at the close, a loss of ¾ of a point for the week. The earnings for the third week of October show an increase of $8,894.25.

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Montreal Power was in more general demand this week and on sales of 1,631 shares advanced to 98, but eased off again and closed with 97¼ bid, an advance for the week of 1¼ points.

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Richelieu and Ontario was inactive and only 125 shares were traded in. The closing bid was 110, a loss of a full point for the week.

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Dominion Steel Common was in good demand and 1,805 shares changed hands, the highest price realized being 29¾, and the stock closed with 29⅛ bid, an advance of 4⅛ points for the week. Sales as high as 30 were made in Boston to-day. In the Preferred some 1,604 shares changed hands, the highest price obtained being 82, the closing bid being 81, an advance of 4 points for the week. The Bonds also enhanced in value, the last sales taking place at 80¾ and some $106,000 changed hands during the week. The closing bid was 80, which is an advance of 1½ points from last week's quotation.

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Dominion Coal Common continued active although the trading did not equal the volume of recent weeks, the total sales being 2,080 shares. The stock touched 48 to-day, but reacted to 47½, an advance of 1⅝ points for the week. The Preferred was bid 118, which is equivalent to last week's closing quotation, and 73 shares were traded in, the last sales being made at 119.

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Dominion Cotton was traded in to the extent of 3,341 shares and shows a decline of 4¾ points for the week, closing with 49 bid. The lowest touched during the week was 48 and the highest 54, and the stock has zig-zagged up and down.

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	Per cent.
Call money in Montreal...........	5
Call money in New York........	3½
Call money in London............	1½ to 1¾
Bank of England rate............	3
Consols..............................	92¼
Demand Sterling..................	9½ to 9⅝
60 days' Sight Sterling............	9 to 9⅛

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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............	12½	10	.....
Payne.....................	15	14	1,000
Republic.................	...	...	....
Montreal-London...	...	...	......
Virtue	19	17	1,500
North Star..............	...	...	2,000

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The total sales of the mining stocks for the week amounted to 4,500 shares.

Virtue has become inactive again, the sales this week being only 1,500 shares, 1,000 of which changed hands at 19 and 500 at 18½. The closing bid was 17, a loss of 2 points on quotation for the week.

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In North Star the trading involved 2,000 shares at 30. The stock was not bid for at the close.

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Payne was traded in to the extent of 1,000 shares at 16 and the closing bid was 14, a loss of 1 point on quotation for the week.

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Thursday, p.m., Oct. 31st, 1901.

To-day's market was without particular interest apart from the continued strength shown in the Steel securities, more particularly in the Common Stock which sold up to 30 1-2. Coal Common also advanced and was in good demand at 48 this afternoon, some 700 shares changing hands at this price. Dominion Cotton eased off again to 48 at which price the last sales took place. The feature of the tradng was the rapid recovery in Montreal Cotton from yesterday's low figures. Under a slight pressure yesterday and in the absence of purchasing orders the stock sold at 110, but the total transactions at this price were only 101 shares, and the last sales to-day were made at 120, a recovery of 10 points from yesterday. Good buying orders were induced and the recovery was rapid although the trading was quite small. Toronto Railway remained at about yesterday's price on small transactions, the last sales being made at 117. Montreal Power sold X. D. to-day, the next dividend being payable on 15th November. The last sales were made at 96 1-8. Twin City sold at 99 in the morning, but was not offered under 99½ in the afternoon and there was good bidding for the stock at 99. The market generally was steady though dull.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1901.

MORNING BOARD.

No. of Shares.		Price.	No. of Shares.		Price.
3	C.P.R	110	10	Dominion Cotton..	50
75	Toronto Ry......	117¼	25	" ...	49
25	" ...	117½	75	" ...	48
25	" ...	117¼	2	" ...	48
50	" ...	117	25	" ...	48
10	Winnipeg Ry......	114	96	Can. Col. Cotton..	55
25	Twin City.........	99¼	41	Molsons Bank....	206
125	"	99	125	Dom. Coal com...	47¾
5	Montreal Power...	97	50	" ...	47⅞
50	"	96⅜	15	" pref..	118¾
50	"	96½	50	Dom. Steel com...	29½
6	"	96	175	"	29¾
25	"	96½	125	" pfd...	81½
10	"	96½	20	"	81
25	"	96⅛	$1000	" Bonds.	81
50	Dominion Cotton ..	49			

AFTERNOON BOARD.

25	Toronto Ry........	117	10	Merchants Bank..	153
200	Commercial Cable.	181½	15	" " ..	153
25	Dominion Cotton...	48½	700	Dom. Coal com. .	48
50	" ...	48	50	Dom. Steel com....	30¼
25	Montreal Cotton....	116	50	" ..	30½
5	" ...	118	1000	Virtue......... ...	20
30	" ...	120	$2000	Dom. Steel Bonds	80¼
25	Merchants Cotton..	102			