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#### **FOOTWEAR ADVANCING**

Five to Fifteen per Cent in Six Months and Still Tending Upward.

There is great activity in the Canadian shoe factories and prices have advanced considerably during the past few months. It has been a steady advance, and there are rumors of a further rise. An upper

are rumors of a further rise. An upper province paper says:

"There has been a steady stiffening of the market and local dealers state that salesmen's samples are the most cost y ever produced. When, as is sometimes claimed to be the case, manufacturers' staple goods for orders are even better in workmanship and materials than the samples, the trade may expect some high-grade lines this year. The continued scarcity of hides and greater scarcity of good on as is becoming a serious problem. The supply of beef hides is by no means keeping up with the increase in population and present deliveries are far behind orders. Large dealers in hides are reported holding back their supplies of kid and goat skins having informed themselves regarding the supply and probable demand and are taking the chance to speculate on what they consider a sure thing. If that move is taken tanners will be compelled to advance their prices. For these reasons some shoe manufacturers are buying ahead for the season, some as

The advance in prices of boots and ahoes during the last six months has been from 5 to 15 per cent. according to the grade of goods, the cheaper lines being indvanced from 5 to 10 per cent and some of the higher grades about 15 per cent. Manufacturers say that one reason for the scarcity of leather and consequent high prices is the fact, that a great quantity of leather is now being used in upho stering, in automobiles especially a very large quantity is used.

Great quantities of leather are also being exported to England and this tends to shorten the available supply in Canada and the U. S. and consequently makes

WILL HELP COAL TRADE

Building of Nova Scotia Eastern and its Effects on the Business SPOR and its Effects on the Business

#### **CONDITIONS IN** STOCK MARKET





Canadian interests are opposing the export of Canadian pulp wood, claiming that if the exportation of pulp wood were discontinued the product would be used at home, thus contributing largely to Canadians and spapermaking industry. Canadians now experience strong competition in this line from United States manufacturers, many of whom obtain their supplies of pulp wood from Canada.

The Canadian naver-makers say that by Callaghan of Philadelphia and Johnny

Socia Eastern by Sir M. ntague Allan and the advantage of Terry McGovern in their stround bout which took place at the Nova Scotia coal trade.

Sir Montague is president of the Acadia Coal Co., whose explansion has been greatly hampered for want of a near winter port. Now, with a line across country to the present output of a quar er of a milhon tons should be greatly increased.

As Sir Montague is closely allied with the Grand Trunk Pacific, that couppration has also been mentioned as being behind the present syndicate.

IIIE RING

Philadelphia, March 14—Battling Nelson had the advantage of Terry McGovern in their six-round bout which took place at the National A. C. tonight. For the first three strounds the place is greatly increased.

Six Montague is president of the Acadia to the fourth round the port. Now, with a line across country to make the port. Now, with a line across country to the port. Now, with a line across country to me and of the ring to the other with the County Harbor, only 40 miles long, the present by the present output of a quar er of a milhon and used a straight left to advantage. McGovern frequently countered with hard lefts from the present syndicate.

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The third accident at Philadelphia in less than a month occurred Friday evening.



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les, Cal., Friday night. For 14 rounds elly administed severe punishment and odded return, but after the 14th round allivan began to fight back and from that und until the close he more than evened the 19th and 20th rounds Sulliva

on the 19th and 20th rounds Sullivan bught like a madman and had much the etter of the battle.

Kelly carried the fight to Sullivan at il times and showed superior generalship and effectiveness. He seemed to ture in a closing rounds, however, and did not have to good advantage.

how to good advantage.

In the seventh round Sul ered with a right to the jaw, and fell o his knees, and in the 14th round Kelly ent him to the floor for the count of eight

An Exchange says—I will sake of the sullivan family of B ston should thank the fates which were good enough Friday night to let him get away with Hugo Kelly with a draw. Kelly is an Italian, a fact which his name does not imply, but he to the jaw. They were wicked swing and when they landed they gave out sound like heavy things in collision.

It looked down and out for Sulliv

SHORTHAND IN 30 DAYS.

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of a cook, in order to insure good bread and pastry on Baking Day, is a good flour; and one which is uniform. A brand which varies in quality and strength and requires different methods of using every time, is a source of worry to any cook, and the cause of much spoiled bread and

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MARINE NOTES

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will keep your stomach in "right to the second" conARGAIN DAY

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