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The closing prices of the listed stocks and sales for the week were as follows :--

A week ago.	Today.	Sales.
War Eagle 100	100	1,000
Payne 77 1/2	76	8,500
Republic 60	60	500
Montreal-London 5	5	
Virtue 31	29	6,000
North Star 89		

The War Eagle quotation at the close was the same as last week, and the trading has been small, the only transaction being 1,000 shares, which changed hands to-day at 103.

Payne is somewhat easier, and closed with 76 bid. 8,500 shares changed hands, the last transaction being made at 75. Through a typographical error the quarterly dividend was given at 2 per cent., instead of 3 per cent., in our last week's issue.

Virtue closed with 29 bid, a loss on quotation of 2 points for the week. 6,000 shares changed hands, all of which were disposed of at 31.

The Republic quotation remains at 60, and only 500 shares were traded in this week, the price realized being 61.

North Star is offered at 95, and there was no bid at the close and there have been no transactions this week.

The Granby Company's smelter at Grand Forks continues to put through its two furnaces rather more than 600 tons of ore daily, and advices from Grand Forks state that 6,325 tons of ore were shipped from there last week and that Granby smelter treated 4,265 tons.

The returns from the Le Roi are reported as follows for the month of November :- " 7,086 ozs. of gold, 13,800 ozs. of silver, 208 tons copper. Estimated value about £45,000."

The Canadian Gold Fields added ten stamps to its mill, making twenty stamps, doubled the size of the arsenic plant, and is putting in an electric light and erecting buildings. The improvements, it is said, will cost \$50,000.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1900.

MORNING BOARD.

No. of F Shares. 200 C.P.R	rice. 3	61		92 % 92 %
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4	C. P. R	93% 1	2; Bell Telephone	
00		92%	100 Com. Cable	166%
00		92 58	25 " "	166%
75	"	0216	25 Royal Electric	209
00		92 56	25 " "	209%
00		925	100 Montreal Gas	2134
75	"	92 56	12 " "	218
00	"	92 4	25 " "	213%
10		92 1/2	50 " "	2134
100		9236	125 " 1	213%
75	Montreal Street.	278	50 " "	
100		277 34	50 " "	213%
100	" "	278	175 " "	2134
25	" " (new)	268 34	25 " " …	2133
25		260	250 " "	214
10		100	100 " " …	214%
255		1044	15 Molsons Bank	191
25		109 3/8	35 * *	1915
150		1041/2	10 Quebec Bank	1203
25		10938	500 War Eagle	103
75		109%	900 Payne	76
25		6938	500 "	75
25		69%	\$40co Dom. Coal Bonds.	110
25		69 1/2		

AFTERNOON BOARD.

150	C.P.R	92%	50	Montreal	Gas	 214 V
100	**	92 56	25	**	**	 214 7/8
50		9234	25	44		 215
100	"	92 5%	425	**	**	 2143/8
25	Montreal Street	278	18	66	44	
300	Toronto Ry	100%	50	46	**	 216
25	Twin City	69%	50		66	 116%
50		69 58	200	44	**	
200	Royal Electric	210	25	44	**	 2153/8
75	Com. Cable	166	225	**	44	 216
	Dominion Cotton		50	**	44	 2.6%
10	** **		128		**	216
50	" " …	93%	233	**	6.6	 21634
20	Merchants Bank		25	**	44	 21638
3	Bank of Comme ce.	14814	75	**	46	 219%
10	Montreal Gas	214 1/2	50		**	 217
100		21434	50		**	 210%
25		215	25	**	65	 21634
100		214 7/8	25		44	217
100		215	25		**	 218
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The gross traffic earnings of the Grand Trunk, Canadian Pacific, Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railways, and the Montreal, Toronto, Halifax and Twin City street railways up to the most recent date obtainable, compared with the corresponding period for 1808 and 1800 were as follows:-

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Week ending.	1898.	1899.	1900	Increase.
Ian. 7	\$410,885	*\$348,708	*\$375,452	*\$26,741
14	463,393	*348,720	*434,624	*85,904
21	445,851	* 382,668	*442,406	*59,738
31	\$96,203	*525,969	*567,506	*41,537
Feb. 7	395.785	*374,225	* 381,942	*7.717
14	415.437	*323,811	* 369,744	*45.933
21	411,644	*371.599	*425,617	*54,018
28	527,686	*435,914	*410,620 1	Der.*25,294
March 7	445,048	* 390,565	*299.372	Dec*91,193
14	476,407	*419,318	*428,093	* 8 775
21	445,340	*393,813	*426,848	*13 015
71	674.015	* \$95,272	*676,521	18 4)
April 7	470,995	*395,118	*426,975	*31,857
14	469,655	*401,318	463,335	*62,017
21	433.595	*382,148	*424,859	*42,711
30	544,232	*459,283	*498,545	* 39,262
May 7	429,774	* 362,297	*391,383	* 29,086
14	475,591	*392,718	*416,573	*23,8:5
21	449,483	*401,904	*429,305	* 27,401
31	586,132	*593.771	*635,512	*41,741
June 7	420,025	* 384,324	*414,937	*30,613
14	433.475	401,507	*432,502	* 30,995
21	429,511	*419,099	*453,873	*34,774
30	597,391	*572,733	*615,932	*43,199
July 7	418,554	*385,696		*16,311
14	433.475	* 399,576		*17,117
21	419,961	*420,136		* 5,402
31	587,255	* 594. 533	*600,210	5 * 5,683