PAGI EIGHT THE IOURNAL OF COMMERCE, TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1915 VOL. XXIX. No. 277 HAPPENINGS IN THE WEATHER: **FINANCIAL REVIEW FOR 1915** VEWS GLEANED FROM MANY SOURCES FAIR AND MILD WORLD OF SPOR ********************************* Canadian business men will undoubtedly be inter TOLD IN BRIEF sted in The Financial Review for 1915, issued by the eting of Bethlehem Steel Corpora will be held to-day at Newark at no ublishers of the "Commercial and Financial Chron VOL. XXIX, No. Jess Willard Now Heavyweight Chame," of New York. The book, which contains 360 pages, is invaluabl estimated that 13,800 laborers are idle in Chi-German Pirates Sunk Italian Steamer cago, due to strikes or lockouts. pion, Defeating Johnson in for reference It is especially valuable to Canadian bankers, brok **Twenty-Six Rounds** and Fate of Crew is THE ers and business men at the present time, owing to the Frisco wins the fight in the Arkansas 2 cent. pas increasing volume of financial business being transinger and freight rate case. Unknown acted with our neighbors to the South of the Border HAVANA RACE MEET OVER -up Capital Some of the contents are 3.4 follows: Average price of 12 industrials \$3.41, up 0.61. Twenty raffroads, \$3.91, up 0.52. **ROYAL HOUSEHOLDS GO DRY** Retrospect of 1914, giving a comprehensive review Funeral of C. H. Nelson, in his Time a Noted La of the business of that year, with statistics in each decrosse Player, Occurred Yesterday—"Dutchy" Richardson, the Hockeyist, Goes to the or Spirits Will be Used After To-Morrow. partment, financial and commercial. The Russians have captured Cisna, Galicia, after No Bank clearings in 1914, with comparative statistics - U. S. "Cannot Admit" Britains Rights COLLECTIONS. avy fighting. for 20 years. Front. 動 To Blockade. Number of shares sold on the New York Stock Ex-The Czar's forces hold control of the railroad News has been received at Genoa that a German change in each of the past 20 years. The heavyweight championship of the world has hrough Lupkow Pass in the Carpathians. again changed hands. It has been in the possession of Jack Johnson, the negro, since December, 1908. submarine Securities listed on the New York Exchange in 1914, sank the Italian steamer Luigi Parodi, which left Baltimore on JJnuary 22 with a cargo of with statistics for a series of years The Austrians hold only one of the three main encoal fro Genoa. The report has found a profound im-During the intervening years no serious challenger Call money rates daily in 1914. rances through the mountains into Hungary. pression in Italy, and there are many expressions of Money rates by weeks for past three years on all has come forward in behalf of the white race, alresentment. Great excitement prevails and the auclasses of loans. The real advance by the French has apparently ough Johnson has four times defended the title. thorities have taken strong measures to protect the Weekly statements in 1914 for Banks and Trust een started in the Champagne region. On the fifth occasion, Jess Willard, the Kansas cow-German colony and German shops from the possible boy, knocked him out. Companies exaction of reprisals. Nothing is known as to the British soldiers in the trenches. When the forward Crop statistics for a series of years. Brooklyn Union Gas Co., for the year ended Decem-We Recommend fate of the crew of the Luigi Parodi, which was made movement takes place the soldiers will gladly leave Iron and Coal-Production for a series of years and ber 31st, shows a surplus after charges of \$1,259,381, C. H. Nelson, whose funeral took place yesterday. up entirely of Genoese. The Italian steamship Pinis For Investment Monthly Range of Price of Silver in London from 1837 these dugouts. was one of the old-time players of the Toronto Laan increase \$319,420 to 1914, inclusive. is supposed to have met the same fate. crosse Club. He was, as a member of the club puts Building operation statistics, United States and The United States warns Great Britain that re-Dominion Power & it. "a good player when good players were scarce." Teetotalism will be enforced in all the King's Canada, comparison for a series of years. THEATRICAL NEWS He played on the home of the Toronto team from aration must be made in full for the losses the Gerouse-holds beginning Wednesday. An official 1869 to 1880. He took a great interest in the game, years Comparative prices of Merchandise for a series of nan blockade may entail upon America. ouse-noids beginning wednesday. An official an-ouncement just issued dated April 6, says: "By the and held nearly every office in the gift of the mem-King's command, no wines or spirits will be consumed Foreign Exchange-Daily prices in New York in Wm. Barnes, in an address before the Albany Fives due 1932. GOOD ACTING IN "THE WHITE FEATHER." any of his Majesty's houses after to-day. 1914. Chamber of Commerce, declared for absolute reptal The London Chronicle is enabled to a Great Britain-Review of commercial and financial At the beginning of the great world war there was of full crew law. The Sheepshead Bay race track was sold to a syn- affairs, with comparative statistics. that the ministers of the Government have demuch speculation regarding the power of the alleged dicate of motorists for \$2,400.000. The latter expect cided to follow the King's example, and ban-Bank of England Weekly Statements in 1914, and far-reaching tentacles of the German espionage sys-New York Telephone Co. has accepted order of Pubto spend \$1.600,000 in construction of a two-mile the changes in the Bank rate for a series of years; ish all alcoholic beverages from their Company tem, the grip it had secured upon Great Britain and Service Commission establishing lower rates in The Chancellor, Mr. Lloyd George, has had the also money rates in Continental cities. the latter country's ability to crush it. Many stories New York City efefctive July 1. Price to yield Fives due 1953. Government Bonds-Monthly range since 1860 and have come forward telling of the arrest of daring heartiest support of his colleagues in the co-As was generally expected, Johnson proved himself Debt statement for cosh year since 1793. has taken with reference to the necessity of limiting enemy spies, many of whom were of English or Am-Table expense at Buckingham Palace has been remuch superior to the challenger in all the details of State Bonds-Record of prices since 1860. the consumption of alcohol. Send for Special Circular erican birth, but none the less German. Upon such a duced from \$3 to \$1 per person a day. Menu has been the manly art of self-defense, so long as his strength Foreign Government Securities-Range of prices thread, hangs the psychology of "The White Feather," reduced from twelve to five courses inthly on New York Stock Exchange for five years. a drama cleverly depicting the intrigue which may But after the seventeenth round he com-The United States Government has made public its lasted. Nesbitt, Thomson menced to weaken, and from that on his efforts were note to Great Britain announcing that it "could not Railroad and Miscellaneous Bonds and Stocks be playing beneath the surface of an unostentatious Incorporations with capital of \$100,000 of orts and admit" either the right of the Allies or their ch March amounted to \$130,303,500, compared with \$93, for justification in placing an embargo on all com corporations with capital of \$100,000 or over in directed solely to staving off defeat for a reasonable Monthly range of prices for five years in New York house party at a quiet country place. admit" either the right of the Allies or their claims LIMITED length of time and for one year in Boston. Philadelphia and Balti-How the two factions play their game of bluff brings INVESTMENT BANKE cial intercourse between Germany and neutral coun forth many a tense situation and many a laugh, but Exports and imports for a series of years.

