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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going On In the Business World—The Markets.

On the Montreal Exchange $18,000 was again bid for a seat.

A New York Stock Exchange seat has just sold for $70,000. The last previous sale was at $81,000, in January.

Only five Cobalt companies were incorporated last week and the capitalization was $2,890,000 against a recent weekly average of $10,000,000.

The City railway of Chicago is considering the issue of $40,000,000 5 per cent. bonds, of which $18,000,000 is needed for immediate improvements.

E. G. Rykert has written to the Montreal Exchange withdrawing his resignation from the board. Mr. Rykert will resume business immediately under the old firm name of E. G. Rykert & Co.

Commercial failures, last week, in Canada, as reported by R. G. Dunn & Co., numbered 25, against 22 for the preceding week, 25 for the week before, and 18 last year.

The long cherished plan of John W. Gates looking to the consolidation of the Republic Iron & Steel and Tennessee Coal & Iron companies, according to statements made Saturday, is to be carried out in the early future.

The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of March, as compiled from Journal of Commerce, shows a total of $20,559,700, against $19,876,600 in February, 1907, $18,727,75 in March, 1906, and $14,751,400 in March, 1905. The total for three months of 1907 is $64,501,200, against $54,700,900 in the same period in 1906.

Stockholders of the American Brass company, which is the largest consumer of copper in the world, authorized the increase of its capital from $12,500,000 to $55,000,000. This new stock will participate in the dividends of the company August 1st. The company has been expanding its business materially throughout the last year. Numerous additions have been made to manufacturing plants, including those of the holding company's subsidiaries, and in most of the shops men are working in relays. The company recently acquired a new oiling mill, and the Randolph-Clowes company, a competitor, also has increased its manufacturing capacity.

STOCK FIGURES.

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Toronto, April 10th. 1 p.m.

Atlin	.26	.20
Coniagas	4.75	4.65
Foster	1.62	1.58
Green Meehan	.75	.72
McKinley	1.70	1.60
Nipissing	13.75	13.00
Silver Leaf	.16	.15½
Silver Queen	1.75	1.70
Trethewey	1.39	1.35
Peterson Lake	.53	.48
C.P.R.	177.50	176.00
Twin City	97.25	95.50

LAST SALES.

Green Meehan	At $	.74½
Silver Queen	"	1.65
Silver Leaf	"	.15½
Trethewey	"	11.40
Peterson Lake	"	.50½
Coniagas	"	4.67
Nipissing	"	13.50

GRANT TO QUEEN'S

WILL BE USED FOR PEDAGOGICAL INSTRUCTION.

The Ontario Government Has Put Queen's on the Same Footing at Toronto—The Premier's Remarks.

The Ontario government has granted $5,000 a year, for three years, for pedagogical instruction at Queen's University. The premier said the government had started out on its career by stating in Kingston that Queen's University would be treated just the same whether or not a government supporter were elected. The government would not spend public money with a view to having any city return a supporter of the government. With respect to Queen's, he had stated when leader of the opposition, that it had become a part of the educational life of the country, and that, if returned to power, as soon as the claims of Toronto were disposed of Queen's would be taken into consideration. Since that time Queen's had to an extent gone back under the wing of the church, and the position of affairs was greatly simplified. It was decided to go on and develop the provincial university scheme at Toronto, and in the interests of that great public duty the School of Pedagogy was removed from Hamilton. The consequence was that it rendered it impossible for Queen's to get pedagogical instruction without going to a rival institution—the University of Toronto. The government, therefore, decided to make some allowance to Queen's University to provide against the new condition of affairs created.

"This is a serious question for Queen's," said Mr. MacKay. "If the provision is not made it might mean that the institution would lose half its students to Toronto University." Mr. MacKay paid a high tribute to the professional training given at Queen's.

In answer to Mr. MacKay, the premier said the three years' grant was not a finality.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of The People—What They Are Saying And Doing.

Rev. Father Kehoe, of Gananoque, is in the city.

George Malone, of Peterboro, is spending a few days in the city.

George Montgomery, Montreal, was visiting friends in the city, yesterday.

Mrs. H. Prevost and Mrs. C. Brown, Iroquois Hotel, have returned from New York.

