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Montreal Stock Market.

CONTINUED STRENGTH IN THE MARKET.

Pacific and Street Railway Again the Leaders.

WAR EAGLE SELLS AT 253.

BANK OF MONTREAL 250.

MONEY EASY.

The bulls had it all their own way again to-day. The encouragement from London as regards Pacific was small, as it opened slightly under yesterday's closing price. The first sale was made at 85 and on a large business it sold up to 86, this is nearly 2¢ over London parity and the bid is 86½ at the close.

Montreal Gas only maintained its strength of yesterday, in it a fair business was done at 193½ and 193 at which it closes.

Montreal Street had another advance, about 1100 shares were traded in at constantly advancing prices, the largest sales were at 271, the close is steady at 271 to 271½. The attention of speculators especially, is again drawn to the wide spread between the regular and new shares, there should not be more than 2½¢ between them. The new sold at 266½ and at 267.

Bank of Montreal sold at 250 for 5 shares, this means a yield of 4% to investors. This is surely high for a bank stock.

Toronto Ry. participated in the general boom, 425 shares brought from 97½ to 98, the close being 97½ bid and 98 asked. By the statement of earnings in another column it will be seen the "decrease" continues.

War Eagle, Royal Electric, Western Loan & Trust, and Dom. Cotton comprised the balance of the stocks dealt in, prices were unchanged for the two last mentioned, the first continues to sag. Buy it.

In Can. Pac. the sellers were Howard, Turpin & Co., Clark, Forget & Co., MacKenzie, Burnett & Co., Moat & Co., and Davies.

The buyers were Forget & Co., Low, Nash, Meredith & Co., Grant, Riddell, MacKenzie, G. Strathy & Co., and G. Weir.

In Montreal Street Ry. the sellers were W. Weir, Forget & Co., Riddell, Scott, Hutchison, Meredith & Co., MacKenzie, and Weir.

The buyers were G. Weir, Low, Wilson & Gillespie, W. Weir, Oswald & Co., and Clark.

In Toronto Street Ry. the sellers were Forget & Co., Burnett & Co., Meredith & Co., and Barlow.

The buyers were Nichols & M., Barlow, Forget & Co., Weir, and Low.

Grant sold 1500 War Eagle, the buyers being G. Strathy & Co., and MacDougall Bros.

In other stocks the sellers were Burnett & Co., Wilson & Gillespie, MacKenzie, Weir, Scott, G. Strathy & Co.

The buyers were Scott, Stephens, Hamilton, Nash, Barlow, MacDougall Bros., and Turpin.

TO-DAY'S SALES.

Canadian Pacific.—125 @ 85, 50 at 85½, 600 at 85½, 100 at 85½, 350 at 85½, 125 at 85½, 525 @ 86.

Montreal Street xd.—100 t 270½, 2 at 270, 250 at 270½, 175 at 270½, 500 at 271, 50 at 271½.

New Street xd.—50 @ 266½, 75 at 267.

Montreal Gas—275 @ 193½, 100 at 193.

Bank of Montreal—3 @ 250, 2 at 250.

Royal Electric—25 @ 160, 50 at 160½.

Dominion Cotton—25 at 93½.

War Eagle—1000 @ 255, 500 @ 253.

Western Loan & Trust—20 @ 97.

MONTRÉAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Hours of Board—10.45 to 12.30; 2.15 to 3. Saturdays—10.30 to 12 noon. Saturday Board adjourns from May to Sept.

