

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1908.

Children's Felt Hats

To Clear the balance of our stock of these Goods, consisting of Sailor, Jack Tar, Turban and Three Corner Shapes.

We have placed them at 75 cents Regular Prices were \$1.00 to \$1.50. All colors.

F. S. THOMAS Fashionable Hatter. 539-541 Main Street

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker & Broker.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL BUREAU.

Specialized bull operations like those suggested as prospective in yesterday's session seem likely in the market again today. Some of the leaders that have advanced materially may temporarily be reactionary in a moderate way independent of the market. Purchases on reaction should be made without hesitation. Reasonable profits ought not to be ignored by daily operators during periods of general exuberance. The industrial list seems to be likely to advance further. I still think the Harbours and Steel the best stocks to buy.

Following this activity the low priced stocks should come forward. The process of rotation that maintains interest without overdoing manipulation. The most important news this morning is the definite report in the well informed circles that the Franco-German situation is being amicably adjusted. A Balkan situation also seems to present a better aspect. As stated yesterday, these two factors are extremely unlikely to develop actual trouble. The real fundamentals to consider in this country are money rates and business. Money may firm a little, but good dividend paying stocks are going to equalize return the open rates for funds and this means higher prices for stocks. Industrial conditions are shown in their true light when we look at the newspapers again this morning, seeing the resumption of many mills, increases in wages, news of additional orders, confirmation of conditional election contracts. There is a veritable rush from every trade to a rapid return to normal. It is rumored that a secret meeting of R. R. presidents has just been held and that freight rates advance of 1 per cent decided on. From comment and market literature are cheerful, with public interest increasing. We continue conservatively bullish.

DETAILED STOCK GOSSIP. A. C. P. should be better. News is more bullish on B. R. T. We continue favorable to Westinghouse and Gen. Elec. Reading is still rumored near a big up move. So Pac. Atch. U. P. and N. P. on trend hit-and-go tediously hold their position. Morgan reports still bull on steel. The real fundamentals are suggesting the purchase of Penna. on this recession. Fuel is bought by consumers in large quantities. Steel is still bull. U. S. Steel will secure the company. Loco. and Car Pdy. are getting out big orders and should be bought on all reactions. Rumors of Standard Oil reorganization are revived. If stock offering in Erie round 32 is removed it would advance. Same may be said of lead as regards 84-85.

Liverpool.—Due 4 points lower on Dec. and 2 to 2 1/2 lower on later months. Opened steady 3 lower on near and 2 lower on late months. At 12:15 p.m.—Market was barely steady. At 4 points net lower on near and 1 1/2 to 2 lower on late months. Spot cotton quiet 2 points lower, mid. up's 5000. Lation and export 300. American 5,000 speculatively 23,000, all American. Later cables were unchanged to 1 1/2 lower than at 12:15 p.m.

Fair weather with rising temperatures will prevail over cotton bid today and tomorrow.

Commercial.—The Lancashire mills will not re-open until they have enough cotton bought to run them for some time and the end of the lockout therefore would not mean any better spot demand on the other side and it might mean slower buying at least for a time.

SUMMARY. Americans in London strong 1 1/4 to 3 1/4. London market generally higher up above parity. On clearing up of Franco-German misunderstanding.

Great strength in Paris bourse. C. W. Morse and Albert H. Curtis found guilty of misappropriation of funds, making false entries in bank's books and will be sentenced at 10:30 this morning.

Iron, cotton, coal and other trades report improvement in the business. Erie spent \$3,000,000 more for maintenance in 1908 than in preceding year.

Pennsylvania expects all equipment to be in use by the end of the year.

Sales of elec. copper being made above 14 cents.

Production of anthracite and pig iron for October largest of any month this year. Alton earnings 4th week Oct. dec. \$18,000.

Tex. Pac. dec. \$18,000. Twelve industrials advanced 34, Twenty active rails dec. 35 per cent.

London 2 p.m. Cons. 84 7/8, Anc. 48 5/8, C. 83 1/2, At. 95 7/8, BO. 101 5/8, C.P.R. 174, CO. 42 1/2, GW. 7 3/8, Erie 32, EP. 44 3/4, KZ. 37 1/2, LN. 111 1/8, Ill. 141 5/8, KT. 31 7/8, N. 78 1/4, NP. 149, Cen. 108 3/8, OW. 41 7/8, Pa. 130 3/4, RG. 133 1/4, RI. 29, SR. 29 1/2, ST. 55 1/2, US. 111 1/4, SL. 144 3/4, UP. 170 1/2, US. 111 1/4, UN. 114 1/2, WZ. 28 1/4.

