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The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph First Mortgage 5 p. c. BONDS Due 1937

It owns and controls the entire Bell Telephone but Pacific Coast. Its earnings show an uninterrupted annual increase for many

Junior to these bonds there is \$18,000,00 preferred stock paying per cent and \$18,000,000 common.

The equity over and above the bonded debt is \$35,000,000. Send for map and circular.

FINACIAL BRIEFS.

If the present supply of stocks ever runs short through absorption by investors and the gradual conversion of speculative shares into closely held investment issues their places can readily be taken by the stocks of railing bears and one of the exercise share held investment issues their places can readily be taken by the stocks of railing bears and one of the exercise share held investment issues their places can readily be taken by the stocks of railing bears and one of the contributories except some seven of the Orange of \$15,000,000 preferred and \$12,000,000 common and Mr. Flagler's Florida East Coast, whose present issue of \$5,000,000 stock will doubtless be increased. These three roads are in operation, though only one of them, the Virginian, is in operation over the entire route. No transactions have been reported in the stock of either Mr. Flagler's or Mr. Ryan's road, but transactions between houses in Virginian Railway have been rather frequent at prices ranging latterly between 27 and 31, and the stock of this road will probably appear on the exchange at the close of the company's first fiscal year of complete operation.

Transactions are also rather frequency in the stock of the Western Pacific, which \$75,000,000 has been issued; Kansas City, Mexico and Orient, wits \$37,500,000 common and \$37,500, preferred, and in St. Louis, Roc Mountain and Pacific, with \$1,000, preferred and \$10,000,000 common. A South America, and arrange in progress for construction by Amelican capital in China, while in Canadan are construction with Canadan are English capital is proceeding at a trimendous pace. There need be no fethat there will not be enough railrost

Last year the Union Pacific a Southern Pacific dividends were clared August 12, though the date payment was not until October 1. previous years the date of the divident of th meetings was later in August. A meeting at any time in the first two weeks in September would answer all practiin September would answer all practical purposes as well as an earlier meeting, and it is suggested that this year the meetings may not be held until Mr. Harriman's arrival, He is expected to arrive September 4. It was said officially yesterday that no call for the meeting had yet been issued.

The dividend of 10s per share which was unexpectedly announced on the stock of the De Beers Consolidated Mines was accompanied by an official statement accompanying the announcement of the dividend which states that the payment is an anticipa tion of the usual distribution at th end of the year, and that the improve condition of the diamond trade ful justifies the earlier payment.

E. S. Mendels, agent for the Ne York curb market, has issued the following "notice of warning":—"Irr sponsible and unknown individual having lately by advertising and off methods styling themselves as co

JULY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19—The value of merchandise imported into the United States during July exceeded the exports by \$2,837,000. The preliminary report of the United States Bureau of Statistics points out the further fact that July showed the smallest volume of exports since the summer of 1905, save for the month of July a year ago. The volume of inward trade was also smaller than the totals of May and June, and in consequence the unfavorable balance is less extensive than would have been the case had the imports remained at the level of the two previous months.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 19—Liquidation was renewed on a large scale at the opening of the stock market today and losses between 1 and 2 points were made in a number of important issues. N. Y. C. gave way 2; Southern Pacific 15–8; Rock Island, 11–2; U. P. 11–14, and Girat Northerh Ore Certificates, Deff and Hudson, C. & O., and with good, rich cream. The food took island, Pfd., 1. There were sales of \$8.000 shares of U. S. Steel at from 76 7–8 to 76 3–8, compared with 76 7–8 at the close yesterday.

as against the same period in 1908 was \$5.252,758. The total was \$109,42324.

For the seven months since the first of the year the imports show an increase over the same period a year ago of a full 30 per cent., attributable partly to the inrush of goods in expectation of heavier duties.

