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Montreal Stock Market.

UNEVENTFUL SESSION — PRICES UNCHANGED — NEW YORK DEPRESSION OWING TO A. S. W. PROBABLY AFFECTS LOCAL MARKET — N. Y. BANK STATEMENT VERY FAVORABLE.

Montreal, April 21.

It was unlikely that the close of a somewhat dull week would strike out into something newer and livelier in the way of business. As a general rule, in fact, the Saturday session shows more or less weakness. A good bank statement was expected at New York, and it came. It had no influence whatever on Wall Street closings which showed figures in almost all cases lower than any of those that preceded. The endorsement of Mr. Gates' bunco manoeuvres by the directors is likely to have a further depressing effect on all steel stocks, and to-day's market quotations seem to make this certain.

Local stocks were not changed in any way to-day and beyond some quiet transactions in standard stocks the session was quiet and uneventful.

MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—10, 97½, 25, 97.
Mont. St.—25, 262.
R. & O.—25, 108½.
Roy. Elec.—25, 202.
Montreal-London—2900, 30, 1000, 30
Twin City—75, 64, 25, 63½.
Payne—100, 120, 500, 119.
Virtue—100, 109, 2500, 108½.
Dom. Col.—13, 100.
Bell. Tel.—12, 180.
Merch. Lank—4, 162.
Mont. St. Rts—8, 75, 20, 74.
B. of Com.—2, 147.

LOWER PRICES FOR IRON PRODUCTS.

Iron markets are as strong as ever and wages of iron worker keep up, though several facts about shading of prices remind capitalists and wage earners that

iron products will be in more moderate demand ere long. The facts are a reduction from 2.15c to 1.90c in the price of bar iron at Mahoning Valley mill and from 2.25c to 2c in steel bars at Pittsburg mill, a decrease of about \$2 a ton in plates or to \$1.80c Pittsburg as minimum for tank steel on large contracts, a decline in billets to \$32.50 and \$33 Pittsburg, and a shading in the price of foundry iron. The decline from 2½c to 2c per pound of bar iron, equal to \$5 per ton, was decided upon Friday week past, and the shading in the price of foundry iron has been going on for months. Bar mill operators have nearly filled existing orders and the cut of \$5 per ton has been made as an inducement for future orders. The week's changes in price are given as Bessemer pig iron Pittsburg from \$24.90 to \$24.50, Grey forge pig iron, \$20.75 to \$20; Refined iron bars, Phila., from \$2.10 per cwt to \$2, Common iron bars, Youngstown, from \$2.15 to \$2, Steel bars, Tidewater, from \$2.40 per cwt to \$2.15; Tank plates, Tidewater, declined to \$2 per cwt from \$2.05. Retail dealers report that trade in barbed wire and wire fencing has been curtailed by high prices, farmers declining to pay the prices asked.

STRAWS.

Pennsylvania directors will hold regular meeting to consider the semi-annual dividend declaration at Phila., May 1. The dividend will be declared to shareholders of record of April 30.

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At the New Amsterdam Gas meeting the other day no reference was made to the Gas war. Meeting lasted just 20 minutes.

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Gen. Electric been earning enough to justify some additional dividend whenever the board thinks the time suitable for doing so.

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Price Current says: Wheat crop position unchanged. Large areas turned to other crops. Oats doing well. Corn planting progressing favorably. Packing 415,000 hogs against 315,000 last year.

LONDON AND PARIS

April 21, 1900.

Bank of England rate	4
Open discount rate.....	3½
Paris Rentes.....	101-12½
France Exchange.....	25f. 20½
Consols, money.....	101½
Canadian Pacific.....	99½
New York Central.....	139
St. Paul.....	125
Union Pacific.....	59½

LONDON CABLE.

