

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

SIR EDMUND WALKER, C.V.O., L.L.D., D.C.L., President... CAPITAL, \$15,000,000 RESERVE FUND, \$13,500,000

SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNTS

Interest at the current rate is allowed on all deposits of \$1 and upwards. Careful attention is given to every account.

HEAVY HAND IMPOSED ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Even Brilliant Tonnage Exhibit of U.S. Steel Failed to Dispel Lethargy.

LARGE SALES OF C. P. R.

Occasional Displays of Strength in Automobile, Oil and War Issues.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Pressure of the same character as that which rendered recent markets dull and ineffective was observed again today.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, Toronto, report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

Wheat... 119 1/2 119 3/4 119 1/2 119 1/4 119 1/4 119 1/4

Chicago Cash Lots. Rpts. Cont. Est. Lat. V. Wheat... 22 19 61 155

STANDARD SALES. Apex... 8 1/2 17,000 Big Dome... 28 25 3,700

London Stock Exchange. LONDON, Dec. 10.—Money was in good supply and discount rates were easy today.

Is Crown Reserve and Porcupine Crown A Buy

At 30 cents the present price of Porcupine Crown, the 1,200,000 shares of that company held by Crown Reserve represents one of the 610 per share at which Crown Reserve has sold this week.

LONDON METAL MARKET. LONDON, Dec. 10.—A. J. Wright & Co. report: Copper, spot, 176 1/2 bid, off 1/2.

MINING STOCKS. The trend of Canadian Mining Stocks is upward. The course of prices since the beginning of the year, as shown by the leaders, has been toward higher levels.

January 1, 1915. Hollinger, \$21.00; Dome Mines, 6.50; Nipissing, 5.80; Porc. Crown, .67; McIntyre, .24; Vipond, .23; Temiskaming, .09; Dome Ext., .08.

July 1, 1915. Hollinger, \$26.00; Dome Mines, 18.00; Nipissing, 6.00; Porc. Crown, .75; McIntyre, .48; Vipond, .32; Temiskaming, .33; Dome Ext., .13.

December 1, 1915. Hollinger, \$27.75; Dome Mines, 28.00; Nipissing, 8.00; Porc. Crown, .80; McIntyre, .95; Vipond, .78; Temiskaming, .70; Dome Ext., .30.

January 1, 1916. A large question mark is placed over the 1916 data.

Members Standard Stock Exchange. 26 AND 28 KING ST. WEST, TORONTO. Telephone Main 7417.

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THE DOMINION BANK

PURCHASERS OF DOMINION WAR LOAN should place their securities in a SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE. Asked. Bid. Barcelona... 11 1/2 10 1/2

NEW YORK STOCKS. Erickson Perkins & Co., 14 West King Street, report the following fluctuations on the New York Stock Exchange:

Atchafalpa... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Elec. Power... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Sugar... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Wool... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Paper... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Oil... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Rubber... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Glass... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Lumber... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Textile... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Chemical... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Iron... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Steel... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Coal... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Copper... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

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Am. Lead... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Tin... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Silver... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Gold... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Platinum... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Palladium... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Iridium... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Rhodium... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Rhenium... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Am. Selenium... 100 98 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

ANOTHER BIG SETBACK GIVEN WHEAT MARKET

Peace Talk Affrighted Chicago Brokers, Who Sold Out Freely.

EXPORT SALES LIGHT

Canadian Commandeered Wheat Loaned Till Middle of February.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Wheat values underwent a material setback today as a result of peace talk.

At first the opinions of a majority of wheat traders did not appear to be greatly influenced by despatches touching the outlook for a possible stoppage of the war.

Notwithstanding the fact that a number of leading firms took the selling side from the outset, persistent commission houses buying averted any unusual break before midday and even forced at one time a moderate advance.

In the afternoon the virtual absence of export sales appeared to give more positive emphasis to the chance that some headway was being made toward bringing hostilities to an end.

Rumors that the Canadian Government had released commandeered wheat added to the spread of bearish sentiment, and for the rest of the day the market tended heavily downward.

It turned out that some Canadian wheat had been loaned to exporters until as far off as Feb. 15, 1916.

The condition was proposed that the wheat must be returned to the Dominion Government by that date, but definite services to this effect did not receive publicity here in time to be of any service to discouraged bulls in the pit.

Slowness of eastern demand weakened trade for the most part and lower prices for hogs and grain carried down provisions.

The selling wing of a scattered sort, but some of it appeared to be for packers. No important rally took place.

NEW YORK COTTON. J. P. Bickell & Co., 802-7 Standard Bank Building, report New York Cotton Exchange fluctuations as follows:

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A "Personal" Trust

A "Personal Trust" may be established providing an income for one's self, for one's family, a friend or relative.

TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CORPORATION

HON FEATHERSTON OSLER, K.C., President. HON J. J. FOR, K.C., Vice-President.

TORONTO OTTAWA WINNIPEG SASKATOON

MINING SHARES BOUGHT AND SOLD

HERON & CO. Members Toronto Stock Exchange.

16 King Street West, Toronto. Correspondence Invited.

J. P. CANNON & CO. J. T. EASTWOOD. (Members Standard Stock Exchange).

66 KING STREET WEST, TORONTO. Adelaide 3343-3342.

PRESTON E. DOME. Something of vital importance is transpiring in this country.

HAMILTON B. WILLS. (Member Standard Stock Exchange).

Fleming & Marvin. Members Standard Stock Exchange.

THE SILVER LEAF MINING COMPANY, LIMITED. Meetings.

J. L. MITCHELL & CO. Members Standard Stock Exchange.

WEST DOME. We will give latest information on this and other Porcupine and Cobalt stocks on request.

LOUIS J. WEST & CO. Members Standard Stock Exchange.

10 to 70% Advance on Oil Stock, Dec. 15

STRIKES RICH OIL POOL. Since this advertisement was first published one of our deep wells has developed a rich producer in the Wheeler sand.

MAY MEAN REAL GUSHERS IN THE DEEPER SAND. This well at this depth is a big surprise to everyone and is proof positive in the great Cushing field that usually under the Wheeler sand wells the great gushers are found by deep drilling.

This company has three Refineries, two of which are connected with our accepted pipe line 196 miles long, connecting these two refineries with 120 miles of pipe line.

To start the balance of 15 to 20 wells the stockholders increased the capital of the company one-third and this stock has been allocated on a dividend basis among the 15,000 shareholders.

The company expects to raise over a million dollars from the new capital and soon increase the crude oil production to over ten thousand barrels per day.

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