3 p.m., July 22, 1898

CAP.	REST.	Value shares.	Last ½-y. div.	Next div. pbl.	STOCKS.	July 15.	July 18.	July 19.	July 20.	July 21.	July 22.	
						Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	
BANKS.												
12,000,000	6,000,000	200	5	Dec.	Bank of Montreal.....	250	243	250	242	250	242	250
6,000,000	2,600,000	100	4	"	Merchants Bank.....	177½	171	175	171	178	173½	178
6,000,000	1,000,000	50	3½	"	Canadian Bank of Com.....	141	139	141	139	141	139	141
4,866,666	1,387,000	50	2½	Oct.	British North America.....	.....	.....	130	129	129	126½	.....
3,000,000	600,000	100	3	Dec.	Quebec Bank.....	124	123	124	124	124	123½	124
2,000,000	1,800,000	100	5	"	Bank of Toronto.....	240	232½	240	233	245	234	245
2,000,000	1,500,000	50	1½	Oct.	Molsons Bank.....	200	210	200	210	200	210	200
2,000,000	1,200,000	100	1½	Dec.	Imperial Bank.....	195	199½	199½	193	199½	195	200
2,000,000	1,125,000	100	4	"	Ottawa.....	.....	190	195	195	195	195	.....
2,000,000	600,000	50	4	"	Standard.....	.....	177	175	177	177	177	.....
1,500,000	1,600,000	100	4	Aug.	Bank of Nova Scotia.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	215	.....	.....
1,500,000	1,500,000	50	3½	"	Dominion Bank.....	258	250	258	250	254	258	254
1,500,000	1,175,000	100	3½	"	Merch'ts Bk. of Halifax.....	180	180	180	180	180	180	180
1,500,000	785,000	50	3½	July	Eastern Townships Bk.....	150	.....	150	155	160	155	160
1,500,000	350,000	60	3	Dec.	Union Bank.....	115	103	115	103	115	103	115
1,250,000	725,000	100	4	"	Hamilton.....	.....	177	185	179½	179	184	179
1,200,000	100,000	30	3	Nov.	Banque Nationale.....	96½	90	96½	90	102½	95	100
1,000,000	450,000	100	3½	Dec.	Hochelaga Bank.....	165	165	165	165	165	165	165
1,000,000	65,000	100	3	"	Ontario Bank.....	110	103	110	104	110	104	112
500,000	250,000	25	3	Oct.	Jacques Cartier Bank.....	105	102½	101	105	105	105	103
500,000	10,000	100	3	Dec.	Banque Ville Marie.....	.....	100	92	100	92	100	92
SURPLUS.												
MISCELLANEOUS												
65,000,000	\$100	2½	Oct.		Canadian Pacific Ry....	83½	83½	83½	83½	84½	85½	86½
12,000,000	100	.....			Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	3½	3	3½	3	4	3	3½
10,000,000	100	.....			Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr.	7	6	7	5	7	5	7
10,000,000	2,608,329	100	1½q	July	Commercial Cable.....	180½	179½	180½	179½	180½	179½	180½
2,000,000	40	2q	"		Montreal Telegraph.....	180	178½	180	178	180	178½	180
1,350,000	100	3	Nov.		Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co....	103	101	102½	99½	97½	103	98
4,600,000	334,247	50	2½q	Aug.	Montreal Street RyCo.*	265½	264½	266	265	266½	270	269½
1,000,000	50	1½q	July		New Montreal Street.....	261½	261	263	261½	263	264½	266½
2,997,704	40	5	Oct.		Dominion Telegraph.....	.....	131	132	132	132	132	.....
2,000,000	1	.....			Montreal Gas Co.....	191	190½	191½	192½	191½	192	193
3,168,000	910,000	2q	July		War Eagle.....	262	261½	263	263½	263	260	255
1,500,000	100	2q	"		Bell Telephone Co.....	175	171	175	172½	175	172	175
6,000,000	717,016	100	1q	"	Royal Electric*.....	160	158	160	159	162	159	162
800,000	100	1½q	"		Toronto Street Ry.....	97½	97	97½	97	97½	97½	98
100,000	100	.....			Halifax Tram Co.....	134	132	133½	132	134	132	133
700,000	100	.....			Cornwall Street Ry.....	50	15	50	15	45	15	.....
500,000	100	1½q	Sep.		People's Heat & Light.....	40	35	39½	35	40	35	35
350,000	40	2q	July		St. John Railway Co....	14						