Miss Richards is supplying the place of Miss E. Farry in Frontenac school, who is ill.

E. E. Horsey, of the Lake Ontario Navigation company, has returned from Toronto.

W. T. Dockerill, travelling passenger agent of the C.P.R., is in the city on business, to-day.

Miss Myrtle Lee came home, on Tuesday, from Toronto, after a very pleasant visit of two weeks.

John Dunn, assistant secretary at the Y.M.C.A. during the winter months left to-day for Elbow, Sask.

James Stacey, Frontenac street, is very ill. His advanced age, eighty-three years, makes recovery doubtful.

Miss E. Irene Dunlop, Clergy street, leaves to-morrow for Cloyne, to take charge of the school for the summer months.

J. Latremouill, Toronto, who has been staying at L. O. Beaudry's, Queen street, for the last few days, returned home to-day.

R. T. Hodgson, M.A., Brandon, has been elected second vice-president of the Manitoba Educational Association. He is a Queen's graduate.

W. W. Wanamaker, with wife and family of Belleville, are removing to Watertown, N.Y. Their goods were shipped over by the Cape boat to-day.

Frank Welch, chief clerk at the Kingston and Pembroke railway offices, intends shortly to leave to accept a similar position with Quebec and Duluth line of steamships.

Miss Laura Cosgrove and her nephew, Eugene Donoghue, left this morning for Buffalo, to attend the wedding of her sister, Frankie, to Captain W. Johnston, Tonawanda, N.Y.

Henry Jackson, who has secured a position in New York, left for there this afternoon via the Cape Vincent boat. Several members of the "Teddy's Own Social Twenty," with which he was identified, were at Folger's wharf to see him off.

Felix Haney Coming.

Few plays come so highly recommended as "When the Harvest Days Are Over," which will be presented at the Grand on Saturday, April 13th, matinee and night, under the direction of Neil Twomey. The story is said to be a very probable one and interesting, from start to finish. The comedy is rich and possessed a good deal of originality. Felix Haney, who is starring in this play, is too well known to require any extra words of praise. As Hez Huckins, he is said to be doing the best work of what has been a highly successful career, and his singing of Hez Huckins, the village cut-up, demands nightly seven and eight encores. Mr. Twomey has had the entire scenic production built and painted by recognized artists and has selected a cast which is in keeping with his star.

The Late Henry Mason.

Henry Mason, one of Kingston's old-time ship carpenters, died in the House of Providence last Sunday, aged eighty-four years. For many years he lived in the little cottage on Bagot street, near Gore street. He was a kind and good-natured gentleman. In politics he was a liberal and in religion a Roman Catholic. A sister in the House of Providence survives. The remains were placed in St. Mary's cemetery vault on Tuesday.

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Fresh Colgate's talcum powders at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Twelve bars Judd soap, 25c., or $2 a box, at Gilbert's.

BOUGHT BY ELKS

THE OLD BANK OF MONTREAL BUILDING IS SOLD

It Will Be Used For Club Room Purposes—The First Flat Will Be Rented—Dr. W. G. Anglin Closed the Deal.

The Kingston Elks have concluded a deal for the purchase of the old Bank of Montreal building, at the corner of King and William streets. They have had their eye on this place for the past three months, and Dr. W. G. Anglin, the head of the local organization, who is in Montreal, telegraphed this morning that the purchase had been made. The figure was not stated, but it is understood it is in the vicinity of $9,000. The bank people had held the building for $10,000.

Recently the Elks purchased the old Stearne lot on King street near Johnson street, but several of their number agreed to take it off their hands at any time should it be decided to purchase another place. The bank building will be an ideal place for a club. The lower flat will be rented. It would make a good place for the board of trade rooms.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Shoes For All Feet.

We sell a man's shoe that is just as broad as it is long. It isn't a pretty shoe, but it is just the shoe some men are looking for. We sell them. The Lockett shoe store.

Died Very Suddenly.

Word reached the city, to-day, of the sudden death of Mrs. E. Stacey, Seeley's Bay. Deceased was well-known in the city, where a large circle of friends are left to sympathize with the three small children and husband, who are in mourning.

