

MARKET QUOTATIONS ON STOCKS AND BONDS

M'CURDY & CO'S DAY'S SALES ON FINANCIAL LETTER

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)
 Montreal, July 4.—The past week has brought no relief to the stock markets throughout the world. On the contrary, it is likely that occurrences have placed no doubt more than ever the immediate future. From all that can be gathered the war is on again in the Balkans and this time the old allies are fighting over the spoils, but they have even been obtained. Turkey is an interested observer and doubts would be pleased to see them fight till they were exhausted, then she would please herself as to the terms she might make with them. In fact, it is said that she has already notified the powers that under the circumstances she no longer considered herself bound by the terms of the settlement, that settlement having apparently not been satisfactory to the allies. At the moment no one knows what the result will be. Austria has been considerably agitated, and doubtless Russia is also.

Meantime the effect of the new conditions has been a bearish factor, so far as the stock markets of the world are concerned. C. P. R. has declined several points yet is holding in the vicinity of 214. Everything considered the resistance shown by the stock is an encouraging sign, in fact, the remarks apply also to all stocks declines in face of the most depressing news which the world has been able to furnish have been surprisingly small and would seem to indicate that the market is close to bottom. As an evidence of this might be mentioned the fact that a list of twenty standard United States railway bonds showed an average price of 90, this being the lowest average since away back in the panic year of 1907. One of the most interesting issues in the local market has been Ottawa Power. This is the only stock which has shown a disposition to advance somewhat during the past few days. The rights are now selling at 20, and the stock at 151, both of which prices are slightly higher than previously, though most other issues are utterly lower. Even at these prices it is considered that Ottawa Power is a purchase and several local brokers are recommending it to their clients for investment. The floating supply has never been large and the investment buyers have been making it even smaller, and it is thought that this is in a large part accountable for the tendency to advance.

It was thought that the release of large amount of money this week in the payment of bonds would result in a large increase in the purchasing of stocks for investment. However, this result has to some extent been experienced but buyers are in no hurry and in the meantime, doubtless they consider their money to be as valuable a commodity as any other. The fact is, however, that there are many very cheap issues at the moment and these purchased at recent prices will give a splendid interest or dividend return so that investors are still taking a great deal of choice in picking up attractive issues from time to time.

Quebec Railway, Light, Heat and Power bonds seem to be in danger. They have been declining from one level to another during the past few days and now are selling at 39, which is the lowest on record. The interest was due at the first of June and has not been met in all cases, though it is stated that in some cases it has been met. This seems to be rather an unusual method of paying interest. No explanation has been forthcoming for the situation and no one has forgotten very readily by those who were induced to put their money into a public utility security.

The rest of the market remained about steady, the tendency as explained being rather downward.

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 Body Identified.
 The body of the man who was drowned early yesterday morning has been identified as that of John Devine.

