

Last Friday's break saw Twin City down to 97 $\frac{1}{2}$, but a rapid recovery was made from that figure, to-day's highest price being 103 $\frac{1}{2}$, easing off to 102 $\frac{3}{4}$ at the close, an advance of $\frac{1}{4}$ point for the week. The sales for the week totalled 4,575 shares. The earnings for the first week of September show an increase of \$18,101.00.

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The trading in Montreal Power was not extensive, the total number of shares changing hands being 555. The stock closed with 96 $\frac{1}{2}$ bid, a loss of $\frac{1}{2}$ point on quotation for the week, but sales were not made under 97 to-day.

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In Richelieu and Ontario 1,530 shares changed hands and the stock closed with 116 bid, an advance of $\frac{1}{8}$ point for the week. In many quarters an upward movement is looked for in this stock in the near future, and a good statement of the season's business is expected.

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Dominion Steel Common closed with 23 bid, a loss of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ points on quotation for the week. There were no sales made under 25, however, and 100 shares comprised the total transactions this week. The Preferred closed with 77 $\frac{1}{2}$ bid, a loss of $\frac{1}{2}$ point on quotation for the week. The sales totalled 130 shares and the last transaction was made at 78. In the Bonds \$19,000 were traded in, the last sales being made at 78 $\frac{1}{4}$.

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Dominion Cotton closed with 84 bid, a gain of $\frac{1}{4}$ point on quotation for the week. The last sales were made at 85, and 790 shares changed hands during the week. Amalgamation of the cotton companies is again rumoured, and a feeling that the rumour has foundation in fact is gaining ground.

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Dominion Coal Common closed at 43, an advance of 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ points over the week's lowest, when the stock sold at 41 $\frac{1}{4}$. The transactions totalled 2,360 shares and the stock closed strong. Only 15 shares of the Preferred changed hands during the week, and the closing bid was 115.

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	Per cent.
Call money in Montreal.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 5
Call money in New York.....	4
Call money in London.....	1 to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$
Bank of England rate.....	3
Consols.....	93
Demand Sterling.....	93 $\frac{3}{8}$ to 9 $\frac{1}{2}$
60 days' Sight Sterling.....	9 to 9 $\frac{1}{8}$

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MINING MATTERS.

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

	A week ago.	To-day.	Sales.
War Eagle.....	14	...	
Payne.....	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	15	
Republic.....	...	...	
Montreal-London...	...	...	
Virtue.....	12 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	1 O
North Star.....	30	...	

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The total transactions in the mining stocks this week were 1,000 shares.

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There were no transactions in Payne and the stock closed $\frac{1}{2}$ point under last week's figures with 15 bid.

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There were no transactions in either Republic or North Star and these stocks were not bid for at the close.

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Virtue was bid 10 at the close to-day, a loss of 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ points on quotation for the week. The stock was not sold under 13, however, at which price 1,000 shares changed hands.

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Centre Star (unlisted) was bid 35 and not offered under 40.

The gross traffic earnings of the Grand Trunk, Canadian Pacific, Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railways, and the Montreal, Toronto, Halifax and Twin City and Winnipeg street railways, up to the most recent date obtainable, compared with the corresponding period for 1899, 1900 and 1901, were as follows:

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.				
Week ending.	1899.	1900.	1901.	Increase
Jan. 7.....	\$348,708	\$465,284	\$501,640	\$36,355
14.....	348,720	531,154	489,569	Dec. 41,589
21.....	382,668	535,017	502,558	" 30,456
31.....	525,069	602,745	732,111	39,365
Feb. 7.....	374,225	463,723	477,094	13,371
14.....	323,811	472,173	472,786	613
21.....	371,599	501,078	520,144	19,066
28.....	435,914	480,374	523,469	43,095
Mar 7.....	300,565	366,095	476,908	110,813
14.....	419,318	508,937	574,935	65,998
21.....	393,813	506,291	543,183	36,892
31.....	595,272	807,312	777,954	Dec. 29,358
Apr. 7.....	395,118	511,879	528,187	14,308
14.....	401,318	557,252	587,796	30,544
21.....	382,148	513,600	542,655	29,055
30.....	499,283	605,939	694,599	88,660
May 7.....	362,297	467,728	510,321	42,593
14.....	392,718	487,743	507,162	20,119
21.....	401,604	512,643	515,674	3,031
31.....	593,771	752,046	797,784	45,738
June 7.....	384,324	505,667	516,063	10,396
14.....	401,507	515,867	524,828	8,961
21.....	419,099	535,401	547,878	12,477
30.....	572,733	717,335	731,208	13,873
July 7.....	385,466	481,831	512,472	30,641
14.....	466,744	500,482	543,039	42,557
21.....	420,136	494,796	517,149	22,353
31.....	591,833	700,389	793,310	92,921
Aug. 7.....	444,168	537,976	566,144	28,168
14.....	464,089	503,109	594,920	91,811
21.....	466,744	556,433	590,610	34,177
31.....	689,268	841,527	893,666	52,639
Sept. 7.....	525,505	627,420	637,993	10,573

* Chicago and Grand Trunk earnings omitted.