

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS AND COMMENT

CLOSING LETTER
ON MONTREAL
EXCHANGE

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

Montreal, June 25.—Advices from Europe were much improved this morning it being stated that the situation in the Balkans has now been smoothed by the offices of Russia to which country the whole matter in dispute will be submitted. London cables reported an advance all the way round on American stocks a comparison with last night's closing.

The local market was dull but firm here. Advances were made in a number of stocks but the trading was limited. Spanish River sold up to 52½ during the first hour of the morning session later declining to 52. Montreal Power went to 212 and Textile sold at 208. Cement continued strong at 28, while Dominion Steel Corporation sold at 46½, ex dividend 1 p. c. Brazilian was 87½, as compared with 86½ yesterday and C. P. R. was 217½, as compared with 218½ at the close last night. Ottawa Power was not quite up to yesterday's highest, being sold today at 151. The rights opened strong at 20 but declined in late trading to 19½. Montreal Tramway stocks advanced sharply this morning, rising to 152 at which seven shares sold. The opening price was 150 and the stock was offering down lately to 150. No doubt the strength today was due to the making of a market for the new stock, twelve shares of the latter selling up to 150½.

In the unlisted department Mexican Northern sold off again to 9, this being above the low price record. The official announcement that the company had defaulted on its bond interest was evidently discounted two or three weeks ago. Tram Power was the most active issue among the unlisted. At the same time not over 225 shares changed hands which compares with but 25 shares of any other stock. The price showed little change being 35 at the opening and later selling at 35½.

The street is taking an increased interest in the crop advices from the west today which were to the effect that light warm rains which fell throughout the greater part of yesterday were just what was needed and the farmers of the country are greatly cheered by the prospects. Warm showings were general again today. Practically all the canning companies here are taking a very favorable view of crop conditions in so far as they are affected. In the case of fruit, the Ontario crop is looked upon as sure. Strawberries are the least promising on these but there will be enough to put up a pack large enough to meet normal requirements.

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**JURY'S VERDICT ABOUT
TITANIC DISASTER**

London, June 25.—In a test case brought in the King's Bench Division by Thomas Ryan, a farmer of Cork, Ireland, against the White Star Steamship Company, to recover damages for the loss of his son in the Titanic disaster in April, 1912, the jury handed down the following verdict:

"There was no negligence regarding the lookout on the ship, but there was negligence in not reducing speed. There is not sufficient evidence to show if the message from the steamship Mesaba, reporting ice reached the responsible officer on the Titanic." As the judge had left the court, judgment has not yet been entered.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.
E. E. Parks, W. S. Kimball, M. MacLeod and wife, J. McLean, Montreal; W. D. Ferguson, R. N. Taylor, Montreal; S. A. Bradish, Halifax; T. B. Panny, New York; A. W. Gressett, L. J. Hadfield, W. Wallace, Toronto; A. D. Gannon, St. Stephen; J. E. Daly, W. L. Moulton, W. O. H. Dods, Montreal; F. V. Ladd, Bangor; G. A. Paine, Philadelphia; C. W. Fawcett, Sackville; Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Stanley, Toronto; A. M. Bradford, Montreal; J. T. Hallisey, Truro; L. A. Cumney, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cumney, New Glasgow; C. Hestman, Ottawa; Colonel Grant, Colonel Vanthey, Halifax; H. F. White, Montreal.

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A. E. Landman, Ottawa; R. A. Post, Moncton; W. S. Gesner, Amherst; Roy B. Down, Moncton; DeWitt T. Lister, McAdam; Edward Born, New York; Gus Bellevue, Roblin, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. W. Hopkins, Aroostook Jet; Miss Valen Hopkins, do; Miss Grace Marchison, do; Wm. Harper, Chalmers; Wm. McInnis, do; H. A. Maurice, Montreal; G. M. Johnson, do; W. J. Cooney, Merantide; B. H. Fairfield, North Adams; Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Inch, Oak Point; Mrs. J. N. Inch, do; Wm. Murray and wife, Ayrshire; Mrs. H. J. Jener, Miss M. Jener, Quebec; N. B. Gornall, Middleton; Roy B. Down, Moncton; H. N. Flewelling, Sussex; C. W. MacDougall, do.