At The Barracks.

Q.M.S. Inst. Clifford returned this morning from Granby, where he has been engaged with the 15th Field Battery, and is leaving to-night for Ottawa.

A new recruit was taken on the R. C.H.A., this morning.

Taken To Hospital.

Gordon Campbell, better known as "Curly," a member of Queen's hockey and football teams, was removed to the general hospital, yesterday, suffering from appendicitis, and as a result will miss his examinations. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Purchased A Launch.

Charles Bowen, Brock street, has purchased a gasoline launch from P. Blake, builder, Barriefield. The new boat is fitted out with a seven horse-power engine. F. O'Connor has been retained by the owner to run the engine.

Bright Prospects.

The prospects of the Kingston Curling Club owning a rink of its own, next winter, seem bright at present. The amount of stock subscribed is unknown, but approximately reaches $4,000. There is only about $1,000 more to be subscribed to ensure the building of a new rink. The club has several sites in view should it decide to build this summer.

Board Of Trade Co-operates.

The Woman's Aid Association of the General Hospital sent a deputation to the board of trade last evening to request that body to co-operate with it in holding its "made-in-Canada bazaar" next November. The board expressed its concurrence with the ladies' scheme, and appointed its president, W. T. Minnes, as a patron.

Through A Collision.

Sir Sandford Fleming, Miss Edna Mountain, Miss Norma Brennan, Miss Hazel Payne, of Ottawa, and Principal Peterson, of McGill university, were in a C.P.R. collision at Dorval on Tuesday. Fortunately no one suffered very much, although Sir Sandford was rather upset by the jar. The chairs in the parlor car were all overturned.

Very Excellent Work.

At the city council meeting, last evening, Mayor Mowat congratulated City Solicitor McIntyre on the excellent manner in which he had revised and arranged the city by-laws. In response, Mr. McIntyre complimented the Whig job room on the splendid work it had performed in the printing. The Whig, he said, had an admirable plant and turned out work second to none in Canada. He was more than pleased with the manner in which the printing had been done.

Made A Route Inspector.

F. W. Branscombe, for the past two years manager of the local branch of the Dominion Express company, has been promoted to the position of route inspector, with headquarters at St. John, N.B. He will leave Kingston early next week. It is probable that J. H. Seeles, Woodstock, Ont., will be made local manager. Those who have had business dealings with the Dominion Express company, will sincerely regret Mr. Branscombe's removal, for he has been a most capable, obliging and painstaking official.

Great Musical Treat.

The concert at the City Hall, tonight, under the auspices of the Woman's Musical Club, given by Madame Le Grand Reed, soprano, Kelley-Cole, the great New York tenor, and Ethel Cave-Cole, promises to be the musical event of the season. These artists have met with great success on their Canadian tour, and it is to be hoped they will be greeted with a crowded house to-night. Madame Le Grand Reed won the hearts of the audience where here last with the famous Pittsburg orchestra. Kelley-Cole, the brilliant tenor, has been spoken of by the press since his return from abroad in the highest terms. Ethel Cave-Cole is said to be one of the finest accompanists in New York. The Ladies Musical Club, are to be congratulated on bringing such great artists to our city.

DEMAND THE SUM

WHICH BOARD OF EDUCATION PUT IN BUDGET.

Spent Too Many Long Hours in Deliberation to Have the Issue Turned Down by the City Council.

School trustees are not pleased with the action of the city council in cutting out the appropriation for the introduction of domestic science and will take steps to have the matter discussed at the board and to insist that the council provide the appropriation demanded. "We know what we want," said a leading trustee, "and I do not propose to let the city council dictate. For many a night we have been sitting up late at night deliberating over school needs and having arrived at conclusions we should have the backbone to insist upon our wishes and plans being carried out. Domestic science and manual training are most desirable if Kingston schools are to in any sense keep pace with the schools of the province. The board is most considerate of the public purse: it pares its requirements down to meet the city's revenue. If the assessment was growing we would demand and devise larger things, but we have regard to the city's purse. I, for one, would like to have the school tax rate apportioned separately. I am satisfied that no progressive citizen objects to education and no civic money expended returns better dividends. What we decide is wise for the schools we must insist upon the city council providing funds for."

