New York City, bring good prices; \$2,350 was paid Lidstone, soprano; Mr. G. Markowski, violinist; Mrs vances in some cases as high as twenty-five per hem Steel Corporation below New Castle, which are

manager of the Canadian Locomotive Company, King- be made of a material similar to papier mache. ston, has just returned to Canada after a trip to The Draamtic and iLterary Club of Trinity Church Russia. That country, he says, is one of wonderful Otis Clymer, veteran of the Minneapolis American made its final bow for the season last night with a capital performance of Hubert Henry Davies "Lady desirous of branching out into the world's markets, Co., British end of the Standard Oil Co., and British New York, April 29.—Cur should avail themselves of every opportunity. "I have independent interests over control of the output of can Zinc sold 42½ up 1%; Houston Oil, 16, up 14; heard criticism abroad of failure to make promised petroleum. In its ramifications the fight involves Standard Oil shares quiet deliveries," he remarked, "and some instances of goods not being up to promised standard. The only way we in England in the hope of establishing a giant comcan beat our German and other foreign competition bination to go into effect at the end of the war. Anglo- N. Y. Transport, 614% to 614%; Elec. Boat, 83 to 84. is by making good, and by giving the purchaser what he wants and pays for." Mr. Wheatley is of the opin-supplying it with oil a a fixed price for a series of Pet., 10 to 10%; Anglo American, 18% to 18%; Housion that Germany, being still very powerful, will be years. able and willing to fight for quite a time yet. Having failed to injure Great Britain from the sea, a concerted aerial raid may be expected in the near New York, April 29.—Stock market opening:

> Overjoyed at the defeat of the pro-German aspir ant for the mayoralty, the citizens of Chicago de corated the streets for miles with flags and bunting when the successful candidate was inaugurated.

> Farm implements emanating from the works of the Massey-Harris Company are splendidly ubiquitous Twenty yards from a trench in Flanders, capture and held by the Canadians, was a threshing machine bearing the imprint of these well-known manufac

Mr. E. Mackay Edgar, a member of the firm of Sperling and Company, of London, Eng., but form erly a well-known figure on the local Street, is at present in New York City on business connected his firm. Businessmen in Great Britain, he says, are generally looking for an end to hostilities along about September, but, be the war long or paid this week. Financial arrangements made by short, there is no doubt in the minds of the Allied the Montreal Ammunition Company, the new subeventually be driven back within his own borders.

"It may be that we English have been too confi-"It may be that we English have been too confident," he continued, "but we are now going about the task seriously, and with one definite end in view—that, no matter what the cost, the utilimate aim of the allied nations must be carried out. Financial affairs in London are satisfactory, and there will be a considerable of the last hefore us."

HAMILTON BONDS SOLD.

Hamilton, Ont., April 29.—The city has sold \$666,—900 worth of debentures to Wood Gundy Company, Toronto, the price paid being 96.06, which is considerable to be exceptionally good.

Bankers and other financial men on the "Street" will find the coin and builton returns the most inter-esting feature in the trade returns. In the fiscal year ended March 31st, Canada imported \$131,997,000 in coin and bullion, as compared with \$15,235,000 for the previous year. These heavy imports were part of the credit balance established at Ottawa in con-nection with the war.

GLEANED FROM MANY SOURCES NEWS

************** Wabash reorganization plan is completed.

tons of rails with Tennessee Coal and Iron Company.

General Sir John French reports that the Germa at Ypres has been definitely stopped

Four thousand American machinists have alread

The State of Tennessee has borrowed \$1,000,000

s growing in volume every day. Average price of twelve industrials 89.78, up 0.65.

Twenty railways 97.73, up 0.40. National City Bank has tentatively arranged to lend the State of Alabama \$1,000,000.

The battle for Uzsok Pass in the Carpathians has raged for 5 days with no signs of abating. The Austro-German army is being constantly reinforced.

