

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.**

**PAYNE AND VIRTUE IN GOOD DEMAND  
— BOTH WILL GO HIGHER—  
MONTREAL GOLD FIELDS WEAKER—  
GOLD HILLS IN GOOD DEMAND.**

Montreal, March 9.

At the present time the mining stock market is in a more healthy condition than it has been for months past, and the prospects are favorable for a continuance of this state of affairs throughout the coming months.

It is pleasant to note the optimistic tone of our market. The future should disclose the realization of these hopes. There are many hopeful signs of a general revival.

Payne was in good demand, and sold at 129. We look for much higher prices for this stock before the end of the month. The closing quotations were 1.30 to 1.28 1/2.

The demand for Gold Hills development was decidedly good. 5 1/2 was freely bid. Several large blocks of this stock have been sold here lately at 4 1/2 and 5 cents. The present advance of the stock is due to the excellent statement just issued, and to the new strike on the Chicora group, owned by the company.

California still remains weak, being under pressure for Western selling. 2,000 shares sold at 9 cents to-day for Western account. Buyers are steady and firm round 9 cents. Deer Trail remains unchanged and weak, and continues to sell at 8 cents.

There was a continuation of the better demand for Republic, which sold repeatedly at 99 and 99 1/2 cents. It was offered at \$1.00 at the close.

Work has been resumed on the reorganized Morrison property in Deadwood Camp with ten men. It is expected that in a short time the property will be on a paying basis.

We hear that the machinery for the St. Eugene air compressor has arrived, and the work of installing it is nearly complete. Canadian Gold Fields is dull, the demand being poor.

North Star still remains a favorite, but stock is scarce, and sellers few and far between.

A block of Knob Hill, of 2,000 shares sold for 60 cents.

Montreal Gold Fields was weaker, and sold at 6 cents.

**MORNING SALES.**

Knob Hill, 2,000, 60 (S 10).  
Republic, (x.d.), 1,500, 99. 500, 99 1/2.  
Montreal Gold Fields, 2,000, 6.  
California, 2,000, 9.  
Deer Trail, (x.d.), 1,000, 8.  
Montreal-London, 500, 30.  
Payne, 1,000, \$1.28 1/2. 500, \$1.29.

**AFTERNOON SALES.**

Rambler Car 5,000, 29 (S 10). 5,000, 28 1/2.  
California, 1,000, 9.  
Deer Trail, Cons. (x.d.), 500, 8.  
Payne, 1,000, \$1.29.  
Gold Fields, 2,500, 5 1/2.  
Slocan Sov., 500, 31.

**C. P. R. EARNINGS.**

Week ending Feb. 28, 1900.....\$490,000  
" Feb. 28, 1899..... 449,000  
Increase.....\$ 41,000

**GRAND TRUNK EARNINGS.**

Week ending Feb. 28, 1900.....\$110,620  
" Feb. 28, 1899..... 435,914  
Increase.....\$ 25,294

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	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	March 6.		March 7.		March 8.		Mar. 9.	
1.00 Payne.....	1.28	1.27 1/2	1.29	1.27	1.28	1.29 1/2	1.29 1/2	1.28
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	1.45	1.30	1.45	1.30	1.35	1.25	1.40	1.23
1.00 Republic xd.....	.99	.95	.99	.94	1.01	.95	.98 1/2	.99
1.00 Virtue.....	.92	.90	.92	.90	.90	.85 1/2	.92	.90
.24 Montreal-London xd.....	.32	.31	.29 1/2	.27	.30	.28	.30 1/2	.28
1.00 Big Three.....	.09	.08 1/2	.08 1/2	.08	.09	.08 1/2	.09	.08
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.29	.10	.27	.15	.27	.15	.28	.10
1.00 California.....	.0 1/2	.9	.10	.09	.10	.9	.10	.09
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.07	.06	.07	.06	.07	.05	.07	.05 1/2
6.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	....	....	....	.80	....	....	....	....
1.00 Evening Star.....	.13	.05	.08	.08	.10	.08	....	....
.25 Fern.....	.05	.2	.05	.02	.05	.02	.06	.02
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.06	.04 1/2	.06	.04 1/2	.06	.04 1/2	.05 1/2	.5
1.00 Iron Colt.....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....	....	....
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.70	.50	.65	.30	.70	....	.65	.60
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.05	.04	.05	.03 1/2	.06	.03 1/2	.06	.04
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.07	.05	.07	.05 1/2	.07	.04	.07	.06
1.00 Noble Five.....	.12	.8	.11	.08	....	.08	.10	.8
1 Novelty.....	2	.1	2	.1	.02	.01	.2	.1
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	.95	....	.95	.40	....	....	.95	.75
1.00 Virginia.....	.06	.2	.06	.02	.06	.02	....	....
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	....	....	.35	.25	.33	.15	.31	.28
1.00 Bullion.....	.50	.30	.50	.30	.50	.35	.35	.35
1.00 Decca.....	.06 1/2	.06	.06 1/2	.06	.08	.05 1/2	.6	.5 1/2
1.00 Morrison.....	.04	.03	.04	.03	.04	.02	.4	.3
1.00 Golden Star.....	.22	.20	.23	.20	.22	.18	.21	.18
1.00 Deer Trail Cons.....	.08	.7 1/2	.8	.7 1/2	.08	.07 1/2	.08 1/2	.07
1.00 North Star.....	1.20	1.14	1.22	1.17	1.25	1.16	1.20	1.17
1.00 Kenneth.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

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