

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE

CONFIDENCE RETURNS — PRICES FIRMER — DEER TRAIL ALL RIGHT.

Montreal, Dec. 27.

There was a continuation of the better feeling which started with the Christmas holidays and assumed distinct proportions yesterday afternoon.

Trading was active in Deer Trail and Montreal-London, although in the latter case the sales showed no signs of strengthening. Several broken lots sold at 34, a one thousand share lot selling at the same figure, it closed with an undertone which is not so strongly marked as it is in other stocks, the stock being freely offered at 35.

Deer Trail figured most prominently in to-day's session. All the news we can gather is of a favorable nature, and it would appear that the Deer Trail mine is just as good to-day as it has ever been. Sales were made to the amount of 5000 shares, it started at 14½, sold up to 15, and closes strong at 14½.

Republic was a trifle firmer, selling at 105. Golden Star remained firm and sold at 32, 1000 shares changing hands.

Montreal Gold Fields changed hands for 600 shares at 6½. If half of what we hear is true the stock is a bargain at this figure. On the Coxy work is going on as usual, the long tunnel is being extended to cut the ore body that shows in the upper tunnel. On the Gertrude, in the 200-foot level, crosscuts are being run north and south, there are several bodies running through the property and the hope is to tap these in this level.

There is said to have been another discovery made on the Knob Hill of another ledge. It is 600 feet from the big ledge, and is evidently a parallel vein.

Morrison sold this morning at 5½ for a 500 share lot and should be a bargain at that figure.

The market generally closes with a stronger tendency and the advent of the New Year should witness the commencement of a decided bull movement. Now is the time to buy so as to reap the full benefit.

MORNING SALES.

Montreal-London—2150, 34.
Deer Trail No. 2—3500, 14½, 1500, 15.
Morrison—500, 5½.
Republic—700, 105.
Golden Star—1000, 32.
Montreal G. F.—600, 6½.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Knob Hill—750, 80.
Republic—100, 105, 1000, 105½, 500, 106.
Payne—375, 102, 6500, 103½, 500, 103.
Can. G. F.—6000, 6.
Old Ironsides—1500, 100.
Granby Smelter—500, 44.

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO

Total for Nov.. \$207,781.95.....Inc.....\$31,068.21
For week ending
Dec. 7, \$49,541.25.....Inc., \$ 5,868.95
" 14, 50,193.85....." 6,456.66
" 21, 54,141.05....." 8,228.98

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY

For week ending Compared with previous week.
Dec. 3....\$2,082.70.....Inc. \$89.70
" 10.....2,093.75....." 6.65
" 17.....2,059.95.....Dec. 29.80

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	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	Dec. 21.	Dec. 22.	Dec. 23.	Dec. 24.	Dec. 25.	Dec. 26.	Dec. 27.	Dec. 28.
1.00 Payne	1.05	1.04	1.06	1.04	1.07	1.05	1.34	1.03
1.00 War Eagle xd	2.58	2.50	2.60	2.40	2.70	2.40	2.70	2.50
1.00 Republic xd	1.08	1.00	1.03	1.00	1.00	1.04	1.07	1.05
1.00 Virtue	.53	.51	.55	.52	.53	.54	.60	.64
.24 Montreal-London xd	.35	.34	.35	.32	.31	.33	.34	.33
1.00 Big Three	.10	.09	.09	.09	.10	.09	.10	.09
1.00 Brandon & Golden Crown	.29	.25	.28	.29	.28	.24	.29	.24
1.00 California	.12	.11	.13	.11	.12	.11	.13	.11
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn.	.07	.06	.07	.05	.07	.06	.06	.06
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic	.80	...	1.00	...	1.00	...	1.00	...
1.00 Evening Star	.08	.07	.08	.07	.08	.06	.08	.06
.25 Fern	.04	.03	.05	.02	.05	.03	.05	...
1.00 Gold Hills-Developing	.05	.03	.05	.03	.08	.03	.08	.03
1.00 Iron Colt	.14	.08	.14	.10	...	...	...	...
1.00 Knob Hill	.83	.89	.84	.75	.80	.65	.94	...
1.00 Monte Christo Co.	.06	.06	.07	.05	.07	.06	.07	.05
.25 Montreal Gold Fields	.08	.06	.07	.06	.07	.05	.06	.08
1.00 Noble Five	.16	.13	.18	.12	.18	.10	.18	.10
.10 Novelty	.02	.01	.02	.01	.02	.01	.02	.01
1.00 Old Ironsides	1.09	.08	1.09	...	1.00	.75	1.00	.03
1.00 Virginia	.08	.05	.08	.05	.08	.05	.08	.05
1.00 Rambler Cariboo	.57	.55	.57	.55	...	...	...	...
1.00 Bullion	.50	.35	.52	...	...	...	.55	...
1.00 Decca	.17	.12	.20	.12	.18	.12	.19	.10
1.00 Morrison	.10	.06	.10	.08	.10	.06	.05	.03
1.00 Golden Star	.32	.30	.33	.30	.35	.31	.36	...
1.00 Slocan Sov	.35	.32	.35	.32	.35	.32	.36	...
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.	.17	...	.17	...	...	...	...	...
1.00 Bathmullen	.07	.05	.06	...	.07	.04	.07	...
1.00 Winnipeg	.30	.25	.31	.21	.32	.22	.32	.30
1.00 Dardanelles	.12	.09	.12	...	.12	.10	.12	.11
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2	.12	.12	.13	.12	.14	.14	.14	.13
1.00 North Star	1.05	...	1.05	...	1.05	...	1.05	...
1.00 Kenneth

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