U. S. industrial alcohol plants are operating at full apacity day and night and most of the output into

A seat on the New York Cotton Exchange was sold at auction for \$13,500, an increase of \$2,100 over the of the British forces on the Continent, in announced

of its kind in the United States, has shut down as a the most sanguinary battles of the war. result of lack of flax and tow

and forwarding them to Germany.

Jacob Schiff, of Kuhn Loeb & Co., says the recovery

entire stock of blankets which the American Company had conferred upon her, many theoretical resolutions Alexander Smith & Sons' Carpet Co., which has

will operate four days a week hereafter, affecting 7,-

creditors \$150,000 at once to apply on \$2,000,000 claims which it says produce a quick and painless death. months of the year were particularly dull, but in of the depositors in his failed bank. This plan has than to pour a hurricane of shells on a single spe been promptly rejected.

Governor Whitman signed the Seely bill which pro-

vides that municipalities in New York State shall pay physicians twenty-five cents for each birth certificate nade out and filed. Mayor and Mrs. Mitchell, of New York City, and a

party of friends will leave Sunday for a bear hunt in berit. The verdict of the court is subject the Rockies. After the hunt they will spend a few approval of Emperor William, and the sentence per days at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

London special says it is feared that British postal the session of the court. employes may strike as a result of the refusal by the Government to grant demands for increase of two to

expected to be in operation early in May. Plants will of peace be used in loading projectiles and in making the car-Mr. A. W. Wheatley, vice-president and general riers which hold the shrapnel. These carriers will

London special says that a bitter fight has develop- Pet., 10% to 10%; Chile, 21% to ,21%; Bonds, 11814

NEW YORK OPENING.

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	Amal. Copper	781/2	Up	
	Union Pacific	132 %	Up	
	Reading	1521/2	Up	
-	Mo. Pacific	141/4	Up	
3	St. Paul	961/2		
g	U. S. Steel	59	Up	
	American Smelting	741/4	Up	
	Utah Copper	701/6	Off	
e	N. Y. Central	89 %	Up	-
đ	Mex. Pet	90	Off	1
10	So. Pacific	931/4	Up	
e	Gen. Elec	157%	Up	i
	Westinghouse	96	Up	1
	Pressed Steel Cor	53	Up	1
	C. R. I. Pacific	2614	Off	
1	American Locomotive	59 7/8	Up	1
-	American Can	41 1/8	Up	1
1	Inter. Met. opened 5,000 at 241/2 to	24%, up	% to	5

NATIONAL BRIDGE BOND INTEREST. Overdue interest on National Bridge bonds is to b

paid this week. Financial arrangements made by nations as to the ultimate result—the enemy will sidiary of the Dominion Bridge Company, have conspired to this satisfactory result.

NATIONAL BRICK ANNUAL

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the National Brick Company, of Laprairie, Limited,

BOSTON METAL MARKET.

Boston, Mass., April 29.—Granby 90% off 1%; Butte & Superior 71 un 1%; American Zinc 42% up 3; Copper Range, 61% up %; North Butte, 28% up 2%;

British Line Thrown across South Gallipoli Peninsula Isolating Sedd-el-Bahr

"IS DEFINITELY STOPPED"

an Attempt to Break Allies' Lines at Ypres'at an End Says Sir John French in Report.

The Allies have made rapid progress in their land and sea attack upon the Dardanelles, the gateway to Constantinople. Already the British troops have thrown a line across the southern extremity of the Gallipoli Peninsula from the coast of the Aegean Sea to a point northeast of Eski Hisarlik, the stronglyposition facing the Straits, thus isolating the Turkish stronghold at Sedd-el-Bahr, at the very lips of the Dardanelles, which had previously been destroyed by the fire from the fleet. This has been done, says the Admiralty last night, in face of a strenuous resistance by the Turkish forces, who have combatted every foot of ground won with furious obstinacy.

