

# NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

**SPECULATION IN NORTH AMERICAN IS OVER FOR THE PRESENT—LEATHER COMMON STRENGTHENS AGAIN ON REPORTED SETTLEMENTS—LONDON BUYING A FACTOR IN THE STRONG MARKET.**

New York, Nov. 23.

Although the South African news is not very favorable to the British, cables state that there is a suspicion that the government has had good news and that consequently all London markets are strong. It appears that the somewhat higher rates for money which have prevailed during last few days are mainly due to the financing of a new issue of \$5,000,000 bonds by New York city.

This disturbance, however, will only be transitory, and a return to a regular six p.c. rate is looked for next week.

It is announced this forenoon that a vigorous war is imminent in the anthracite coal roads. It appears that the anthracite coal operators' association had a meeting yesterday in New York to advocate the speedy building of a railroad which is to connect the railroads already controlled by the association in Pennsylvania with tide water and Rondout, N. Y. The operators claim that the railroads represented by Mr. J. P. Morgan are charging exorbitant rates, and that the only way to secure justice is to build an opposition line. The railroads against which the fight is especially directed are the Reading, Erie and Lehigh Valley. This news is almost sure to have a bad effect on the stocks of the anthracite coal carrying roads.

Although Wall Street had made up its mind that for the time being there is no chance of an agreement between the A.S.R. Co and the outside refiners, there is a reason to believe that negotiations are still in progress, and that all parties are becoming heartily tired of the war and that there is a greater disposition on part of the various refineries to come together than for some time. Negotiations will no doubt be protracted, but there is a strong probability that a favorable report will come in due course.

The activity in C.I.E. is said to be based on excellent earnings and the prospect of a dividend on common.

There are rumors of a 10 p.c. dividend on General Electric.

Liquidation in North American appears to have checked advance for present.

There is talk of consolidation between C. O. and C.C.C., by which two shares of former are to be exchanged for one of latter.

The temper of the Room on the whole seems to be moderately hopeful.

New York, (noon), Nov. 23.

London was a considerable factor in today's market. Arbitrage houses were buyers of all international stocks, more especially of So. Pac. and S. R. pfd.

The former opened at 43½, and there was no variation from this quotation for three quarters of an hour. It appeared that the demand and supply at that figure were practically endless.

C. I. L. was notably strong, opening 16 and selling as high as 19.

Great confidence is expressed that the preferred stock will be a steady dividend payer, and it is believed that something has been earned on common.

For the time being the speculation in Nor.

American seems to be over, and some belated bulls are getting out at prices that show but small profits.

Leather common has taken a new lease of life, the control of the company is said to have passed into new hands and there are more rumors in regard to plans for the settlement of back dividends on the preferred stock and for the retirement of the stock by an issue of bonds.

The buying of General Electric was called good.

C. O. advanced on report referred to this forenoon, namely that two shares of the stock were to be exchanged for 1 of C.C.C.

The buying of Smelters pfd is attributed to insiders.

During the last half hour the market has sold off somewhat on realizing sales, but undertone on the whole is good.

## STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Nov. 22.

SALES :

Can. G. Fields—3000, 8½. 1500, 8½.  
White Bear—500, 3¾. 3000, 4.  
Golden Star—500, 31½. 1000, 32. 1000, 32½.  
Minnchaha—1000, 14½.  
Winnipeg—500, 30.  
Fairview—8000, 5½. 500, 5½.  
Gold Hills—3500, 5½. 1000, 5¾.  
War Eagle—100, 28¾.  
Waterloo—1000, 13½.

## TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Nov. 22.

SALES :

Rathmullen—2000, 8.  
Okanogan—1500, 9½.  
Van Anda—11,000, 7.  
Iron Mask—500, 69.  
Golden Star—100, 32. 1500, 32½.  
Van Anda, 500, 7.

## ROSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE.

Rosslund, B. C., Nov. 22.

SALES :

I. X. L.—6000, 17. 6000, 17½. 4000, 17¾.  
3000, 17½.  
Giant—3000, 6¾. 2500, 7. 1000, 7½.  
King—3000, 29.  
Okanogan—5200, 10. 5000, 9½. 3000, 9¾.  
Dundee (pooled)—5000, 14.  
Tamarac—3000, 9¾. 1500, 9½. 500, 9½.  
Rathmullen—2500, 8½.

## STRAWS.

The woollen business has revived, as shown by mills in operation. Demand for cotton goods is greater than the supply.

An amalgamation of English, Scotch and American thread companies has been consummated. The combine has a capital of £20,000,000.

Atchison suffers from car shortage in Kansas principally for grain traffic. Reports show that volume of business is over 15 p.c. in excess of last year.

The Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad filed a \$40,000,000 mortgage last evening in favor of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company of New York.

N. Y. Metal Exchange—Pig iron warrants dull and neglected; lake copper 17-17½. quiet; tin 27½-27¾, lower and easy; lead, 4.60-4.65, steady; spelter (metallic zinc), 4.50-4.60, easy.

## ORIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Nov. 21, 1899.

Capital.	Par Value.	Bid.	Asked.
1,500,000	\$1.00	Acacia	.30½ .40
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n	.52½ .35
500,000	1.00	Ben Hur	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee	.8½ .8½
3,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor	.21 .21½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. Cons	.16 .10½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. & M.	..... .20
1,250,000	1.00	Dante	.25½ .21
2,000,000	1.00	Damon	.25½ .20
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton	.....
1,500,000	1.90	Flower	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Findly	.14½ .15
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin	2.10 2.20
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign	.16½ .10½
1,000,000	1.00	Gould	..... .59½
1,225,000	1.00	Independ. T. & M.	.48½ .49
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella	1.38 1.38½
500,000	1.00	Ida May	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot	.61½ .62
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone	.16½ .16½
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly	..... .11½
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington	.25½ .25½
1,000,000	1.00	Alatoa	.31½ .32
800,000	1.00	Moon Anchor	.70 .75
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n Beauty	.13½ .....
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget	.17 .18
2,000,000	1.00	Pappoose	.12½ .13
3,000,000	1.00	Portland	.....
2,900,000	1.00	Pinnacle	..... .32
1,500,000	1.00	Work	.31½ .32

## HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

For week ending Nov. 12....\$2,058.50..... Compared with previous week Dec. \$85.2½  
Rec'ts to date (Nov.)...\$3,625.30...Inc. \$57.10

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