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50,000	% ps	Alliance	20	21-3	101 111
50,000	35 81	C. Union F L. & M	50	5	564 574
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10,000	20	London Ass. Corp.	25	124	548 558
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	90	Liv. Lon. & Globe	Stk	2	43 44
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10,000	3ops	North Brit. & Mer	25	61	374 384
153,776	35,	Phœnix	50	5	33 34
25,234	638	Royal Insurance	20	3	451 461
10,000	****	Standard Life	50	12	402
10,000	8/6 ps	Sun Fire	10	10	103 114

RAILWAYS	Par value % Sh.	London Sep. 30	
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SECURITIES.		London Sep. 30	
Dominion 5% stock, 1903, of Ry. los	an	tot	103
do. 4% do 1904, 5, 6, 8		10.	105
do. 4% do 1910, Ins. stock		104	106
do. 31% do. ns. stock	*********	101	105
Montreal Sterling 5% 1, 38		****	***
do. 5% 1874,	*******	101	103
do. 1879, 5%		ICI	103
City of Toronto Water Works Deb.	, 1906, 6%	101	103
do. do. gen. con. deb.			110
do do. stg. bonds	1928, 4%.,		103
do do. Loca Imp. Bonds	1913, 4%		102
do. do. Bonds	1929 31%		96
City of Ottawa, Stg.	1904, 6%		103
City of Hamilton Debs.	1934 5%		102
City of Quebec, con.,	1905, 6%		103
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