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters on Their Rounds.

"Moth camphor," the strong kind, is sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

William Swaine, piano tuner. Orders received at McAuley's. 'Phone 778.

Miller's Worm Powders cure fever in children. For sale by W. H. Medley.

The classes at the Queen's gymnasium will be discontinued on April 15th, though the gym. will remain open for exercise.

"Fresh to-day," McConkey's high class candy, at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Mrs. A. Klugh addressed the meeting of the Mothers' Union, in St. George's hall, on Tuesday, on "Heredity and Environment."

Try a 5 lb. caddy Livonia Ceylon Tea, 35c. a lb.; equal to most 50c. package teas. Gilbert's.

Kingston's snow storm this forenoon was not heavy. Montreal has had fifteen inches of snow in the past few days.

The arts examination at Queen's university are nearly over though the students in science and medicine will be writing for another week.

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An important contribution to the study of Old Testament literature, on which Prof. G. C. Workman, of the Wesleyan college, Montreal, has been at work for many years, is announced, under the title, "The Servant of Jehovah."

"Moth camphor in flakes" is sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

CLOSE UP ALL WELLS.

What the Health Officer Intends to Recommend.

Medical Health Officer Bell intends recommending to the board of health that every well in the city be closed. He says there are about an hundred still in use, and that they should not be allowed to furnish water for consumption. He will also advise the board of health to take action to prevent people from allowing cess pools to exist in their yards. Many houses in the outskirts have pipes from the sinks to the yards, where slush water gathers and endangers health. Dr. Bell says that the city should supply water and proper drainage to all that require it, and the people who need these things should apply to the city for them, and pay the usual rates and local improvement charges. There would be less sickness in some parts of the city if the residents had water works supply and their houses properly drained.

CITY BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Time Extended For Entry of Senior Teams.

The executive of the City Baseball League held a meeting in the Y.M.C.A. building, last night, for receiving entries of teams. There are thirteen teams at present entered in the league, six junior, four intermediate and three senior. On account of the small number of senior teams applying for admission, the time was extended until April 28th for entries to be made. The drawing up of the schedule was left to the next meeting. It is expected that at least two more senior teams will join the league at the next meeting.

Oddfellows Play Independently.

The Oddfellows baseball club will play independent ball this season. The Oddfellows expect to have a strong team, this season, and will play exhibition games with outside teams.

Archdeacon Carey's Demand.

Archdeacon Carey has sent a bill to St. Paul's church congregation for $3,300 arrears of salary for a period covering about thirty years. The congregation was unaware that it owed anything to its retired rector, and the bill came as a surprise. A member of the church stated that it was intended to withdraw from Archdeacon Carey's use the interest on a certain endowment, and that the bill for salary arrears is likely made to offset that. Interesting developments are expected.

The interstate commerce commission has decided to institute proceedings in a circuit court in New York, to compel E. H. Harriman to answer the questions he refused to answer when he was testifying before the commission.

This is Kentucky lawn grass seed weather. Kentucky lawn grass seed is sold only at Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Dress Goods

We have been unusually busy in our Dress Goods Department this spring. This proves that we have the right selection at the right price.

Most of our goods are bought direct from the maker. One reason why our prices are a little lower than usually charged.

Shepherd's Plaids

In Blue and White, Brown and White, Black and White.

40c., 49c., 75c.

The Latest Colors for Spring

In Panama, Chiffon, Broadcloth, Sedan Cloth, Kantana, and many other materials.

Cream Serge,
Cream Panama,
New Spring Tweeds

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TAN,
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BLACK,
WHITE,
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NEW SPRING SUITS

Fashion is continually changing. Each day she has something new, and especially is this true in the little details which means so much to women's suits. We are ever watchful for this newness. Every express brings us something a little newer than you will find elsewhere.

TWEED SUITS

9.75, 12.50, 13.75, 14.50, 15.75, 16.50, 18.75.

NEW COATS

In Covert and Tweed, 6.75, 7.50, 8.75, 9.50, 10.00

If not prepared to buy just yet, choose what you fancy and have it placed aside until required.

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