"Dutchy" Richardson, one of the famous players of the St. Michaels' Hockey Club, has enlisted in the second contingent as a sergeant in the Army Medical Corps. "Dutchy" is a chemist and assistant manager of the drug department in Eaton's.

Johnson's relatives in Chicago appear to think that

there was some frame-up. There is little reason to and other statistics for a series of gears. give credence to such a view. Johnson's defat was the logical result of the life he has been leading in recent years. His supporters for several days had names stamped on the covers, in gilt, at reduced cused of showing the white feather, Albert Brown is been preparing the public for the worst.

There will be an exodus of horsemen from Havana to Kentucky and Maryland tracks the end of & Smith, 1 Drapers Gardens, London. the week arrangements for their transportation already having been made

Speaking of the final round that won him the vicchampionship within reach. A left to the body motive buying. and a right to the jaw put Johnson down for the

Winnipeg Amateur Lacrosse Association. The an-tic to the Pacific and as far as can be learnee. Rus-for many things of which he is ignorant. Miss Louise fuel called "petrolex". seeting was one of the biggest gatherings of the sia has no intention of placing any such order. kind ever held in that city, and the prospects for a lacrosse revival in Winnipeg are very bright.

ther than rise and stand further punishment. John- The following table gives the countries and stand further punishment. son has often stated that fighting is a business, and series of years he would not foolishly submit to repeated knockdowns when he found he had met his master. second or two after Jack Weish, the referee, had 1914 unted ten, Johnson quickly got up.

Candidates for a place on the Montreal Baseball 1911 team are continuing their training indoors at Hacken- 1910 sack, N.J., the blizzard having spoiled the diamond 1909 for the time being. Jack Flynn and Del. Mason are 1908 still on the hold out list, but it is hoped to have them 1907 come to terms before the camp breaks up.

Very little betting was indulged in over the Wilagainst Willard for small bets to 6 to 5 for larger newing 2 per cent.