ONTARIO BANK SUITS. TORONTO, Aug. 19 — According to James Bicknell, K. C., civic actions

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. Wed. Thurs. Cl'g. Op'g. Noon

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STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS Interset

ST. JOHN DROPS OUT OF MARITIME BOARD

Ither Members Declare This Course is Disgraceful

Organization-J. N. Harvey Made

NEWS FROM SACKVILLE

SACKVILLE, Aug. 19.—There was some quite interesting shooting on the rifle range yesterday when riflemen met to take part in the Palmer medal competition. Edward Bowser was successful in making the top score with 87. Other scores were: Amos Lawrence, 85; F. A. Dixon, 82; Roy Brooks, 79; John Brooks, 79; Laurie Anderson, 79; Arnold Smith, 78; Jas. Anderson, 78; Walter Tingley, 75; Walter Patterson, 75; B. Robinson, 75; Walter Dixon, 75; F. Harrison, 74, at 200, 500 and 600 yards.

yards.
The annual provincial convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held here in September. the opening session being held on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth. The convention will probably extend over three days. It is expected that about sixty delegates will be present. They will represent the unions of New Brunswick and those of Prince Edward Island as well. It is understood that the Dominion president of the organization, Mrs. Wright, will be present at the sessions. at the sessions. In the first golf con

In the first golf competition played in Sackville nine of the gentlemen of the recently organized club took part in some handicap play, with the result in some handicap play, with the result that the first prize went to Mayor Pickard. His score was 50.

Alderman Fred Doncaster met with an accident on Tuesday evening, when he was struck on the head by a heavy hook of a hay pitcher. A gash about two inches in length was inflicted. When the hook struck Doncaster it not only cut him but also stunned him and for a few moments it was feared that he was very seriously hurt. Dr. H. T. Knapp was hurriedly summoned and gave the wound the necessary atind gave the wound the necessary at-

> The club house at the Ferns will be the scene of an assembly dance this evening. An efficient committee from the Wyandotte Club have the manage ment of the affair in hand and a large attendance is assured. McQuade's orchestra is preparing a classical pro-

t don't Always Pay to be Skeptical

When a newspaper writer and proof reader that works nights can feed himself out of dyspepsia, which most all that class suffer with, it is worth while to know the kind of food used.

This man care This man says:

combination that would produce a skeptic on the subject if anything would.

"Day after day I read the proof on the Grape-Nuts advertisements with the feeling that they were all 'buncombe.' All this time I was suffering from dyspepsia from the improper food I was eating at the restaurant.

"One year ... 2,000 the defendant serving eight or nine men, four of whom looked like minors. He noticed two Swedes drinking liquor five years ... 25,000 Three years ... 25,000 Three years ... 25,000 Three years ... 45,000 Three years ...

"I was nearly ready to give up night work and seek health in some other walk in life, but thanks to my change

Read "The Road to Wellville" in

ALL THE OFFICERS WERE RE-ELECTED TODAY

Corresponding secretary—Miss A. E. Hume, Dartmouth, N. S. Recording secretary—Miss C. R. Ful-Treasurer-Mrs. Mary Smith, Am-

Crandall, Chipman.

All the officers were re-elected by Vice-presidents were elected as fol-lows: Nova Scotia, Mrs. C. S. McLean, New Germany, Lunenburg; New Brunswick, Mrs. J. H. McDonald, Fred-

ericton; P. E. Island, Mrs. W. W. At-The following provincial secretaries were chosen: Nova Scotia, Miss Violet Kirk, Halifax; New Brunswick, Miss Rebecca Bennett, Hopewell Cape; P. E. Island, Miss A. A. Wadman.

Mission band superintendents—Nova Scotia, Mrs. L. F. Walace; New Brunswick, Mrs. W. E. McIntyre; P. E. Island, Miss Anna Frost. E. Island, Miss Anna Frost. The home mission committee chosen was Mrs. C. H. Martell, Mrs. J. H. Mal-

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There were but few changes on the executive board, these being in the fourth division. Mrs. C. H. Horseman of St. John was chosen secretary of the bureau of literature. County secretaries for Nova Scotia and district secretaries for New Brunswick remain the same. Considerable time was taken up at this morning's session with the submission of reports, Mrs. Bessie C. Ralston reporting for the provincial missionary paper, The Tidings, said there was a balance on hand of \$369.79. Mrs. C. H. Horsman of St. John reported from the bureau of literature, showing that receipts for the year were \$129, value of stock sent out during the year was \$136, seven dollars being in free literature. Cash on hand in this department is \$11.41. The tender of Black and Co., Amherst, of fifteen hundred dollars for printing the annual reports was accepted.

