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Montreal Stock Market.

**MARKET DEAD—STREET RAILWAY
STRONG, BUT INACTIVE.**

Commencing with July, there will be no afternoon session of the Stock Exchange for that month and August. This morning's market was lifeless. Out of thirteen issues dealt in, nine were in peddling amounts. The trading in Pacific, Toronto Rails, Republic and Com. Cable was fair. Pacific sold below yesterday's figures, Toronto Rails advanced fractionally, Republic and Com. Cable were steady, and New Street sold at 321½. The old was not dealt in, but was quoted 323 to 324. The increase in earnings for yesterday amounted to \$594.82.

Canadian Pacific was quoted in London at 100½, and in New York at 98½. All sales were made here at 98½, the total trading amounting to 1,200 shares. The closing quotations were 98½ to 98½.

Twin City was neglected, only 50 shares being traded in at 68, or one quarter below the price at which the closing sales were made yesterday.

Montreal Street was also left entirely alone, no sales of the old being made, and only 50 of the new, all at 321½. The closing quotations for the old were 323 to 324 and for the new 321 to 322.

Toronto Rails was dealt in to the extent of 125 shares, 100 of which sold at 118½ and 25 at 118½, the latter being the closing sale, and the bid and asked at the close were 118 to 118½.

Commercial Cable was strong, sales of 150 shares being made in 50 share lots, the first sale realizing 185½, the next 187

and the closing 186½, with 186½ bid for more at the close and 187 asked.

Republic was the only stock in its class that showed life. 6,500 shares were disposed of at 132 and 132½, the closing quotations being 132 to 133.

Payne—A small lot of 200 shares brought 383. The quotations being 380 to 383.

Neither War Eagle or Montreal-London were dealt in. The latter was quoted at 56 to 60, and the former 383½ to 387.

The balance of the trading consisted of sales of a lot of 25 shares St. John Railway at 149; 24 Montreal Telegraph between 176 and 174; 25 Bell Telephone at 182; 50 Dominion Cotton at 113; 25 Molson Bank at 198½, and 38 Bank of Commerce at 153½.

MORNING SALES.

Can. Pacific—1200, 98½.
Twin City—50, 68.
New Mont. St.—50, 321½.
Tor. Ry.—100, 118½. 25, 118½.
Republic x d—3000, 132½. 2000, 132. 1500, 132½.
Com. Cable—50, 185½. 50, 187. 50, 186½.
St. John Ry.—25, 149.
Payne Mining Co—200, 383
Montreal Telegraph—10, 176. 12, 177. 2, 174.
Bell Telephone—25, 182.
Dom. Cotton—50, 113.
Bank of Com—38, 153½.
Molsons Bank—25, 198½.

AFTERNOON BOARD.

Business centred itself this afternoon in Montreal Street Railway, there was as many transactions in this stock as in all the rest put together. Sales were made at advancing figures, and an old time buoyancy seemed to have taken hold of this speciality—over 900 shares in this security alone were traded in, it closed at 326.

c Twin City also was more active than for some time past, the range however, was limited to ½, it opened at 68½ and closed at

68½, 375 shares changing hands.

Canadian Pacific was firm round this morning's prices, closing at 98½.

In other respects the market was quiet prices remaining steady to strong.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—100, 98½. 200, 98. 100, 98½.
Twin City—50, 68½. 100, 68½. 100, 68½.
125, 68½.
Mont. St. Ry.—75, 323½. 100, 324. 25, 324½. 25, 325. 5, 325. 125, 325. 125, 326. 25, 326½. 25, 326½. 225, 326½. 200, 326.
Tor. Ry.—50, 118.
Com. Cable—50, 187.
Montreal-London x d—100, 56.
New Mont. St.—50, 324. 50, 325. 100, 325½.
Royal Electric—25, 187. 25, 187.
Union Bank—35, 110. 5, 108.

LONDON AND PARIS.

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Bank of England rate.....	3
Open discount rate.....	2½
Paris Rentes.....	102-7½
French Exchange.....	257. 19½
Consols, money.....	108½
Canadian Pacific.....	100½
New York Central.....	132½
St. Paul.....	127½
Union Pacific.....	76½

LONDON CABLE.

O. Meredith & Co.'s Cable gives the following London quotations:

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....	90½
“ 1st preference.....	81½
“ 2nd “.....	54½
“ 3rd “.....	23½
G. T.R. Com.....
O. P. R.....	100½

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

April.....	\$8,478.85.....Inc.	\$219.75
May 7.....	1,941.85.....Dec.	59.80
“ 14.....	1,878.70.....“	63.25
“ 21.....	1,788.65.....“	90.05
Year to date.....	5,609.30.....Inc.	57.20

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