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Montreal Stock Market.

MARKET STEADY—WAR EAGLE AND PAYNE ADVANCE.

This morning's market was fairly broad, fifteen issues being traded in. The strong stocks were War Eagle and Payne, the former selling at one time six points above yesterday's close and the latter making a gain of seven points.

Pacific was steady at 90½ though not so active as yesterday. The balance of the list was inclined to be weak, with the exception of Twin which was steady to strong around yesterday's prices.

Canadian Pacific—Opening sales of this security were made at 90½. Five hundred shares sold at this figure, when a small lot of ten shares brought 90, the stock closing finally at the opening price, with buyers offering 90 and sellers asking 90½.

Twin City—Outside of the mining issues and Pacific this stock was the only one or the list inclined to strength. Opening with sales at 71½ it sold up to 72, but towards the close reacted to 71½, the bid and asked price being 71½ to 71½. Sales were small, only 305 shares being traded in.

Montreal Street—225 shares represented the business done in both old and new of this security this morning, the trading in both being below the price paid yesterday afternoon. 125 shares of the old brought 329½ and 100 shares of the new 327.

Toronto Railway—This security was lifeless, trading being small with prices below that of yesterday. 100 shares represented the business, 50 at 119½ and 50 at 119½, the bid and asked price being 119½ and 120.

Montreal Gas—550 shares were disposed of, but at a decline of from ½ to 2½ points from yesterday's quotations. Of the 550 shares sold, 525 brought 205 and 25 208, but 205 was offered at the close for more, with sellers asking 208.

War Eagle—17,875 shares of this security changed hands this morning. Opening at 368, 4 points above yesterday's close, the number of pressing buying orders soon drove the price up to 368, and nearly 10,000 shares changed hands between these figures, from the latter price it reacted to 366, advanced again to 368, and finally

closed at 366 with buyers offering 365 and sellers asking 366.

Payne—This security was dealt in to the extent of 5100 shares, at an advance of from three to seven points over yesterday's close. Opening sales were made at 379, but the price advanced quickly to 381, the closing sale being made at 383, with buyers offering 384 and sellers asking 390 at the close.

The unlisted mining shares were also very strong. Large sales were made of Republic in Toronto yesterday, over 140,000 shares selling at 120 and over, and an offer to buy 150,000 shares slightly under 120 was refused. Many think this security will be a second War Eagle, if so those who hold the stock at present figures will be lucky.

The balance of the trading consisted of small sales of Dominion Cotton, Royal Electric, Montreal Telegraph, Bell Telephone, Bank of Montreal and Canadian Bank of Commerce, all of which with the exception of the Banks were made at lower figure than last recorded sales.

MORNING SALES.

Canada Pacific—520, 90½. 10, 90. 275, 90½.
Twin City—25, 71½. 25, 71½. 5, 72. 100, 71½.
New Montreal Street x d—100, 327.
Toronto Railway—50, 119½. 50, 119½.
Montreal Gas—25, 206. 525, 205.
Dominion Cotton—50 115½.
Montreal Street Ry x d—125, 329½.
War Eagle—4,500, 366. 5,000, 368. 3,500, 367.
625, 366. 3,500, 367. 150, 365. 100, 366. 1,500, 366.
Payne Mining Co—1,500, 379. 1,000, 380. 1,600, 381. 1,000, 383.
Royal Electric—25, 183½. 50, 183.
Montreal Telegraph—6, 175½. 5, 175.
Bell Telephone—25, 177½. 11, 177½. 3, 177½.
Montreal-London—2,000, 70.
Bank of Montreal—7, 250.
Can. Bank of Commerce—40, 151.

AFTERNOON BOARD.

The market this afternoon was inclined to be more active in some issues than this morning. Pacific was stronger selling up to 90½. Toronto Rails sold down to 118½, the remaining issues being steady.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Canadian Pacific—50, 90. 25, 89½. 25, 90.
15, 89½. 7, 90½.
Twin City—150, 71½.
New Mont St—25, 327. 50, 327½.
Toronto Ry—25, 119½. 75, 119. 275, 118½.
6, 118½. 50, 118½.
Payne Mining Co—1000, 390.
Montreal St Ry.—5, 329½. 15, 323.
War Eagle—500, 368. 500, 367.
Duluth Com—100, 31. 100, 31. 400, 4.
Duluth Pfd—200, 9½. 150, 9½. 50, 10.
Montreal Gas—400, 206.

Montreal-London—1000, 71. 300, 70.
Can. Col. Cotton—25, 84. 25, 84.
Merchants Bank—2, 180.
Merchants Bank of Halifax Rights—5, 57½.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

Business was average with values steady and a strong tendency in several issues. The bidding on War Eagle underwent a marked improvement, although no sales were transacted, at the close sellers were asking 375 with buyers offering 365. In the issues which came before the board. Virtue remained steady at 73 on the sale of 200 shares, Montreal London was quiet around 70 with sellers asking 72. Summitsold at a decline 7,000 shares changing hands at 3½ and 6000 Princess Maud gained ½ a point selling at 12.

In all ten issues were dealt in.
Virtue—200, 73.
Big Three—2000, 23. 1000, 23½.
Montreal-London 250, 70. 200, 70.
Golden Star—7000, 59½.
Montreal Gold Fields—225, 22. 1150, 22.
Decca—500, 28½.
Summit—7000, 3½.
Burley—5000, 14. 1000, 15.
Princess Maud—6000, 12.

AFTERNOON BOARD.

During this afternoon's trading Montreal-London showed distinct signs of strength. It was in good demand over 5000 shares being dealt in. It closed at 71 with sellers asking 75.
1000 Republic sold for 119½.
Golden Star, 7,500 shares of this security were traded in. The range was small being between 61 to 60½. It closes at the former price. The sales were:
Republic—1,000, 119½.
Montreal-London—1,100, 71. 1,000, 71. 500, 71. 2,500, 71.
Iron Colt—500, 161.
Montreal Gold Fields—1,000, 24. 1,000, 23½. 1,000, 23½.
Noble Five—2,500, 29½.
Summit—2,500, 4.
Golden Star—2,500, 61. 500, 60½. 6,500, 61.

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

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	Bid.	Asked.
Anchoria-Leland91	.85
Battle Mt'n81½	.82
Elkton90½	.91½
Gold Coin
Gold King92
Isabella .....	.69	.69½
Independent T. & N. ....	.61	.61½
Jack Pot .....	.39½	.40
Matoa .....	.39	.40
Moon-Anchor	1.12½	1.13½
Portland	1.89½	.....
Work .....	.18½	.18½