

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE**

**BULL. MARKET — CAN GOLD FIELDS SELLS AT 10½ — MONTE CHRISTO AT 9 — BUSINESS ACTIVE**

Montreal, Nov. 15.

There has not been such a good market for many a day as we had today. From the start business was active and sales brisk, prices, too, were much better than they have been of late, and altogether the market assumed a healthier tone than has been seen for a long time.

Can. Gold Fields was heavily dealt in, 17,500 shares finding buyers at advancing prices. It opened at 9, which is ½ a point in advance of yesterday's and closed at 10½ on a sale of 500 shares, 10 being freely bid.

But the strength of the market did not confine itself solely to Canadian Gold Fields. War Eagle was strong, selling at 265. Golden Star was better, selling to the amount of 2500 shares at 31.

Big Three had a firmer undertone and sold repeatedly at 11, 5500 shares being traded in.

Monte Christo sold at 9 in the early transactions, and a block of 5000 at 8½.

\* Sales were made in Montreal-London at 4½ and 4¼.

Slocan Foreign selling at 34 for 1000 shares.

Bidding was active and business would have been even better had not holders of stocks been so firm. In most cases stocks are well held and holders are unwilling to let go; we would, however, advise profit taking on some of those stocks which have enjoyed the late rapid advance.

Mr. Sawyer, of the Sawyer Co., who returned yesterday from visiting the Britannic Gold Mines, brings back with him the best of news to the shareholders; he speaks in glowing terms of the mine and its future prospect. Shipping is already in order, tests recently made average as high as \$15. Mr. Atkinson, who is engineer for the company left yesterday for the mine, and from this on vigorous development work will be pursued. It is the policy of the management to develop with the uttermost speed what has already been proved to be a first class mine.

As so many of our readers are deeply interested in this property, we will be pleased to give from time to time the latest news at our disposal of the progress being made.

There continues to be a ready demand for Crown point, no doubt helped to a certain extent by the return of Mr. Ahn, who brings glorious accounts with him from Western Ontario.

**MORNING SALES.**

- Can. Gold Fields—7000, 9. 10,000, 9½
- 500, 10½.
- Big Three—5500, 11.
- Golden Star—2500, 31.
- Monte Christo—500, 9. 5000, 8½.
- War Eagle—500, 265.
- Mont.-London—300, 44. 500, 44½.
- Mont. G. Fields—500, 10.
- Slocan Sov.—1000, 34.

**AFTERNOON SALES.**

- Can. G. F.—7000, 10½. 13,250, 10.
- Payne—2000, 111.
- Slocan Sov.—1000, 34½.
- Montreal-London. — 1000, 48.

**DULUTH EARNINGS.**

1st week Nov. 1899	\$53,644
1st week Nov. 1898	34,505
Increase	\$ 19,139
From Jan. 1 1899	32,039, 124
From Jan. 1 1898	1,564,570
Increase	\$ 474,754

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	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	Nov. 11.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 14.	Nov. 15.	Nov. 11.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 14.	Nov. 15.
1.00 Payne xd.....	1.13	1.10	1.11	1.10	1.15	1.18	1.12	1.11
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	2.75	2.65	2.70	2.60	2.67	2.55½	2.75	2.67
1.00 Republic xd.....	1.17	1.16	1.17	1.16½	1.17½	1.15	1.17½	1.15
1.00 Virtue.....	.48	.43½	.45	.44	.48	.43	.48	.44
.24 Montreal-London xd.....	.47	.43	.44	.42½	.44	.42	.47	.46
1.00 Big Three.....	.12	.11	.10½	.10	.11	.10	.11	.10
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.30	.28	.30	.27	.30	.27	.30	.27
1.00 California.....	.12½	.12	.13	.12½	.13	.12	.13	.12½
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.08½	.08	.08½	.08	.08½	.08	.10½	.09½
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.10	.....	1.05	.....
1.00 Evening Star.....	.11	.08	.11	.07½	.11	.07½	.11	.07½
.25 Fern.....	.10	.04	.06	.05½	.06½	.05	.09	.05
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.07	.05	.07	.05	.07	.05	.07	.05
1.00 Iron Colt.....	.04	.03½	.04½	.03½	.04½	.03½	.04½	.03½
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.87½	.75	.85	.75	.90	.80	.85	.75
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.08½	.07½	.09	.08	.08½	.08	.08½	.08
.25 Montreal Gold Fields.....	.12½	.10	.10	.09½	.10	.09½	.10	.09½
1.00 Noble Five.....	.20	.02	.19	.....	.19½	.17	.20	.16
.10 Novelty.....	.03½	.03	.03½	.03	.03½	.03	.03½	.03
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.10	1.00	1.08	.90	1.09	1.00	1.09	.....
1.00 Virginia.....	.08½	.05	.08½	.05	.08½	.05	.08½	.05
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.61	.55	.62	.55
1.00 Bullion.....	.55	.10	.56	.25	.55	.....	.55	.30
1.00 Decca.....	.22	.15	.21½	.16	.24	.18	.23	.17½
1.00 Morrisor.....	.14	.11	.16	.11	.16	.12	.16	.11½
1.00 Golden Star.....	.34	.32	.34	.31½	.35	.30	.33	.30½
1.00 Slocan Sov.....	.86	.34	.37	.34	.35	.34½	.35	.34
1.00 Fontenay G. M. Co.....	.....	.....	.18	.....	.18	.....	.18	.....
1.00 Rathmillen.....	.09	.08	.09½	.08	.09½	.08	.09½	.08
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.34	.30	.34	.32½	.32½	.30½	.32½	.31
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.12½	.11½	.13	.11½	.13½	.11½	.13½	.11½
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2.....	.22	.20	.21	.20	.20½	.20	.20½	.20
1.00 North Star.....	1.05	.....	1.05	.....	1.05	.....	1.05	.....
1.00 Kenneth.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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