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## THE 5 P.M. EDITION

### COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

#### What is Going On in the Business World—The Markets.

Canadian Pacific traffic earnings for the first week of May increased \$200,000. Gross earnings of the Toronto Railway Company for April increased \$30,574.40.

The revenue of Montreal post-office for April is \$69,533, compared with \$58,008 in the same month last year, an increase of over \$11,000.

Over \$6,000,000 worth of ore is stockpiled on the property of the Highgate Way Mining company. The cost of the mine was \$360,000.

The Land Corporation of Canada shows a profit for 1906 of \$14,000,000, or \$2.50 per share; \$5,000,000 is carried forward.

The Nipissing mine has now ten carloads of ore sacked and piled at the mouth of the shaft. It has been suggested that the company ship a trial load of ore in the near future.

The United States Steel Corporation has been to inspect \$200,000 of iron from Spain, Greece, and Persia. The first United States iron ever brought into the United States from a foreign port arrived last week from Bessarab.

It is stated that the present production and go to the dollar mark the outlook for a bull stockmarket would not be very rosy, for in order to advance wheat 15 cents more crop conditions would have to be worse than anything revealed up to the present time—Monday Star.

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**Dress Goods!**  
Every Remnant in stock will have to go MONDAY, and in order to do this we have decided to offer them at

**EXACTLY HALF PRICE**  
Remnants of Fancy Tweeds, Voiles, Venetians, Fancy Goods and many other materials, Black and colors, many of the newest things for this spring, lengths range from 1, 2, 2 1/2, 3, 4, 5, 6 yards.  
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Double fold, in shades of Grey and Black. regular 10c. makes. Yours Monday Morning  
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**Queen's Dinner In New York.**  
The dinner of the New York Alumni Society of Queen's University at the Hotel Navarre, New York, on Thursday night, was a great success. Over fifty Queen's people were present, the largest yet. Douglas Porteous, president of the society, presided, with Principal Gordon on his right, and Prof. Watson, vice-principal, on his left. Dr. J. C. Connell represented the medical faculty. Among others present from outside New York City were Dr. T. H. Farrell, Utica, N.Y.; Dr. Leahy, of Port Jarvis, N.Y.; Rev. Dr. Charles Cameron, Philadelphia; and Rev. H. Dunning, of Albany, N.Y.; Prof. Watson's address was a remarkable one, and charmed all present.

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Eastern League—At Baltimore, 3; Jersey City, 1. At Montreal, 2; Rochester, 3. At Newark, 5; Providence, 3.  
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**Leo, To Benefit Cadets.**  
A full rehearsal on Monday; Wednesday and Friday evenings, at St. Andrew's hall. The performance will take place, in the Opera House, Thursday, Friday, Saturday evenings and Sunday matinee, May 30th, 31st and June 1st.

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