

Stock Exchange Notes

Montreal, October 27, 1910.

Richelieu and Ontario, which has been more prominent and stronger throughout the week, to-day went on a six per cent. basis, the dividend for the next quarter, payable 1st December, being declared at the rate of 1 1/2 per cent. It is stated that the annual report will be satisfactory reading for the shareholders. Quebec Railway was again a leader and, although the highest of the week was not held, closed firm and a still higher level is looked for. Dominion Steel Corporation was another active stock and both C. P. R. and "Soo" Common advanced in price. The cement stocks, both Common and Preferred, were in good demand at a higher level and closed fairly strong. Crown Reserve was not prominent and only some 6,200 shares changed hands, but the price held within two cents of last week. The general market, however, was heavier and declines of more or less magnitude are noticeable. A seat on the Exchange sold yesterday for \$29,500, which is a high record for the Montreal Exchange. The Bank of England rate remains at five per cent.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE RATES.

	To-day.	A Year Ago.
Call money in Montreal.....	5 1/2	4 1/2-5
" " in Toronto.....	6	4 1/2-5
" " in New York.....	3 1/2	4 1/2
" " in London.....	4 1/2-4 1/2	4 1/2-5
Bank of England rate.....	5	5
Consols.....	79 1/2	82 1/2
Demand Sterling.....	9 7-16	9 1/2
Sixty days' sight Sterling.....	8 9-16	8 1/2

QUOTATIONS AT CONTINENTAL POINTS.

	Market.	To-day.	Bank.	Market.	A Year Ago.	Bank.
Paris.....	2 1/2	3	2 15-16	3		
Berlin.....	4	5	4 1/2	5		
Amsterdam.....	3 15-16	4	3 1/2	4		
Vienna.....	4 1/2	5	2 13-16	3		
Brussels.....	4 1/2	5	3 1/2	3 1/2		

SUMMARY OF WEEK'S SALES AND QUOTATIONS.

Security.	Sales.	Closing bid.	Closing bid.	Net change.
	Oct. 20, 1910.	to-day.		
Canadian Pacific.....	458	198 1/2	198 1/2	—
"Soo" Common.....	1195	132 1/2	133 1/2	+ 1 1/2
Detroit United.....	157	56 1/2	55	— 1 1/2
Duluth Superior.....	150	79	77	— 2
Halifax Tram.....	17	129 1/2	129	— 1/2
Illinois Preferred.....	38	89	89	—
Montreal Street.....	62	230 1/2	229 1/2	— 1
Quebec Ry.....	4,700	49 1/2	48 1/2	— 1
Toronto Railway.....	79	123	123	—
Twin City.....	50	111	110	— 1
Richelieu & Ontario.....	1,241	93	93 1/2	+ 1/2
Amal. Asbestos.....	595	12	10 1/2	— 1 1/2
Amal. Asbestos Pref.....	..	..	50	—
Black Lake Asbestos.....	25	18	..	—
Black Lake Prefd.....	5	..	..	—
Can. Cement Com.....	3,613	19	19 1/2	+ 1/2
Can. Cement Pfd.....	1,246	85 1/2	85 1/2	+ 1/2
Can. Con. Rubber Com.....	..	94	94	—
Can. Con. Rubber Pfd.....	8	103	..	—
Dom. Iron Preferred.....	92	102	101	— 1
Dom. Iron Bonds.....	15,000	95 1/2	95 1/2	—
Dom. Steel Corp.....	4,003	62	59 1/2	— 2 1/2
Lake of the Woods Com.....	18	128 1/2	..	—
Mackay Common.....	25	92	91 1/2	— 1/2
Mackay Preferred.....	59	..	73 1/2	—
Mexican Power.....	870	87	86 1/2	— 1/2
Montreal Power.....	1,242	140 1/2	141 1/2	+ 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel Com.....	420	85 1/2	83	— 2 1/2
Ogilvie Com.....	37	126	124 1/2	— 1 1/2
Rio Light and Power.....	1,510	103 1/2	101 1/2	— 2
Shawinigan.....	59	105 1/2	105 1/2	—
Can. Convertors.....	..	37 1/2	38	+ 1/2
Dom. Textile Com.....	..	62 1/2	62	—
Dom. Textile Preferred.....	..	97 1/2	97 1/2	—
Montreal Cotton.....	..	131 1/2	132	+ 1/2
Penmans Common.....	149	59	59	—
Penmans Preferred.....	600	88 1/2	84 1/2	— 3
Crown Reserve.....	6,260	2.82	2.80	— 2