"Our operations, in conjunction with the French, have definitely stopped the eGrman attack." Field-Marshal Sir John French, commander-in-chief ing the conclusion of the latest German attempt to break through the allied lines around Ypres and Stevens Linen Mills, of Dudley, said to be the largest along the Yser Canal, which brought about one of

One hundred members of the Glasgow Officers' German agents are said to be collecting all the Training Corps will begin to-night a self-imp opper coins available throughout the Balkan Stater task of making shells, in response to the appeal from Earl Kitchener for unlimited amounts of ammun tion. These volunteers belong to the best families of The British War Office announces that the Allied Glasgow, and most of them will go to the shell factroops have established themselves across the end of Gallipoli peninsula and that all attacks of the Turks course of training.

"The declaration of war was solely man's affair: in railroad earnings will not be quick but gradual, de- let the bringing about of peace be woman's work. pending largely upon crops. Winter wheat prospects This was the great theme of the International Congress of Women at The Hague yesterday. After acive routine work, under the unanimously chosen Belgium has ordered 25,000 all-wool six-pound chair-woman, Miss Jane Adams, of Chicago, who blankets from American Woollen Company, taking the gracefully thanked the delegation for the honor they were adopted at the forenoon meeting

The Prussian military organ, the Kreuz Zeitung een running the Yonkers mills three days a week, and the Frankfurter Zeitung and the Cologne Gazette, copies of which have been received in London all admit that the Germans used asphyxiating bonies which they justify. The Frankfurter Zeitung con-Henry Siegel, through attorneys, has offered to pay tends that it is more humane to employ such hombs to destroy and break to atoms everything living

> The German Supreme Court has confirmed the senience of death imposed December 29 on William Lonsdale, of Leeds, England, a private in the Brit ish army for attacking a German non-commis sioned officer at the military prisen camp at Decsibly will be commuted. Ronald D licaryes secretary of the United States Embassy, attended

Answering a question in the British House of ommons yesterday afternon, Neil Primrese, a der-secretary for foreign affairs, declared that the Dispatches from Wilmington say that rapid pro- Foreign Office had no official information to con

NEW YORK CURB.

New York, April 29 .- Curb market opened firm South Penn. Oil 276 to 278; Anglo 1814 to 1812; Int

New York, April 29 .- Curb market strong. Ameri-

ton, 15 to 16; Int. Met., new pfd., 77 at 771/2, commen.

LARGEST GRAIN ACREAGE.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 29.-President Pennington just returned from an inspection trip, says the country along Soo line has the largest grain acreage of record put into the ground under most favorable

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fice says:-"During the nights of April 28

an troops repulsed a German attac and the French progressed in the incendiary, have fallen on Rheims. resulted, but have not been allowed rapidly extinguished.

"In Champagne the Germans born bu'ance, wounding a surgeon "A German attack on Eparges v back by the French.'

AMERICAN WOOLLEN CO. W New York, April 30.— It is estima erican Woollen Co. will make \$1,0 war orders this first half year, and fits will all be in hand by July 1st. With the big impetus to earnings orders, it would not be surprising year's profits totalled \$2,500,000, or dividend requirements on the The big woollen company could from domestic business alone. The safety margin of better than 2 per

Gross business done with all con this year is about \$7 500 000, but the Great Britain will increase this befo DARDANELLES ACTIONS SL Athens, April 30 .- The greater pa French fleet has entered the Dardane

ously bombarding the Turkish forts The cannonade went on Fierce land fighting is in progress the Dardanelles, with the Turks ru preements in an attempt to stem

STRENGTH IN INTER, NICKE New York, April 30 .- Strength Nickel Common is said to be in antic mon holders benefitting from the inc in the form of an extra cash dividend

The directors meet on May 3, and belief that a substantial extra cash announced at that time in addition quarterly dividend of 21/2 per cent. TWO BRITISH SHIPS SE

London, April 30.—The British c was torpedoed off Lewis Island Thu The English trawler "Lillydale" w submarine in the North Se vesterday. Her crew was rescued. RECAPTURED GERMAN London, April 30.—British Admira

that the German supply ship Maced contly escaped from Las Palmas Can teen receptured.

Peris, April 20.—German warships b Irach port of Dankirk, killing 20 an

FRENCH PORT BOMBARD