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WEST END DWELLING

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fire Broke Out at One O'clock in House Owned by S. Sewell on Duke St. —Damage \$1,500.

WRIGHT REACHES BERLIN

Story dwelling house on Duke street, West End, owned and occupied by Sarquel Sewell, almost destroyed the building before it was distinguished by the fire department.

The alarmi wes rung in from box 112 at ten minutes past one. The house was blazing fiercely when the apparation work to subdue the fiames.

The ell main west under the fire started was completely gutted and it took an hour's hard of the house was badly damaged. The loss wil lamount to about \$1,500.

Mr. Sewell and his family were all absent at their county residence at Red Head, and as the house was uncounted the origin of the fire is a mystery.

The ell where the fire started was completely gutted and the main part of the house was badly damaged. The learned the north Emperor William will probably witness one of the exhibitions. The Emperor is coming to Berlin to review the Berlin and Potsdam garralsons and receive Count Zeppelin, who is expected to make his long voyage from Friedrichshafen to Berlin on August 28. The two masters of the difference of the origin of the fire is a mystery at their county residence at their county residence at their county residence at their county residence at the story of the months time, but they do so by taking advantage of the opportunity of working tefore and after regular work to subdue the fiames.

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Among the possibilities for Sask-atchewan in 1950 are a population of eight million people, automobile plows, and rural telephones. Sir Walter Scott points to this and other significant signs of development as confirming Senator Seward's statement of fifty years ago, that Canada represented "a region grand enough to be the seat of a great empire." COLLIER'S August 21st issue.

LIQUOR TO MINORS

"Being a newspaper writer and proof reader, also a graduate in medicine as well, though not practicing, makes a combination that would produce a with selling liquor to minors, a plea of with selling liquor to minors, a plea of

INTERNATIONAL YACHTING.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., Aug. 19. - Three years .. 18,000 Five years .. 32,000 The will be to give years .. 32,000 The WEEKL ports remained at the level of the two previous months.

Imports in February, Marcl, April, May and June all exceeded those of July. The value of incoming merchandise in June was \$124,593,000, while in July the total dropped to \$112,290,000. The increase over a year ago amounts to \$25,851,000. The increase over a year ago amounts to \$25,851,000. The increase of exports against the same period in 1908 was

Copies of the new civic assessment act were received at the City Hall today. The act embodies most of the changes recommended by the city at the last session of the local government. It does not include, however, the section which the aldermen endeavored to introduce to the effect that interest should be charged on all overdue tax bills.

back collections.

NOTE.—Candidates will bear in mind that The Sun and The Star can not be sent by mail in the city.

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BOY WANTED—Apply at once.

Arnold's Department Store. in diet I am now all right." "There's a

LADS STOLE AUTOMOBILE TO HUNT IN CANADA

This

Tender Accepted for Printing
the Reports.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 19.—Election of officers was the most important business at this morning's session of the Maritime Baptist Women's Missionary Union. The election resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. David Hutchinson, St. John.

Corresponding secretary. At the secretary and the secretary and the secretary and the secretary. At the secretary and the secr

Arrived. Str. Amelia, 103, Wrayton, from Yarnouth, N. S. Str. Bear River, 70, Woodsforth, from Bear River, N. S. Schr. Emily, 59, George, from Five

Schr. Lord of Avon, 325, Verner, fo Coastwise.
Str. Prince Rupert, 620, Potter, for Schr. Swallow, 90, Ellis, for Point Schr. Effort, 63, Ogilvie, for St. Anrews, N. B.
Schr. Irene, 90, Belliveau, for Hillsoro, N. B.

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Str. Bear River, 70. Woodsworth, for

NEW SPEEDWAY OPENED

neet and compare methods.