FAILURES IN THE STATES. New York. April 6.—During the first quarter of and as Frauline Schroeder, is realistic. Roy Coch- day, it is expected that production figures of 300,000 The concensus of opinion is that Johnson expected this year, 7,216 business failures were reported to rane slightly overdoes the part of the hard-headed cars in year from August 1 last will be exceeded, and and knew there was no possibility of his winning; 50 R. G. Dun & Co., the liabilities of the defaulting con-English father, but at times is very good. Justine that purchasers will receive their \$50 rebater. Year: Assets.

A 1915 7,216 \$64,600,535 4.826 54.543.553 1913 4.458 51,764.096 4.828 41,653.365 3.895 38,360,036 3,525 54,260,803 33,147,908 3.850 44,460,950 4.909 48,985,483 75.706,101 19.453,364 3.136 32.075.591 1906 17.138.084 3,102 33.761.101 CALL MONEY 2 PER CENT

New York, April 6 .-- Call money



prices. Publishers, William B. Dana Co., 138 Front easily the most outstanding figure in the play. Altreet, New York. Copies may also be had from Geo. though not an Englishman by birth, his character-M. Shepherd, 513 Monadnock Block, Chicago; Edwards ization of a "particular idiot" stamps him as an actor of resource and under this guise he never loses sight

AMERICAN WAR ORDERS.

change was closed.

New York, April 6 .- Reports that American Locomotive Co., has received large orders for war supplies by unmolested. Wyndham Standing makes the typitory. Willard said: "The blow thatb rought the fight are premature as the company has settled on nothing cally fictional type of German spy and his work is to a quick conclusion was a right-hand smash to as yet. Negotiations are pending which if carried to most commendable. His position is never over-Johnson's body early in the last round 1 felt Johnson, grow limp in the next clinch, and knew I had to make up for almost the complete absence of loco-Sanderson, his mother and abettor, plays a heavy

part and Miss Grace Hampton is well placed, in that Report that the Russian Government has bought role. Miss Marjorie Day makes a charming Molly \$7,000,000 worth of rolling stock in this country is Preston fiances of Brent and ever trustful of him, de-characterized as ridiculous. An equipment official splite his apparent cowardice. The Fritz of Jules

Muldener was seen in Montreal recently in "The molasses at cost of 4d. a gallon. Things That Count." Her work may well be remem-

This week she is better than when last seen Myrtle, not figuring in the action at all. Others in purchasers.

the company are George Desmond as Percival Penne cuick, a recruit; Mona Morgan as Daphene Kidlington \$105.703.335 and George Graham as Corporal Atkins. 83,221,826 76,832,277 houses 59,651,761 make co 73.079,154 it did in New York, where it was well received .---

R. B. V. "GREEN STOCKINGS" A GOOD COMEDY.

This it must be said was accomplished last built up his wonderful organization." night by His Majesty's Players in their production of

POSITION OF BRAZILIAN

pared with one and two years ago:-

1915.

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ing and taking on supplies from vessels puttin from New York. He had an extended conf to the attention of the Federal Grand Jury

Abbie Coo has been re-elected President of the says: "The inquiry has been peddled from the Atlan. Epially is good, ever the ideal servant he is blamed 000 gallons a year for production of new automobile for many things of which he is ignorant. Miss Louise fuel called "petrolex". It is said to be obtained from

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English father, but at times is very good. Justine that purchasers in receive that purchasers in receive that the second point of \$15,000,000 to storm, according to a Copenhagen despatch. A large

Bankers Magazine computes a decrease of 2.4% Bankers Magazine computes a uccrease of the tion, found the mines dangerously thick and declared during March in value of 387 securities listed on Lon- to retire between the islands of Gothland and Ocland The company as a whole is most capable and full don exchange. Decrease in February was 7%. Heashould be the rule for the remainder of the viest decline in March was in foreign government 63,012,323 week. There is little doubt but that the play will stocks, which fell off 4%. British railways were of

Boston Globe Financial says C. M. Schwab has built Anything to-day that can amuse, and if only for an his wife would get annuity; and controlling interest our or two, distract the mind from the troubles and in company, which he now personally owns, would perplexities attending the European struggle is highly go to members of his staff. That is the way he has

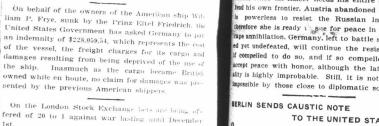
nsiderably more impression in Canada than 3 p.c. and American securities 1.6 p.c.

up wonderful manufacturing staff for Bethlehem Steel. Largest shareholder next to Schwab has no children, and under agreement in case of his death

mber of mines have floated into n The German fleet, returning from a Russian expediuntil the sweepers can clear a passage There was another day of busy conferences regard ng the fact of the German converted cruiser Print