TOWN TOPICS. The declaration of the N. P. extra is made under conditions as would give opportunity to the bill leaders to use an argument for the higher prices all around and for the Hill issues in particular. We would not be surprised to see this development result in a better market for American with the British investing public for there are heavy holdings of N.P. four daughters to mourn their and loss.

Funeral on Saturday at 2:30 from 52 Erie street. Service at 2 o'clock. (Boston and Kansas City papers please copy.)

MILLIONS PAID FOR FOOD ON BIG LINERS

Passengers Carried by One Company Ate \$4,000,000 Worth Last Year.

Provisioning of a great ocean liner has become a fine art in these days, for every thing from the most ordinary fare to the rarest products of the tropics, must be at the disposal of exacting passengers throughout the voyage, says the London Mail.

On a steamship such as the Kronprinzessin Océlie, the flagship of the North German Lloyd fleet, delicacies and dainties of all sorts, at the most exorbitant of prices, are on the side of the Atlantic. The installation of the side of the system of dining on the North German Lloyd steamships is largely responsible for the extraordinary demands made at sea for luxuries.

During the year 1907 the cost of food supplies for the steamships of the North German Lloyd, according to statements just issued, was more than \$4,000,000, as against but a little more than \$3,000,000 expended during the year for coal.

The immense quantities are shown by the figures of fresh meats, excluding poultry, fish and game. Of these alone some 14,000,000 pounds were consumed. The 6,252 passengers carried by the North German Lloyd steamers last year consumed 4,672,222 eggs, or almost 1,000,000 more eggs than in 1906.

One hundred thousand pieces of game were consumed during the year, and 1,400,000 pounds of poultry were eaten. The number of Blue Point oysters eaten amounted to 15,000,000. To supply the demand for turtle soup some 15,477 pounds of turtles were needed.

The bakers used more than 7,000,000 pounds of flour, and the bakers on board the various steamers drank 9,628 bottles of specially sterilized milk. Twenty million pounds of potatoes, representing about 34,521 bushels, were used. Other supplies were: 24,600,000 pounds; peas and beans, 770,000 pounds; coffee, 551,822 pounds; chocolate and cocoa, 67,227 pounds; butter, 1,306,841 pounds; and salt, 812,724 pounds.

During the year 1,237,235 cigars and packages of cigarettes were sold on board.

MARINE NOTES. Battle line steamship company, Capt. Cook, arrived at St. John Monday from Hull for Huelva and the United States.

Pased out by Cape Henry Nov. 3, Battle line steamship company, Capt. Cook, from Brunswick via Norfolk for Liverpool.

St. John bark Horvat has been fixed to load lumber at Moss Point for St. Vincent, West Indies.

Steamship Alexander Kamburoff sailed from St. John for St. John, on the 5th inst.

Steamship Dahome sailed from St. Kitts at noon of the 2nd inst. for St. John via Bermuda.

Steamship Tabasco, of the Purines Line, went to sea yesterday evening bound for London via Halifax.

Schooner Jessie Lena, Captain Carter, sailed yesterday morning for Wolfville to take position for Havana at 4:30.

Schooner Lizzie H. Patrick, Captain Breen, sailed yesterday for Windsor to load lumber for New York.

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS. 7:15 a.m.—S.S. Luthania, passed southwest of Cape Sable, bound to Liverpool.

7:20 a.m.—S.S. Slavania, passed southeast of Cape Sable, bound to Southampton.

8:05 a.m.—S.S. Adriatic, passed 500 miles west of Cape Sable, bound to Southampton.

8:30 a.m.—S.S. Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, passed southeast of Cape Sable, bound to New York.

QUITE RIGHT. Neither Alice, it is bedtime. All the little children have gone to bed.

Harper's Bar. Health is better than wealth. The right kind of underwear has a great deal to do with your condition. Low prices sell the best kind of very low prices.

Clothes don't make the man. Many a fellow with a coat-of-arms wears baggy trousers.

THE SHIPPING WORLD

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

1908. November. Rise. Sets. High. Low. 7. Sat. 7.15 4.59 9.33 4.67. The time used is Atlantic Standard.

VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. STEAMERS. Alexander Kamburoff, Sld. Bath, Oct. 5. Shonandah, Sld. London, Oct. 24. Ordis, Sld. Glasgow, Oct. 2.

ARRIVED TO-DAY. Schr. Georgia D. Jenkins (Am.), 258, Col. wall, from New York, Master, ballast, 66 hours.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY. Schr. Governor Cobb, 1,558, Thompson, from Boston via Maine ports, C. E. Leachier, pass and maid.

