2,040. The increase in earnings for the week ending 13th inst. was $2,550.50 as follows:—

		Increase.
Sunday	$5,434.26	$1,099.76
Monday	4,992.12	210.22
Tuesday	5,100.09	156.20
Wednesday	4,830.23	*16.54
Thursday	5,241.08	404.34
Friday	5,169.74	440.61
Saturday	5,535.35	255.81

*Decrease.

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Toronto Railway has had a notable advance during the week, having sold at this morning's Board at 106, but the closing price this afternoon was 105 1-2. The number of shares which changed hands was 2,732. The increase in earnings for the week ending 13th inst. was $1,625.41 as follows:—

		Increase.
Sunday	$2,094.90	$398.39
Monday	3,838.56	129.08
Tuesday	3,772.40	230.51
Wednesday	3,712.89	225.36
Thursday	3,707.84	142.21
Friday	3,820.38	212.10
Saturday	4,775.83	287.76

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Twin City sold to-day at 61 1-4, and closed offered at 61 and 60 1-2 bid. The stock remains very inactive and stationary in price, but should move up with the rest of the Traction stocks. The increase in earnings for the first week of October was $8,117.50.

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Richelieu & Ontario is steady at 108, and Montreal Gas is a shade stronger at 185 1-2 bid.

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Royal Electric is again dull and slightly lower, the bid quotation being 200.

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Commercial Cable is steady at 168, and Bell Telephone at 169.

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	Per cent.
Call money in Montreal	5
Call money in London	1 1-2
Call money in New York	3
Bank of England rate	4
Consols	98 13-16
Demand Sterling	9 1-4
60 days' sight sterling	8 1-2

Mining Matters.

The shipments from the mines of the Rossland Camp for the week ending 13th inst. were as follows:

	Tons.
Le Roi	4,348
Centre Star	1,770
Iron Mask	90
Giant	50
Total	6,258

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

	A week ago.	To-day.	Sales.
War Eagle	149	131	3,300
Payne	93	91 1-2	3,000
Montreal-London	11	10	500
Republic	76	73	24,150
Virtue	50	40	4,500
North Star	94	90	2,000

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A number of the mining stocks have developed an unexpected weakness during the last two days, notably War Eagle and Virtue. The old rumour is again being circulated about the former to the effect that the mine has petered out, and in the case of Virtue, the syndicate which has been dealing heavily in the stock, has been dissolved, and there is no support offered. After a fair amount of stock has been gathered in at lower prices, an upward movement will no doubt be inaugurated again.

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Canadian Gold Fields has been strong, and sold to-day at 9.

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It is stated that the Crown Point Company have sold the mine in Northern Ontario which they have been developing, to an English syndicate for $25,000 in cash and a block of stock in the new company to be formed. The deposit of the cash payment was to have been made yesterday, but whether the money was actually paid or not, has not been announced. The stock is in demand at 7c.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17th, 1900.

Morning Board.

No. of Shares.		Price.			
50	C.P.R	87	25	R. & O	108¼
50	"	87	1	"	108
25	Montreal Street	275¼	78	Merchants Cotton	128¼
50	Toronto Stree	105⅝	13	Dom. Coal Pref	114¾
75	"	105¼	1000	Montreal London	9½
225	"	10 ⅝	5000	Virtue	40
			700	War Eagle	129
			500	"	125
			500	"	120

Afternoon Board.

50	C.P.R	87	100	R. & O	108
150	Toronto Street	105	$5000	Cable Bonds	101
10	" "	105¼	2500	War Eagle	100
50	" "	105	8000	Republic	74

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 1898 and 1899 were as follows:—

Grand Trunk Railway.

Weekending.	1898.	1899.	1900	Increase.
Jan. 7	$410,885	*$348,708	*$375,452	*$26,744
14	463,393	*348,720	*434,624	*85,904
21	445,851	*382,668	*442,406	*59,738
31	596,203	*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	Dec.*25,294