Eitel Friederich yesterday. She lies at her pier with all supplies on board and steam up. The British ship der a special agreement with the co

orseley cleared from Newport News at day afternoon, but the impression is growing that us ichens amounting to his parole so far as shiping less than twenty-four hours ahead of nim concerned, the Prinz Eitel can make for sea with regard to the twenty-four hours rule. "Club Athletique de Maisonneuve,



Washington, D.C., April 7 .-- Germany, in ivered at the State Department with another ag in strong terms the firing upon the hip Odenwald, when she attempted San Juan Harbor. Puerto Rico, without learning of the death er Thrasher, the American killed wh submarine sunk the British steamsh

repeats her statement that Americans passenger ships of her antagonists or r chance

The Thrasher case is regarded as one whi with grave possibilities.

FRENCH CONTINUE FIERCE ATTAC rlin, April 7.—The official statement sa We have abandoned Die Grachten which ken on Monday. Fierce French attacks w the Argonne Forest southeast of Verdun, Ailly, Apremont, Flirey and in the fore tre. Northwest of Verdun the French adv es and fighting annsweilerkopf in Upper Alsace. The the eastern theatre of war we have and Russian battalion of Andrzejaw. 120 Russia illed, 150 were wounded and 360 taken prison an attacks at Calaria and Augustowo



tries. "To admit it", says the commun be to assume the attitude of unneutrality toward the present enemies of Great Britain, which we viously inconsistent with the solemn obligations of this Government in the present circumstances, for Great Britain to make such a claim would be for

her to abandon and set at naught the principles f in other times and other circumsta

Reports from St. Johns, New Brunswick, show the eal catch this season a failure. Two boats which last year brought in 32,000 pelts have only 210 to this season.

Herman A. Metz declared that 400,000 workers would be thrown out of employment and hundreds of which she has consistently and earnest mills closed within a month, unless imports of dye-

stuffs from Germany are resumed.

Mr. Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port of If Crucible Steel Co. secures contracts for war ma-New York charged last night that British cruisers pa Harrison N. J., j to cost \$6,000,000.

and Austria had seized factories of firm.

tions against the Turkish defences Stock and other assets of Bawo & Dotter Ltd., English corporation, manufacturing chinaware in Austria and Germany, were sold to George Borgfeldt

of the fact that he is playing a desperate game. Little attention is payed to him, unless to question his sanity or courage and his investigations are practical-

The operations of the Allied fleet against the Dardanelles, according to the latest reports, have been suspended until the land forces are ready for opera-

terial, as expected, said to amount to \$150,000,000, company will build addition to its Atha works at

trolling the waters along the coast of the United States had been violating the neutrality law by coal-

& Co., importers of New York, for \$100,000. Germany

sented by the previous American shippers.

fered of 20 to 1 against war lasting until Decemi The German Baltic fleet has been cut off from

with U.S. District-Attorney H. Snowden Marshall reconference garding the state of affairs he claims to have discovered and declared he expected to bring the subject fa in the event of the Russians crossing ns, since the Kaiser needs his entire and his own frontier. Austria abandoned

Rome. April 7.-Information has reache source that Austria is now read ace. Germany, realizing the impossibil ng Italian and possibly Balkan interve ar, tacitly consents to Austria concludin ace which naturally portends to the end There is a suspicion based upon confid ation that Germany will be powerless to

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MOLSONS HEAD OFFICE, MONT

The race meeting of the Cuban-American Jockey Club was brought to a close at Havana yesterday, with the running of a card of six well filled events. Springmass, owned by the McKeever stable, won the feature event.

Gunboat Smith, Jim Coffey, and Al. Reich, have sued challenges to the cowboy champion. In all probability they will have to wait some time before Willard will consent to a match for the title. His

mile record at the Olympic Games in London, in 1908 in an exciting contest, has been killed while in action at the front.

Joe Lavigne, of Philadelphia, better known as "Louisiana," gave Kid Williams, the bamtamweight champion, a hard time of it in a six-round bout in Williams nearly took the count twice, and in the end was groggy. This was the fourth contest between the two fighters, who weighed in at 118 nds. Popular decision had given each a victory pounds. Popular decision has given each a victory and one contest a draw as the result of the three meetings.

Frustration at 20 to 1, captured the Queen's Prize Stake event run yesterday in England. Hey Diddle Diddle at 26 to 1 was second, and Donderoca at 8 to third at 26 to 1 was second, and Donderoca at 8 to



AMUSEMENTS.



