R. & O. closed with 72 bid. This is a decline of 21/4 points. The sales were very limited, and only 53 shares came out during ...e week.

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Montreal Cotton sales were limited, and number of shares involved in the week's business was 111. The closing bid was 114, as compared with 1191/4 a week ago, a decline of 51/4 points.

Dominion Iron Common closed with 19% bid, a loss of 1% points from last week on sales of 1,710 shares. The Preferred Stock shows a loss on quotation of 14 points, but only 26 shares were dealt in during the week. The closing bid for the Bonds was 83%, a decline of % of a point from last week, and \$8,000 were traded in, \* \* \* \*

Dominion Coal Common closed with 76 bid, a further decline of 1 full point for the week on quotation, and the total sales involved 50 shares. The Preferred Stock was traded in to the extent of 61 shares, and in the Bonds, \$20,000 were traded in. The last sales of the ferred were made at 115, and the Bonds sold at 99.

Nova Scotia Steel Common sold down to 60%, and closed with 601/2 bid, a decline of a full point for the week on total sales amounting to 75 shares. There were no sales in the Preferred Stock, but. in the Bonds \$500 changed bands at 109%.

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Per cent. Call money in Montreal..... Call money in New York..... 2 Call money in London..... Bank of England rate..... Consols.
Demand Sterling.
60 days' Sight Sterling. 

Thursday, p.m., May 25, 1905.

The market opened this morning after the actoria Day holiday, at a decided improvement, following the rise which took place yesterday in New York, where the position shows a decided improvement, owing to the settlement of the difficulties between two large railway leaders. C. P. R. shows an advance og 21/2 points, closing with 144 bid, but this is a decline of 1% points from the

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# TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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Tenders will be received up to the 15th of June, 1906, for the purchase of \$850,000 Government of British Columbia Dyking Debentures, in denominations of \$1,000, issued under the authority of the "Dyking Assessments Adjustment Act, 1905," bearing interest at the rate of \$1-2 percent per annum, payable half-yearly, at the Government Treasury, Victoria, on the 1st January, and 1st of July, in each year; the Principal redeemable in 32 years from the 1st of July, 1966.

Tenders to state the price net, the amount to be deposited at the Canadian amount to be deposited at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Victoria, on the 30th of June, 1906.

Tenders to be addressed to the Hon-ourable the Minister of Finance, Victo-ria. Right of acceptance of any tender reserved.

May 5, 1906.

opening sale to-day. Detroit Railway was a strong point, selling between 881/2 and 89, the last sales being at 881/2. Montreal Power and Nova Scotia Steel Common were heavy, being an exception to the general run of the market. Power sold down to 89, but recovered to 89% while Nova Scotia Steel Common declined to 60%, and closed offered at 601/8, with 60 bid. The total volume of business was very limited, and the sales for the day will be found below.

## MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

### THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1905.

### MORNING BOARD.

No. of Shares.	Price	No. of Shares.	Price
25 C.P.R	145¼ 145½ 145¼ 105¼ 89% 89% 89% 89%	25 Dom. Iron Bds  100  75  \$1,coo Dom Iron Bonds. 25 Toledo Ry  25  4  \$10 Textile Fraction Pfd.  \$3,34 Textile Bonds B  5 Textile Pfd  25 Dom. Coal Pfd  25 Mont. Cotton  25  50 Mackay Pfd	87 87 85 115 115

25 Detroit Ry	881/4	25 Iron Pfd	
10 "	8814	\$2,000 Iron Bonds	04%
25 "	881/4	125 Dom. Iron Com	20%
3 Lk. of Woods Pfd		25 Scotia Com	60%
25 " "	102	25 "	6034
\$150 Textile Bonds D.	89	50 Mont. Power	89%
\$4,000 Dom. Coal Bds.	991/8	6 Mackay Com	39%
1,000 " "	99	50 "	39
26 Dom. Coal	115	50 Dom, Coal Com	75

#### WINNIPEG CITY $\mathbf{OF}$

### DEBENTURES

SEALED TENDERS addressed to "The Chairman, Finance Committee," and marked "Tender for Debentures," will be received at the office of the City Comptroller, City Hall, Winnipeg, Manitoba, up to 3 o'clock p.m., on FRIDAY, 16th JUNE NEXT,

FOR THE PURCHASE OF

# \$1,209,875.42

### OF CITY OF WINNIPEG DEBENTURES

Payable in Winnipeg in gold or its equivalent. Interest at four per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, in London, England, New York, Montreal and Winnipeg, at the holder's option. Debentures dated 15th May, 1905.

\$ 111,713.68	 			running 7	vears
44,654.86	 ****			running 10	
363,836.89		****	,.	running 15	years
271,860.18	****		****	running 20	years
417,809.81	 ****	****	****	running 30	years

### \$1,209,875,42

Purchasers to pay accrued interest to date of delivery. Tenders may be for the whole or part. No tender necessarily accepted. Further particulars furnished on application.

D. S. CURRY, City Comptroller,

Winnipeg, 18th May, 1905.