and 229. The earnings for the week ending 3rd inst. show an increase of \$4,253.57 as follows:—

0		Increase.
Sunday	\$5,291.49	\$ 145.02
Monday	6,989.38	472.38
Tuesday	6,522.56	293.85
Wednesday	6,602.41	582.36
Thursday	6,600.87	782.96
Friday	6,857.17	792.26
Saturday	7,680.67	1,184.74

Toronto Railway touched 95 this week, but has reacted, and the closing bid was 94%, a gain of % of a point on the week's business. The transactions were of fair volume, and 985 shares changed hands. The earnings for the week ending 3rd inst. show an increase of \$6,069.44, as follows:—

Sdaw		Increase.		
Sunday	<b>\$</b> 3,462.83	\$ 544.71		
Monday	6,059.13	736 60		
Tuesday	5,851 41	310.50		
Wednesday	6,129.51	726.58		
Thursday	6,170.56	988.35		
Friday	6,479.07	1,264.22		
Saturday	7,582.39	1,198.48		

Twin City closed with 86 bid, an advance of 1½ points for the week. This was one of the active stocks, and 2,492 shares were traded in. The earnings for the last ten days of September show an increase of \$7.815.65.

Detroit Railway was somewhat easier in price this week and closed with 621/4 bid, a decline of 11/2 points for the week. The last sales were made at 621/2, and the total transactions amounted to 780 shares.

The last sale of Toledo this week was made at 18½, and the closing bid was 17½, a decline of 1½ points for the week, and 125 shares were traded in.

R. & O. sold at 73¼ this morning and closed with 72¾ bid, an advance of 1¾ points for the week on a total business of 522 shares. The transactions to-day at the higher prices, were on the strength of the news of the floating of the "Carolina."

Montreal Power continues very steady and has advanced slightly this week. It sold up to 75% this morning, and closed with 75 bid, a net advance of 1 point for the week. A fair business was done involving 699 shares.

Dominion Steel Common shows a decline of ¼ point and closed with 9½ bid, and the sales for the week involved 650 shares. The trading in the Preferred was very limited, and only 30 shares changed hands. The closing bid was 28. In the Bonds only \$7,000 worth were sold, and the closing bid was 59. The last sales were made at 62 and they were offered at 65 this morning.

Nova Scotia Steel Common sold at 75 to-day, and the closing bid was 741/2, a net advance of 21/2 points for the week on transactions of 270 shares.

Dominion Coal Common closed with 70½ bid, an advance of ¾ of a point for the week, and the last sales were made at 71. The total sales amounted to 377 shares, and 61 shares of the Preferred Stock changed hands.

	Per cent.
Consols	4
60 days' Sight Sterling	915 87

Thursday, p.m., October, 8, 1903.

Under the force of a fair amount of liquidation and under the influence of the weakness prevailing in New York, a sharp decline took place in stock prices to-day. A more active business took place than has recently been the rule and a fair amount of trading was involved. C. P. R. opened at 120 and declined to 118%, and the last sales were made at 119. Montreal Street was a weak feature, and under limited sales broke from 225 at the opening to 216. R. & O. was fairly active on the decline. The first sales to-day were made at 721/s, and the stock sold down to 71. Detroit Railway was another of the stocks which was marked down, and after opening at 62 it touched 60%, and the last sales were made at 60%. Twin City shared the general weakness, and after opening at 86 declined to 84%. Nova Scotia Steel was fairly active and under sales of less than 400 shares it declined from 741/2 to 72. In Dominion Iron Bonds \$3,000 changed hands at 60, and the Common Stock after selling at 9% reacted to 9. A fair business was done in Montreal Power and it broke from 75 at the opening to 71%. Dominion Coal Common changed hands in the afternoon at 68%. Sales of Toronto Railway at 931/4, and one transaction in Toledo at 181/2, took place with some scattered transactions in the banks completed the day's business.

## MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

MORNING BOARD

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1903.

1			MORNI	NA BOY	RD.		
No. of Shares.			Price	No. o	of ea		Price.
25	C.P.R		120	10	N. S. Steel		
200	**		1101	50			75
50	••		1191/2	70		••	74%
25	**		1191	5		••	74
275	••		119	100		• • •	73
15	"		119%	10		• •	73%
50	"		11834	12	Molsons Ban	k	74
	ontreal Powe	r	75	10	Union Bank.		33%
225	**		741/2	10	Bank of Toro		225
25	"	•	73%		"		225
5	"		7436	35	Mont St. Ry		225
50	"		731/2	18	"		274
10	**		74	25	**		222
50	"		73%	5	64	7.0	
25 De	troit Ry		6:	72	**	2	224
25	"		611	25	Richelieu	**-2	
125	**		61%	50	46		721/8
20	"		62	5	46	••	72
25	"		61 1/2	20	Toledo Ry	••	721/2
10	"		74	5	Toronto St. I		18%
3000 Do	m. Iron Bds		60	1 1	"		94
50 Do	m. Iron Con	m	91/2		Twin City		94%
25	**		914	75	· will City		86
25	**		914	50	"	••	85%
25	"		9	25	**		85
5	**		934	50	"		8414
75	**		9	125	**		8514
25 Ric	h. & Onta	rio	721/8		"		8414
50	" .	•••	72	75	• •		84 14
5	**	::	721/2				8434
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					New Molson's	sank 1	94
50	C.P.R	AF	TERNOO	N BOAR	D.		
25	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	••••	119	175	Montreal Pow	er ;	73
100	**		11914	25	"		121/2
50	"		119%	25	"		72
2;	"		19%	50			114
25 Mor	nt. St. Ry	•• 1	119	250	Richelieu		1136
2 101	11. St. Ky		116	50	**		111/2
25	"		20	150	"		1
too Don	n. Coal Con	2	116	275	Twin City		434
25	n. Coar Con		6814	20	**	8	5%
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100		••	61	25	44		2
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25 Don	. Iron Com		938		**	;;	-
10	"	••	4%				•
275			9				