CLEARED TO-DAY. Coastwise—Schr. Edmund, Potter, Bear River, Mikado, Lewis, St. Martin, Harbinger, Rockwell, Hillabee, Westport III, Coglia, Westport.

CLEARED YESTERDAY. Schr. Nettie Shipman (Am), 27, Boston, for New York, R. R. Bell, 1,300 pos spruce piling.

SAILED TO-DAY. Schr. Governor Cobb, 1,558, Thompson, for Boston via Maine ports.

DOMINION PORTS. Louisburg, Nov. 4.—Old, stmr. Catalina, Glover, Boston.

Montreal, Nov. 4.—Arld, stmr. Cassandra, from St. John, N. B., via New Brunswick, from Montreal, from London and Antwerp.

St. John, Nov. 4.—Sailed, stmr. Catalina, Glover, Boston.

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SPECIAL SALE OF SKIRTS

Blk Silk Underskirts guaranteed not to cut worth \$4.50, sale \$2.98

Blk, Blue and Brown Morrie Underskirts, worth \$1.85, sale \$1.35

Blk Sateen Skirts, worth \$1.25, sale 98c

Silk Skirts from \$2.98 to \$8.00

THIS WEEK ONLY

WILCOX BROS.,

54-60 Dock Street. 1-5 Market Square

REPORTS AND DISASTERS.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 4.—Schr. H. J. Logan, from Mobile for Sorel, Que., has put in here today.

Norfolk, Oct. 31.—Bark Hancock, Brb, from Philadelphia for Mayaguez, which arrived here yesterday.

New London, Nov. 4.—Schr. General Torrey, from New York for Fishers Island, with cargo of tiling, grounded on Goshen Reef, and is being towed to the harbor.

Yarmouth, Nov. 4.—Schr. Palmato, from New York, with cargo of bridge material, is a total wreck at the day it came from the factory, and was carefully used five months.

CHARTERS. British bark Horvat, 407 tons, from Moss Point to St. Vincent, W. L. Lumber, at or about 7.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT. STEAMERS. Almona, 2,885, R. Reford & Co.

BARKE. Conductor, 1,063, A. W. Adams.

SCHOONERS. Annie A. Booth, 138, A. W. Adams.

Notice to Employers of Labor. Do you carry an Employers Liability Policy? If not you are taking big chances under the New "Workman's Compensation Act."

Lockhart & Ritchie General Agents. Employers Liability Association Corporation, of London

PROPER GLASSES. If your eyes trouble you, and it's a question of getting proper glasses, you save nothing by waiting. Consult D. BOYANER, Graduate Optician, 38 Dock street.

HOSIERY, GLOVES and Underwear.

Men's Heavy Shirts and Drawers, 42c, 48c, 60c, 70c, 80c, each.

Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, 45c.

Ladies' Winter Vests, 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c to \$1.00 each.

Children's Winter Vests, 12c, 15c, 20c, 25c.

Boys' Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, 15c to 30c each.

Ribbed Cashmere Hose, 18c, 22c, 25c.

Plain Cashmere Hose, 20c, 25c, 30c.

Men's Wool Socks, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c.

Gloves and Mitts, all sizes.

Arnold's Department Store. Tel. 1765. 85-85 Charlotte Street.

PICKLING SEASON. We have, Small Cucumbers, Pickling Onions, Green Tomatoes, Peppers, Citron, Melon, Cauliflower, Rock Cranberries, High Bush Cranberries.

J. E. QUINN, City Market, Phone 636

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E. J. EHERS, Supt. for Maritime Provinces.

DEATHS. WIGMORE.—In this city on Nov. 5, Clara, widow of the late Alfred Wigmore, in the 2nd year of her age, died of cancer of the stomach.

Funeral on Saturday at 2:30 from 52 Erie street. Service at 2 o'clock. (Boston and Kansas City papers please copy.)

Chrysanthemums. The public are cordially invited to visit my Chrysanthemum House at Lancaster Height on Thanksgiving Day.

H. S. Cruikshank

F. W. DANIEL & Co., Ltd. London House. Charlotte Street.

Men's Goods—Saturday. Black Cashmere Socks, 25c pair; 4 pairs for \$1.00.

Heather Scotch Socks, 25c pair; 4 pairs for \$1.00.

Men's Wool Underwear, per garment, 50c.

Men's White Shirts, all sizes, 49c.

Men's Police Braces, all sizes, 49c.

Men's Umbrellas, all sizes, 49c.

Men's H. S. Handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c.

Time Sale 11 a. m. to 12 noon. 150 yards 55c, Wool Elder-down for bath robes or Children's Coats at 12c yard.

Fancy Colored and Plain Wool Elder-down for Women's Warm Winter Gowns or Bath Robes and Children's Coats.

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