Now Have Dug-outs From Their Trenches in Which Men Not on Sentry Duty Sleep During the Day

all our movements are made at night. The country the part in a manner which gave it a most realistic here is low, flat and waterlogged. The trenches we have at most realistic atmost realistic atmost realistic be continuing its atmost realistic be continuing its atmost realistic be continuing its atmost realistic be contracted by the set of the contracted be continuing its atmost realistic be contracted by the set of the set of the contracted by the set of the set

municating trench by day. At night I make a round of the No. 2 posts which takes about 5 or 6 hours stumbling through the mud in the dark. Flares and searchlights are continually playing, when one has to drop flat and roll. desired. Miss Barney, the Aunt Ida of the play, was parti-cularly amusing, especially in the final scene which was handled with great skill and caused a great deal of amusement and laughter. Miss Page and the other

"The boys are certainly glad to have a visitor as it pretty lonesome in the posts with snipers and ma

outs for all the men not on sentry to sleep in the maning performances. day time. At nights everyone puts up sand bags and carries in rations and supplies.

"The second night in two of the men were killed Weather-Cotton belt-Partly cloudy. Temperature PRINCESS MATINEE William A. Brady, Limited, Freenant ** THE WHITE FEATHER Prices: Wal, and Sat. Mat., 2 25 to 81.56 ** Zet to 11.56 ** The second night in two of the men were killed with the same built; otherwise casualties have been splendidly. Bations are good. We are from 150 to 66. No precipitation. ** THE WHITE FEATHER Prices: Wal, and Sat. Mat., 2 25 to 81.56 ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** The second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE work the same built; otherwise casualties have been ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE WHITE FEATHER ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE Second night in two of the men were killed ** THE Second night in two of the men are wonderfully cheart the second night in two of the men are wonderfully cheart the second night in two of the men are wonderfully the second night in two of the men are wonderfully the second night in two of the men are wonderfully the second night in two of the men are wonderfully the second night in two of the men are wonderfully the second night in two of the

Margaret Anglin's starring vehicle, the three-act comedy "Green Stockings." The comedy is a very amusing one and is replete with pretty scenes, amusing situations, and tragic episodes. The theme of the comedy is centered round an old

English custom in which the elder unmarried sister is required to don green stockings at the marriage of a younger sister.

Miss Louise Randolph, as Celia Faraday, was es-

muddy with few dugouts to sleep in. But in three nights our battalion did wonders and now have dug. The comedy, although foolish, is very amusing and will inevitably draw a good house during the re-Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday ...

TRACTION EXCITES INTEREST Public notice is hereby given that, under the Que-ec Companies' Act, letters patent have been issued

bec Companies' Act, by the Lieutenant-G Toronto, Ont., April 6 .- Shareholders of Brazilian Toronto, Ont., April 6.—Shareholders of Brazilian
Traction are anxiously awaiting the report of the position of the Brazilian Company which it is anticipated will be forthcoming this week when Dr. Pearson
t reaches town. Willard will consent to a match for the title. His managers and backers have mapped out an itinerary of exhibitions and theatrical engagements for Wil-hard in preference to having him defend his title. Captain J. G. Ross, of the 5th Royal Highlanders, who is in charge of the Machine Gun Section, writes in an interesting way from France regarding the rou-in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in which she found herself during the second and in the second and is admirably suited to the part in the second and in the se

Meanwhile the company is said to be continuing its amusements

nastics, training, games and the help of any games roitness and strength with the help of any games amusements suitable for the development of physic strength and the improvement of health such as po-

are in are not as comfortable as those we were in with the Regulars. There are isolated posts of sand-bags with open country between protected by barb wire entanglements. Rifle firing is light, but heavy. "I spend my days at H. 2,400 yards behind the firing ine, going down to our post occasionally by com-municating trench by day. At night I make a round of the N. 2 posts which takes about 5 or 6 hours stumbling through the mud in the dark. Flares and stumbling through the mud in the dark. Flares and searchlights are continually playing, when one has to

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New York, April 6-Daily transactions on the Stock Exchange during the past week were as follows, com-this twentieth day of February, 1915.

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stantinople, April 7, (via Berlin.)--The ncement of the Turkish War Office fol On April 4, two enemy cruisers unsuccessful ed Turkish batteries at the western entr he Dardanelles. One cruiser was struck by th

egarding operations in Trans-Caucasian following statement was given out: "The ked our advance guards north of Ishkan. elent fighting for eight hours the Russian en across the frontier. We occupied Russi south of Tausskert."