C. Meredith & Co.'s Cable gives the following London quotations:

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....	92½
" 1st preference, rd.....	92½
" 2nd ".....	.....
" 3rd ".....	.....
A. T. R. Com.....	.....
O. P. R. rd.....	99½

MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Mar.....	\$127,212.18	Inc.	\$3,458.60
April 10, 4,411.33	Dec.	41	
" 11, 4,319.42	Inc.	175.04	
" 12, 4,456.73	"	52.68	
" 13, 3,336.05	Dec.	935.50	
" 14, 5,188.83	Inc.	478.15	
" 15, 4,057.85	"	445.72	
" 16, 4,956.33	"	509.49	
" 17, 4,836.26	"	493.74	
" 19, 4,195.68	"	33.38	

TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Mar.....	\$117,631.21	Inc.	\$4,396.23
April 8, 1,577.56	Inc.	202.09	
" 10, 3,546.78	"	112.86	
" 11, 3,596.31	"	178.38	
" 12, 4,356.47	"	1024.67	
" 13, 3,619.45	"	53.39	
" 14, 4,814.64	"	740.25	
" 15, 1,900.02	"	695.07	
" 16, 4,447.42	"	1403.27	
" 17, 4,366.45	"	1,280.60	
" 18, 4,077.61	"	756.02	

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

For week ending	Compared with previous year.
April 7.....	2,176.10.....Inc. 154.77
" 14.....	2,259.56....." 316.87

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

STOCKS WEAK AND LOWER — MARKET ACTIVE — BIG THREE SLUMP — DEER TRAIL UNDER PRESSURE.

Montreal, April 21.

The market closes the week active but weak. Stocks were placed on the market in larger quantities than it could absorb. No doubt that this weakness on nearly all of the financial centres forced stockholders to realize on our local market. Stocks were under pressure during the whole session and closed weak and depressed.

Large blocks of Big Three came on the market, depressing the price to 5 3/4, 15,000 shares changing hands.

Deer Trail was likewise heavy and sold down to 9 1/4, over 12,000 shares of this stock being sold.

The Evening Star has been a better favorite of late. Development work is going on at a rapid rate, the ore at present being stoped is said to be as rich as any found in the camp. It will not be long before the Evening Star is developed into a valuable mine.

Canadian G. Fields was firm at 7 cents, 1500 shares being sold.

There were sales in Rathmullen to the amount of 3,500 shares at 3 1/2 cents.

The standard stocks were neglected. Virtue sold to the small amount of 500 shares at 107 1/2.

MORNING SALES.

Can. G. Fields—1500, 7.
Big Three—4000, 6 1/2. 2500, 6. 8500, 5 3/4.
Rathmullen—3500, 3 1/2.
Deer Trail Cons—5000, 9 3/4. 6000, 9 1/2. 1,250, 9 1/4.
Virtue—500, 107 1/2.

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO

Total for Mar... \$22,342.00... Inc... \$33,441.00
For week ending April 7, 49,662.95... Inc. 2,787.95
Compared with last year

DULUTH S.S. & ATLANTIC.

Earnings for Jan \$167,147 Inc. \$15,091
Feb..... 187,789 " 52,972
Operating expenses amount to a little more than \$100,000 a month.

C. P. R. EARNINGS.

Week ending April 14, 1900 \$608,000
Week ending April 14, 1899..... 525,000
Increase \$81,000

G. T. R. EARNINGS.

Week ending April 14, 1900 \$163,345
Week ending April 14, 1899..... 401,318
Increase \$62,017

