

Royal Electric closed at 203 1-2, a loss of 3 3-4 points over last week's close, but an advance of 13 1-2 points over the lowest point touched this week. The number of shares which changed hands amounted to 3,450. The break in the dam, while it will cause serious inconvenience and expense, is not as bad as was at first anticipated. The Company are supplying all their contracts as usual, but have been utilizing some 1,600 horse-power, which they have been obtaining from the Lachine Rapids and subsidiary companies.

Richelieu & Ontario closed at 106 1-2, being a loss on quotation of 1-2 point for the week, while Dominion Cotton at 91 is off a point.

Sales of the Laurentide Pulp Company stock have taken place at prices ranging from 105 to 120, at which price 75 shares changed hands to-day. It is said that the company earned almost 12 per cent. last year, and that at the present rate, they will earn between 30 and 40 per cent. this year. A large block of the bonds were disposed of at 105. They are redeemable at 110.

	Per cent.
Call money in Montreal...	5
Call money in London...	3 1-2
Call money in New York...	4 to 4 1-2
Bank of England rate...	4
Consols...	98 9-16
Demand Sterling...	9 1-4
60 days' sight sterling...	8 1-2

MINING MATTERS.

The shipments from the mines of the Rossland Camp for the week ending 17th inst. were as follows:

	Tons.
LeRoi...	3,847
Centre Star...	2,145
Total...	5,992

The closing prices of the listed stocks and sales for the week were as follows:—

	A week ago.	To-day.	Sales.
War Eagle...	100	105	9,650
Payne...	86	83	10,750
Montreal-London...	5	..	..
Republic...	59	66 1-2	29,600
Virtue...	29	34 1-2	33,500
North Star...	95	96	21,750

The sales in the mining stocks show a heavy falling off from last week, more especially in the case of Republic and Virtue, but the prices all round are improved.

The Canadian Gold Fields have declared a dividend of 3 per cent. for the quarter ending 31st December, payable on 2nd January, and Montreal Oregon, one of 2 1-2 per cent., payable 15th December.

The North Star dividend of 3 per cent. for the quarter is payable 15th December.

The adjourned annual meeting of shareholders of Republic Consolidated, was held at Republic on 20th inst., and Mr. Ayer presented the annual financial statement, which will be published and circulated among the shareholders. He announced that the net liabilities of the Company of some \$300,000 on the 1st of August, 1900, had been reduced to about \$120,000, by a transaction which has been completed. The new board consists of Robert Jaffray, Toronto; A. A. Ayer, Abner Kingman, James Hutchison, Montreal; W. E. Spier, D. H. Burrell, New York, and D. F. Hallehan, with Clarence J. McCuaig, manager, and ex-officio member of the Board.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE SALES

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd, 1900.

MORNING BOARD.

No. of Shares.	Price.		
50 C.P.R.	87 3/4	2 Montreal Gas....	199
25 "	87 3/4	15 "	199
250 Montreal Street...	273	10 "	199
50 Mont. Street (new)	264	25 Dominion Cotton...	91 1/2
25 Twin City.....	65 1/2	25 "	91
50 Montreal Gas	199	50 Inter. Coal Com...	55
50 "	199	500 War Eagle.....	105 1/4
		500 "	105 1/2
		1500 Republic.....	66
		2000 "	65

AFTERNOON BOARD.

175 C.P.R.....	87 1/2	50 Royal Electric....	203
25 "	87 1/2	25 Dominion Cotton...	90 3/4
75 Toronto Street....	107 1/2	100 Laurentide Pulp....	120
25 R. & O.....	107	500 Republic.....	65
25 Twin City.....	65 1/4		

The gross traffic earnings of the Grand Trunk, Canadian Pacific, Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railways, and the Montreal, Toronto, Halifax and Twin City street railways up to the most recent date obtainable, compared with the corresponding period for 1898 and 1899 were as follows:—

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Week ending.	1898.	1899.	1900	Increase.
Jan. 7.....	\$410,885	\$348,708	\$375,452	\$26,744
14.....	463,393	348,720	434,624	85,904
21.....	445,851	382,668	442,406	59,738
31.....	596,203	525,969	567,506	41,537
Feb. 7.....	395,785	374,225	381,942	7,717
14.....	415,437	323,811	369,744	45,933
21.....	411,644	371,599	425,617	54,018
28.....	527,686	435,914	410,620	25,294
March 7.....	445,048	390,565	290,372	91,193
14.....	476,407	419,315	428,011	8,705
21.....	445,340	393,811	426,848	33,037
31.....	674,015	605,277	676,521	71,244
April 7.....	470,995	395,118	426,975	31,857
14.....	469,655	401,318	463,335	62,017
21.....	433,595	387,148	424,859	47,711
30.....	544,232	450,283	408,545	39,262
May 7.....	429,774	362,297	331,383	29,086
14.....	475,591	392,718	416,573	23,855
21.....	449,483	401,604	429,305	27,701
31.....	586,132	593,771	635,512	41,741
June 7.....	420,025	384,324	414,937	30,613
14.....	433,475	401,507	432,502	30,995
21.....	429,511	419,099	453,873	34,774
30.....	597,391	572,733	615,932	43,199