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H. B. Saunders, New York; F. H. Sears, Toronto; J. W. Ellsworth, Woodstock; C. E. Gaudet, Memramcook; L. Legere, Shediac; P. A. Storen, Montreal; Mrs. and Miss Greppo, New York; F. M. Demill, wife, children and maid, Waterloo; G. W. Miller, Chalmers; D. C. Russell, St. Jean; Arthur J. Ryan, Fredericton; W. R. Mathers, do; D. W. Burns, Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Conneau, Lower Sackville; B. E. Macder and wife, Halifax; T. T. Gillespie, Dorchester; P. O. Soules, Halifax; J. E. Fowler, Sackville; J. E. Gardiner, Oak, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. F. Pacon, Fredericton.

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NEWSPAPERS ON
THE STOCK
SITUATION

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New York, June 25.—Commercial—the odd lot buyer is still in the market picking up investments in stocks.

World.—The general belief is that recent declines have more than discounted the treasury action and business disturbances resulting from the change in the tariff.

Sun.—The more important banks feel that their interests are seriously menaced by the prospect of control of banking by a politically appointed central board.

American.—Sentiment on the street appears to favor a better market for the week-end, probably under the lead of Union Pacific and Reading.

Herald.—The rising movement gains momentum from day to day and barring some unforeseen depressing occurrence bids fair to continue until it culminates with an outbreak of buying in which belated short interest will be eliminated.

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LAIDLAW & CO'S
CLOSING STOCK
LETTER

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

New York, June 25.—The stock market remained quiet but steady of undertone today with the dealings largely professional of character. It was again apparent that the necessities of liquidation had run its course, and that considerable outstanding short interest was contributing an element of technical strength. Price movements were somewhat contradictory, reflecting keen discrimination on the part of the professional interests. The development of pressure against C. & O. was followed by scattered room selling in considerable volume, but the professional element as a whole, showed a preference for bullish operations whenever the opportunity presented itself. There was some buying of U. P. on a revival of the talk of an exchange of Southern Pacific stock for the Penn for a block of B. & O., but paradoxical enough, Penna was also bought on the idea that it was getting the best of the bargain. Otherwise the market had little feature. A fair advance brought only dullness, and on this the market also showed little signs of animation. The outlook still favors a narrow movement for the immediate future.

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**SIEVES FOR
CLEANING SEEDS**

The Dominion Seed Branch has supplied the Macdonald College Demonstrators with a set of thirty-four sieves of different sized mesh, to be used as part of the office equipment in each district.

The object of this investment is to advance the cause of good seed. While many farmers throughout the country have fanning-mills, yet few of them have a very complete set of sieves or a definite knowledge of their proper use. This is particularly true now that men are beginning again to grow their own grass and clover seeds. Such small seeds require sieves of just the right size, if they are to be cleaned with the minimum of loss. With the plating of these sieves of various sizes in the offices of the different Demonstrators throughout the districts, farmers will be afforded an opportunity of finding out exactly what size of sieve they require by bringing the sample right to the office and trying it out. With small amounts of seed the sieves may be used to clean the entire sample. If the amount of seed is large the number of the sieve may be taken and large sieves obtained from the fanning-mill agents or manufacturers, which will be fitted for the fanning-mill. It is hoped that the farmers will take advantage of this opportunity and equip themselves with adequate apparatus for cleaning farm seeds.

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**CHICAGO GRAIN
AND PRODUCE
PRICES**

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Chicago, June 25.—Wheat—Heavy rains in Minnesota and Red River Valley, showers in Northern North Dakota started heavy local and commission house selling, the market going to 90 before the decline was checked. Buying around this figure was heavy and of a good character. There was no rain of consequence in South Dakota or Central or Western North Dakota and complaints are still coming from both states. Heavy rains in Kansas and Missouri are against harvesting in good shape. The market looks entitled to some rally and if it comes, believe sales should be made.

Corn—Rains and the growing weather started the market lower with commission houses selling freely. The larger part of the selling was liquidation of belated long stuff.

Oats—Weak with other grains. Provisions—Opened lower with heavy. Trade moderate, market barely steady.

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CLOSING COTTON
LETTER FROM
JUDSON & CO.

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New York, June 25.—From the fact that yesterday's market became quiet and steady after a 3-point reaction was taken as an indication of increased technical strength today and following private reports of unseasonable high temperatures at the south this morning prices opened at an advance of one to four points. This strength was well maintained throughout the day with the trade and Wall Street figuring as buyers. Trading in July was active, reflecting further evening up in advance of notices on Friday. It was expected that the cotton remaining in the local stock would be tendered on July contracts. Old crop shorts appeared to become increasingly nervous during the afternoon.

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