THE SUN AND STAR CONTEST

(Continued from page one)

ARE YOU THINKING OF ENTER-If so there is no time like the present. During the days of the Bonus Offer is the ideal time to enter the contest for a few subscriptions will place you on a level with the leaders. They can be gained with little effort during the Bonus Offer.

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Six months . 1,500 \$1.50 \$1.00

One year . . 5,000 . 3,00 2.00

Two years . 12,000 Three years .. 18,000 15.00 10.00

will be issued on all renewals and back collections. NOTE.—Candidates will bear in mind

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Trains leave at 9.20, 1.10 and 5.08. Returning at 9 p.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Tickets: Adults, 70c; Children 35c. 12-8-4

Tenders for Stock Tenders will be received for the

J. KING KELLEY, Assignee.

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at greatly reduced prices No. 4 Sharples Cream Separator, cap

LOCAL NEWS.

To cure Headache in ten minutes us Cumfort Headache Powders.

You will find that the ads, that app to you most are of the stores that wil

\$5.00 Hats for \$2.50, and \$3.00 Hats for 75c., at Mrs. Brown's, 236 Union St.

appeal to you most ONLY A FEW DAYS LEFT.

Don't forget the sale of Dry Goods Boots and Shoes now going on at N. one of 4 others.

J. Lahood's Store, 282 Brussels street, The postponed concert by the City Cornet Band will be given on King

Square this evening. The picnic of the New Brunswich Military Veterans was again postponed today. The outing will take place at Bayswater tomorrow.

The Salvation Army will hold an entertainment this evening at the Brindley street barracks, which they are advertising as "An auction sale of

Dunphy Downing, who received serious injuries in Stetson, Cutter's mill yesterday morning was reported as resting easily at the General Public Hospital today. His condition is still critical.

MUST BE NO LIMIT.

Tenders will be received for the Stock and Book Debts of Jacobson & Selick at the office of the undersigned, 108 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B., up to 1 p. m., 21st August, 1909. Stock may be inspected on application to the assignee. A deposit of 25 per cent the price tendered must accompany each tender, which in case the tender is not accepted will be returned. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. The tendency to make things cheaper instead of better, in the educational line, is a great mistake, as is proven by the many failures of cheap college graduates who are compelled to accept

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 19—The \$400,000 Indianapolis Speedway was formally opened today with five automobile races, a 250 mile grind ending the day's sport.

Experts predict that the records for the standard distances will be broken before the three days of the dizzy dashes around the big track are finished.

WRIGHT REACHES BERUN

BERLIN, Aug. 19—Orville Wright, his sister Katherine, and Hart O. Berg, the European business agent of the acity 500 lbs. **\$45**. each net cash f. o. b. New Glasgow. Order immediately as stock is limited.

his long flight.

NEW SUPPLY OF RADIUM

KENNETA, Calif., Aug. 19. — According to a story told by Dr. S. Wilkins, who arrived yesterday, enough pitch blende has been used on the MINEOLA, N. Y., Aug. 19—The attempt of C. Foster Willard to win a cup offered for the longest flight of an aeroplane was postponed till tomorrow to give Mr. Willard an opportunity to make more thorough preparation for his long flight.

pitch blende has been used on the McCloud river north of here to supply the world with radium for all time. Dr. Wilkins had in his possession specimens of the precious stuff and so impressed were some business men with his story that they sent an expert to visit the newly discovered ledge which is 20 miles up the Mac-Cloud river.

CURES Diarrhoa, Dysentery, Colic, Cramps, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Seasick-

Complaint, and all Looseness or Fluxes D'FOWLED

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MRS. THOS. W. WEAVER, Coal Creek, N.B., writes: "My little girl was taken ill with a very bad attack of diarrhea. Nothing seemed to do her any good. Hear-WILD STRAWBER ing of your wonderful medicine, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, I went at once and got a bottle, and to my great surprise, after taking a few doses, she was completely cured."

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A good many people, fully able to buy homes, go along year after year paying rent or boarding simply because the IDEA of buying a home scares them—brings up visions of big financial burdens.

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