

	A week ago.	To-day
First Preference.....	113½	114
Second Preference.....	105½	106½
Third Preference.....	59½	60

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Montreal Street sold at 225½, and closed offered at 226½ with no bid. The stock was stagnant, and only 130 shares were traded in. The earnings for the week ending 2nd inst., show an increase of \$8,256.86 as follows:—

		Increase.
Sunday.....	\$8,558.74	\$1,130.38
Monday.....	8,540.72	979.65
Tuesday.....	8,335.23	941.96
Wednesday.....	7,790.84	645.92
Thursday.....	8,252.85	1,197.20
Friday.....	8,063.52	890.20
Saturday.....	9,434.46	2,471.55

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Toronto Railway is weaker, and closed with 104¾ bid as compared with 105¾ a week ago. The value of the stock has been attacked by a Toronto paper, but the earnings of the company make it seem reasonable in price, and rather an attractive purchase. The sales last week amounted to 185 shares. The earnings for the week ending 2nd inst., show an increase of \$9,577.00 as follows:—

		Increase
Sunday....	\$5,637	\$407
Monday....	8,529	1,053
Tuesday....	10,073	1,979
Wednesday....	11,009	1,743
Thursday....	10,958	2,141
Friday....	10,787	1,140
Saturday....	13,004	1,114

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The business in Twin City this week is comprised in one transaction of 25 shares at 116. The stock closed with 114 bid. The earnings for the last ten days of August show a decrease of \$2,317.55.

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Detroit Railway was the most active stock this week, the sales totalling 1,872 shares. The closing bid was 93¾ a point lower than a week ago.

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Hallifax tram closed with 108½ as compared with 108¾ a week ago, and 225 shares were dealt in. The last sales were made at 109.

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The trading in Toledo brought out 307 shares, and the last sales were at 34½. The stock was offered at the close at 35½ with no bid.

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Havana Common closed with 23½ bid or ¼ point lower than a week ago, and 125 shares changed hands. There were no sales in the Preferred and 71 was bid at the close.

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R. & O. closed with 75½ bid a decline of ½ point on quotation for the week, and 200 shares were dealt in.

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Montreal Power sales totalled 701 shares, and 90¾ was bid at the close to-day, a decline of a ¼ point from last week.

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Dominion Iron Common was dealt in for an even 500 week of 435 shares. This is a loss of ¾ point for the week. The Preferred was dealt in for 188 shares, the last sale being at 74½.

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Montreal Cotton is now selling X.D. of 1¼ per cent. payable 15th inst., and closed with 114 X.D. bid. Only eleven shares changed hands during the week.

Dominion Iron Common was dealt in for and even 500 shares, and closed with 21¾ bid. The Preferred closed with 71 bid and 100 shares changed hands during the week. There were no sales of the Bonds and the closing quotation was 86 asked, 83 bid.

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Dominion Coal Common on sales for the week of 185 shares, closed with 77 bid a point lower than a week ago. In the Preferred 199 shares changed hands, the last sales being at 114¾. There were no sales in the Bonds.

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Nova Scotia Steel Common is ¾ of point lower, closing with 63¾ bid and 385 shares were involved in the week's trading. There were no transactions in the Preferred or in the Bonds.

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Lake of the Woods Common closed offered at 105 with 95 bid, and 45 shares changed hands at 99½ during the week. The Preferred was more active and on sales of 515 shares advanced from 110 to 113 closing with 113¾ bid. There were no sales in the Bonds which closed 112 asked, 108 bid.

	Per cent.
Call money in Montreal.....	4½
Call money in New York.....	2½
Call money in London.....	1
Bank of England rate.....	3
Consols.....	90½
Demand Sterling.....	9½
60 days' Sight Sterling.....	8½

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Thursday, p.m. September 7, 1905.

The local market to-day was dull but fairly steady. Pacific opened at 162½, sold up to 163 and closed with 162¾ bid, while Detroit sold at 93½ and some broken lots at 94. Lake of the Woods Preferred had a further advance and sold up to 115, closing offered at 115 with 114½ bid. Nova Scotia Steel Common was slightly stronger and sold at 64. Dominion Iron Preferred sold at 70, and Montreal Power at 91. A detailed list of to-day's transactions will be found below.

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MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1905.

MORNING BOARD.

No. of Shares.	Price	No. of Shares.	Price
25 C.P.R.....	162½	50 Mackay Pfd.....	74½
100 ".....	163	10 ".....	73½
75 Toronto Ry.....	104¾	50 ".....	74½
3 ".....	104½	25 Woods Pfd.....	113½
5 Detroit.....	94	25 ".....	114½
50 ".....	93½	100 ".....	115
15 ".....	94	1 Ogilvie Pfd.....	128
50 Iron Com.....	21¾	9 Coal Pfd.....	115
125 ".....	21¾	25 Halifax Tram.....	109
25 Montreal Cotton.....	116	\$5,000 Iron Bonds.....	85
25 Hochelaga Bank.....	142	25 Textile Pfd.....	91
10 ".....	142½	5 ".....	90½
15 Twin City.....	115	75 ".....	90
25 Molsons Bank.....	228	75 ".....	90
25 Havana Pfd.....	72	20 ".....	91

AFTERNOON BOARD.

60 Woods Pfd.....	115	50 Power.....	91
50 Mont. Street.....	225	50 Scotia Com.....	64
25 Toledo.....	34½	100 Havana Com.....	23½
10 Scotia Pfd.....	114½	5 Textile Pfd.....	91½
25 Iron Pfd.....	70	25 ".....	91