Bank Statements.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

	Yesterday	October 20, 1910	October 28, 1909
Coin & Bullion	£31,218,335	£31,065,622	£39,373,831
Reserve.....	22,018,000	22,802,000	21,974,991
Notes Res'd.	20,677,000	21,475,000	20,227,430
Res. to Lab....	46 1/2 p.c.	46 1/2 p.c.	45 1/2 p.c.
Circulation	27,750,000	27,612,000	28,819,810
Public Dep. ...	7,173,000	7,093,000	7,114,397
Other Dep. ...	40,544,000	41,925,000	40,814,460
Gov. secur.	14,580,568	14,380,000	16,791,788
Other secur.	2,443,000	28,961,000	26,903,870

NEW YORK ASSOCIATED BANKS

	Oct. 22, 1910	October 15, 1910	October 23, 1909
Loans.....	\$1,231,169,700	\$1,243,825,400	\$1,235,399,200
Deposits.....	1,199,931,800	1,218,358,500	1,240,925,400
Circulation.....	48,218,800	48,159,100	53,032,900
Specie.....	243,003,100	248,568,900	254,218,100
Legal Tenders..	67,050,600	67,171,000	72,865,000
Total Reserves	\$310,553,700	\$315,759,900	\$326,613,700
Reserves Req'd	299,982,950	304,589,625	310,006,350
Surplus.....	\$10,570,750	\$11,170,275	\$16,607,350
Ratio of Res'vs	25.9	26.0	26.3

NOTE.—Actual amount of government deposits reported was \$1,630,000, against \$1,624,700 last week.

CANADIAN BANK CLEARINGS.

	Week ending Oct. 27, 1910	Week ending Oct. 20, 1910	Week ending Oct. 28, 1909	Week ending Oct. 29, 1908
Montreal.....	\$42,131,941	\$43,707,771	\$36,388,073	\$29,992,707
Toronto.....	34,669,703	34,838,839	27,041,465	25,285,089
Ottawa.....	3,814,200	4,176,760	3,151,348	2,848,785

Traffic Earnings.

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	\$48,791,000	\$57,222,000	\$70,637,000	\$13,415,000	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	1,599,000	2,175,000	2,243,000	68,000	
" 14.....	1,611,000	2,138,000	2,334,000	196,000	
" 21.....	1,693,000	2,147,000	2,332,000	155,000	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	\$28,184,292	\$29,545,530	\$32,349,137	\$2,803,597	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	817,362	902,777	908,412	5,635	
" 14.....	840,583	914,860	935,310	20,450	
" 21.....	841,160	904,674	963,374	68,700	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	\$ 6,082,100	\$ 6,761,600	\$ 9,629,800	\$ 2,868,200	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	246,400	298,200	325,900	27,700	
" 14.....	265,000	300,600	341,800	14,200	
" 21.....	275,800	328,100	403,900	75,800	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	\$ 56,202	\$ 76,529	\$ 72,133	\$ 4,396	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	..	70,516	67,815	2,701	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	\$ 4,717,421	\$ 5,124,272	\$ 5,561,195	\$ 436,923	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	123,989	136,414	144,095	7,681	
" 14.....	124,927	129,363	143,369	14,006	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	130,453	151,985	173,021	21,036	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	130,029	154,326	171,144	16,818	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	3,349	6,388	6,559	1,171	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	3,301	4,001	3,848	153	
" 14.....	3,407	3,409	3,643	234	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	38,293	40,154	44,583	4,429	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	35,478	39,769	33,710	6,059	
" 14.....	38,229	36,810	..	1,419	

	Year to date.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase
Sep. 30.....	20,135	21,398	21,263	1,135	
Week ending.	1908.	1909.	1910.	Increase	
Oct. 7.....	19,028	21,242	2,213	..	