MONTREAL MARKET

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 Morning Sales.
 Cement, 5 @ 27 1/2, 2 @ 28 1/4, 4 @ 28 1/2, 2 @ 29, 10 @ 29 1/2, 25 @ 29 3/4.
 Crown Reserve, 550 @ 240.
 Montreal Telephone, 3 @ 135.
 Rich and Ontario, 100 @ 107.
 Bank of Commerce, 50 @ 202.
 C. P. R., 30 @ 213 7/8, 100 @ 214, 60 @ 214 1/4, 5 @ 214 1/2, 25 @ 214 1/4, 125 @ 214 1/4, 25 @ 214 1/4.
 Illinois Pfd., 16 @ 90.
 Montreal Power, 8 @ 211.
 Dominion Bridge, 10 @ 117.
 Brazilian, 5 @ 85.
 Bank of N. S., 10 @ 258 3/4, 6 @ 258 1/2, 25 @ 258.
 Textile, 30 @ 80.
 Penman, 15 @ 53, 5 @ 52 1/2.
 Royal Bank, 36 @ 215 1/2.
 Ogilvie, 5 @ 113, 3 @ 114.
 Ottawa Power, 32 @ 151.
 Ottawa Rights, 36 1/2 @ 20.
 Montreal Cotton, 1 @ 58.
 Bell Phone, 50 @ 142.
 Quebec Railway, 25 @ 10 7/8, 45 @ 11.
 Spanish River, 260 @ 47, 40 @ 46, 10 @ 46 1/4.
 Toronto Railway, 115 @ 136.
 Tuckett, 10 @ 43.
 Montreal Street Bonds, 2,600 @ 100.
 Quebec Bonds, 1,000 @ 40, 2,500 @ 39.
 Western Canada Power Bonds, 500 @ 85.
 Afternoon Sales.
 Cement, 15 @ 27.
 Canada Cotton, 25 @ 35 1/4.
 Cement Pfd., 50 @ 90, 10 @ 89 1/2.
 Lake of the Woods, 10 @ 125.
 C. P. R., 50 @ 214 1/2, 25 @ 214 1/4, 5 @ 214 1/2, 25 @ 89.
 Ottawa Rights, 50 1/2 @ 20.
 Toronto Railway, 25 @ 136.
 Quebec Railway, 50 @ 10 3/4.
 Brazilian, 150 @ 84, 150 @ 84 1/4.
 Spanish River, 25 @ 47 3/8, 75 @ 47 1/2, 100 @ 47 3/4, 25 @ 47 1/2, 50 @ 49, 50 @ 49 1/2, 10 @ 49 1/4.
 Quebec Bonds, 2,000 @ 42.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, July 4.—CORN—American No 2 yellow, 68 and 69.
 OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 42; No. 3, 40 and 42; extra No. 1 feed, 41 and 41 1/2.
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QUOTATIONS FOR THE MARITIME SECURITIES

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 Miscellaneous Asked. Bid.
 Acadia Fire ... 100 98
 Acadia Sugar Pfd. ... 104 100
 Acadia Sugar Ord. ... 70 69
 Broad-Head, Com. ... 39 35
 C. B. Electric Com. ... 85 80
 East Can. Sav. & Loan 140 138
 Eastern Trust ... 150 145
 Halifax Fire ... 100 98
 New Pure Wool Tex. Pfd. (with bonus of common stock) ... 100 98
 Maritime Tel. Com. ... 84 80
 Mar. Telephone Pfd. ... 103 100
 North Atlantic Fisheries with stock bonus ... 100 95
 N. B. Telephone ... 110 108
 N. S. Car 1st Pfd. ... 94 85 1/2
 N. S. Car 2nd Pfd. ... 70 60
 N. S. Car 3rd Pfd. ... 40 35
 Nova Scotia Fire ... 100 90
 N. S. Clay Works Pfd. ... 84 80
 N. S. Clay Works Com. ... 40 30
 Nova Scotia Tel. ... 100 90
 N. S. Steel 1st Mort. 94 1/2 92
 Stanfield's Com. ... 70 68
 Trinidad Cons. Tel. Com. 40 32
 Trinidad Electric ... 72 ...

STARTS ON 10,000 MILE CANOE TRIP.



John H. Sullivan, Jr. of Indiana, has started on a 10,000 mile canoe trip from New York city to San Francisco. Mr. Sullivan expects to make this journey in a year. He will go by inland waters and the Panama Canal.

Investment News

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MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)
 Morning.
 Ames Holden—1 at 18.
 B. C. Cannors—100 at 35.
 Brick—25 at 55.
 Brick Bonds—\$1,000 at 75.
 Wyagamack—50 at 27; 50 at 27.
 Afternoon.
 Brick—5 at 55 1/2.
 Wyagamack—25 at 27.
 Close.
 Ames Holden Com—16 at 17 1/2.
 Ames Holden Pfd—73 1/2 at 73 1/2.
 Belding Paul—25 asked.
 Coke—4 to 7.
 Cons Pfd—22 asked.
 Asbestos Com—10 asked.
 Asbestos Pfd—21 bid.
 Mex Nor Power—3 bid.
 Tram Power—32 to 33 1/2.
 Wyagamack—27 to 27 1/2.
 Wyagamack Bonds—72 asked.
 W. C. Power—52 bid.

