Transactions in Montreal Street Railway during the week amounted to 225 shares of old stock, and 200 shares of new stock. The price for the former ranging between 327 and 328 1-2, and for the latter between 324 1-2 and 327. At the close to-day, 327 was bid for the old stock, and 325 for the new.

The earnings for the week ending Saturday 1st inst show an increase of \$3,380.04 as follows:—

			Inc.
Sunday	 	\$5,736.72	\$1,450.85
		5,207.67	572.58
Tuesday	 	4,926.60	734.29
Wednesday	 	4,433.10	167.83
Thursday	 	4,857.37	*59.98
Friday	 	5,300.90	*311.04
Saturday	 	5.797.66	825.51
*Decrease.			

Toronto Railway has fluctuated within the narrow range of 1-4 per cent, during the week, namely: between 116 and 116 1-4, at which figures 255 shares changed hands.

The earnings for the month of June amounted to \$190,063, being an increase over June, 1898, of \$14,-943.

There has been no announcement made yet with regard to the dividend on Twin City common, and the stock remains quiet in consequence. The highest price recorded during the week was 66 1-2, and the lowest 66. Transactions amounted to 225 shares, and the closing quotations to-day were: sellers, 67, and buyers, 65.

Montreal Gas shows a net gain of I point during the week, advancing to 200 bid at to-day's close. 550 shares changed hands at prices ranging between 199 and 199 1-2.

The annual meeting of the Royal Electric Company takes place on Tuesday, 18th inst., when it is expected that a new issue of stock will be authorized to be issued to shareholders at par. The Company is said to have had a very good year, and an advance in the stock is looked for. Only 50 shares changed hands during the week, and the closing quotations to-day were: sellers 185, buyers, 182, practically no-change from a week ago.

The Richelieu Company is stated to be doing a very large business, and the stock is appreciating slightly in consequence. Only 25 shares were sold during the week at 109, and buyers were prepared to pay 110 at to-day's close, but this brought nothing out.

Dominion Cotton is unchanged with no transactions during the week. 35 shares of Montreal Cotton sold at 155, and 8 shares of Merchants Cotton at 148.

Dominion Coal common has had a further advance

to 55 1-2 in Boston. The announcement is made that this Company will be absorbed by the new Dominion Steel and Iron Company, the latter undertaking to pay not less than 6 per cent: upon the common stock of the Dominion Coal Company, which amounts to \$15,000,000.

There has been some enquiry for Heat & Light stock during the week, and the price has advanced from 20 to 24, closing to-day with the latter figure bid, and nothing offering under 32 1-2. The announcement is made that the experiments which have been in progress on Intercolonial Railway locomotives for the purpose of demonstrating the feasibility and desirability of using coke as a fuel have been entirely satisfactory. It has been proved that a considerable saving can be affected in using coke as compared with coal, and the immensely important advantage is gained in addition of absolutely doing away with the smoke and dust which is so objectionable in railway travel. It is admitted that the Heat & Light system of manufacturing gas is to be the system of the future, and now that the main obstacle in the way of the Company's success is likely to be removed, it should do well.

Call money in Montreal	5 p.c.
Call money in London	1-2 p.c.
Call money in New York	2 p.c.
Bank of England rate	3 p.c.
Consols	3-8 p.c.
Demand sterling	3-4 D.C.
60 days' sight sterling9	I-4 p.c

MINING MATTERS.

Shipments from the mines of the Rossland Camp for the week ending 1st inst, were as follows:—

Le Roi	 	 1,248	tons.
War Eagle	 	 1.312	"
Evening Star.		 32	"
Centre Star	 	 640	"

3,232 tons.

Mining stocks have been very dull during the week. In War Eagle, 625 shares only changed hands at 369 to 370. In Montreal-London the only transaction was 500 shares at 50. 13,500 shares of Payne were traded in at prices between 141 and 144 1-2. At the close to-day, the stock was offered at 140, a decline of 41-2 points from a week ago. The transactions in Republic amounted to 12,725 shares, the highest price paid being 129, and the lowest, which was the closing sale to-day, being 124 3-4.

The reduction in the dividend of the Golden Star mine from 1 cent per share per month to 1-2 cent per share per month has caused a further break in the stock. A week ago 57 was paid, but to-day the closing sale was at 42. The new board of directors have issued a circular stating that it is their intention to pursue a safe and conservative policy with regard to the Company's operations, and they announce that