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THE MARINE NEWS OF THE WORLD

LOBSTER FISHERY MAKE BIG CATCH

WEST INDIA LINER after Good Trip—Number of Domestic Passengers—Pulpwood

WEST INDIA LINER
 Pickford & Black's West India liner, Captain B. In port yesterday morning, merrily, St. Kitts, Trinidad, St. Vincent and Bermuda, made the record passage, merrily to this port in 10 hours. Splendid weather during the whole trip with four cabin and forty second passengers, also seven Chinese. Among the second passengers were a number of people, most of them domestic. Oruro brought a general cargo.

NEW STEAMER CHARLES
 The Norwegian steamer, the latest steamer to be chartered for the fleet which will sail from St. John's for the St. Lawrence throughout the season.

SCHOONER ARTHUR
 The schooner Arthur sailed from Yarmouth for last Monday, after having roughly overhauled and put in good order.

THE PULPWOOD TRIP
 The Norwegian steamer, which sailed about 9 o'clock on Wednesday evening with for the International Paper Company. Another Norwegian steamer was seen at Portland with cargo, the O A Knudsen, from Rotterdam June 18th, house, N. B., direct, and there. She has been on the entire season.

MOLASSES SCHOONER
 Schooner Ronald, Capt. arrived yesterday from 21 days out, with molasses, B. Evans, 885 casks, 200 tierces.

BIG LOBSTER CATCH
 Digby, July 3.—On her last trip, the schooner, which sailed from this port on the 29th of June, has returned with a catch of 100 tons of lobsters. The schooner came into port last night for having on board one of the best catches of lobsters from the fishery on the coast since the firm of Gardner and Knudsen, who have been shipping them to Boston and other markets.

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MINIATURE ALMA
 July Phases of the Moon
 New moon, 4th
 First quarter, 10th
 Full moon, 18th
 Last quarter, 26th

VESSLS IN PORT
 Steamers.
 Oruro, Wm Thomson and Co. Morsis, 2,192, W. M. Mack Schooners.
 Elma, 299, A W Adams.
 Sallie E Ludlum, 190, D J Harry Morris, 98, C M Ker Minnie Slauson, 271, A W Moama, 384, P McIntyre.
 Lotus, 98, C Kerrie.
 Parana, 99, J W Smith.
 Two Sisters, 89, C M Kerrie.
 F. J. Odrome, 807, C M Kerrie.
 Kenwood, 797, Stetson Cut T W Cooper, 150, A W Adams.
 W E and W L Tuck, 395, J Hsten G King, 126, A W Adams.
 Orosimbo, 121, A W Adams.
 Nettie Shipman, 288, A W Adams.
 Rayola, 150, J W Smith.
 Frisburgh, 146, J W Knigh.
 Nellie Eaton, —, A W Adams.
 Harold B Cousins, 360, F Intyre.
 John B Colwell, L G Crosby Coral Leaf, —
 Ann Louise Lockwood, 266, John A Beckerman, 376, J W Wm B Herriok, 474, A W Adams.
 Abbie C Stubbs, 295, A W Adams.
 Esilda, 249, A W Adams.
 Lucille, 164, C M Kerrie.
 Ronald, 263, J W Smith.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
 Sailed Thursday.
 Sir Indral, Telfer, New York.
 Sch Jennie A Stubbs, New York.
 Arrived Friday.
 Sir Oruro, Bale, West India Thomson and Co.
 Sir Calvin Austin, 2533, Boston, A E Fleming.
 Sch Exilda, 249, Tower, A W Adams, 620 tons coal, W F Starr.
 Sch Lucille, 164, Randall, boy, C M Kerrie, 306 tons Dick.
 Sch Ronald, 268, Wagne town, Bar, J W Smith, molasses.
 Coastwise—Schs Emily R.