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	Asked. Bld.	Bid.	Asked. Bld.	Bid.	Asked. Bld.	Bid.	Asked. Bld.	Bid.
	April 18.	April 19.	April 20.	April 21.	April 18.	April 19.	April 20.	April 21.
1.00 Payne	1.20	1.17	1.19 1/2	1.19	1.19 1/2	1.18	1.21	1.19 1/2
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	1.60	1.35	1.47	1.37	1.45	1.39	1.45	1.38
1.00 Republic xd	1.08 1/2	1.04	1.08	1.04	1.03 1/2	1.03	1.05	1.03 1/2
1.00 Virtue.....	1.11	1.08	1.08	1.08	1.09	1.07 1/2	1.09	1.07 1/2
.24 Montreal-London xd.....	.30 1/2	.29	.30 1/2	.30	.30	.29	.29	.28 1/2
1.00 Big Three.....	.7	.08	.07	.08	.07	.08 1/2	.08	.05 1/2
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.27	.10	.25	.15	.23	.15	.27 1/2	.15
1.00 California.....	.10 1/2	.10	.10 1/2	.9 1/2	.10 1/2	.10	.10 1/2	.10
.10 Canada Gold Fields syn..	.08	.08	.07 1/2	.07	.07 1/2	.07	.07 1/2	.6 1/2
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	....	.96	1.02	.95	....	....	....	.95
1.00 Evening Star.....	.10	.5	.10	.5	.10	.05	.10	.6
.25 Fern.....	.08	.02	.05	.02	.05	.05	.05	.3
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.05	.02 1/2	.4 1/2	.2	.5	.3	.04 1/2	.03 1/2
1.00 Iron Colt.....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.75	.05	.75	.03	.75	.65	.75	.68
1.00 Monte Christo Cou.....	.04 1/2	.03	.04 1/2	.03 1/2	.04 1/2	.03 1/2	.04 1/2	.03 1/2
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.00	.05	.6	.05 1/2	.06	.05 1/2	.07	.05
1.00 Noble Five.....	.4 1/2	.2	.4 1/2	.02	.4 1/2	.1 1/2	.4 1/2	.2
1 Novelty.....	.3	.01 1/2	.3	.1 1/2	.3	.1 1/2	.3	.01 1/2
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	....	.70	....	....	.75	.70	.75	.73
1.00 Virginia.....	.6	.2	.08	.02	.05	.2	.08	.02
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	....	....	.31 1/2	.25	.29	.22	.29	.20
1.00 Bullion.....	.50	....	.41	.15	.42	.32	.40	.20
1.00 Decca.....	.8 1/2	.68	.9	.8	.8 1/2	.7 1/2	.8 1/2	.07 1/2
1.00 Morrison.....	....	....	.3 1/2	.02	.2 1/2	.2 1/2	.3	.2 1/2
1.00 Golden Star.....	.10 1/2	.5	.9 1/2	.8 1/2	.9	.8 1/2	.10	.07 1/2
1.00 Slocan Sov.....	.20 1/2	.28	.30	.25	.30	.25	.30	.28
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	....	....	.16	....	....	....	....	....
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.4	.03 1/2	.05 1/2	.03 1/2	.04	.03 1/2	.4	.3
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.15	.10	....	....	.15	.10	.15	.11
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.6	.2	.5	.2	.5	.2	.4 1/2	.2
1.00 Deer Trail Cons.....	.10 1/2	.9 1/2	.10	.9 1/2	.10	.9 1/2	.9 1/2	.9
1.00 North Star.....	1.21	1.19	1.10	1.24	.40
1.00 Kenneth.....

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MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

CLOSING PRICES.

Hours of Board—10.30 to 12.30 ; 2.15 to 3.

Range for Year 1900	CAP. PAID-UP.	REST.	Next div. pbl.	Value shares.	Last 1/2 y. div.	STOCKS.	Apr. 17.		Apr. 18		Apr. 19		Apr. 20		Apr. 21	
							Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.
High Low.	\$	\$														
BANKS.																
263 254 1/2	12,000,000	6,000,000	June	\$200	5	Bank of Montreal	262	260 1/2	262	260	262	260	262	260 1/2	262	260 1/2
163 1/2 160	6,000,000	2,600,000	"	100	3 1/2	Merchants B'k of Can	162	160	162	160	162	160	160	160	160	160
148 140	6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3 3/4	Canadian B'k of Com	147 1/2	150	147 1/2	150	147 1/2	147 1/2	147 1/2	150	147 1/2	
130 122	4,866,666	1,571,867	April	£50	3	British North America	118	116	118	116	118	116	118	116	118	116
128 1/2 126	2,500,000	700,000	June	\$100	3	Quebec Bank	127	126	127	126	127	126	125	125	126	126
243 1/2 235 1/2	2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto	240	237 1/2	243	238	250	241 1/2	244	241 1/2	244	241 1/2
195 190	2,000,000	1,625,000	April	50	4 1/2	Molsons Bank	190	190	190	190	190 1/2	190	192	192	192	192
	2,412,033	1,587,824	June	100	4 1/2	Imperial Bank	209 1/2	214	211 1/2	214	212 1/2	212	211	212	211 1/2	211 1/2
	1,786,560	1,444,920	"	100	4	Ottawa										
	1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard	200	198	201	197	198	196 1/2	201	198	200	198
	1,752,280	2,005,601	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia	225	220	225	220	225	220	225	220	225	220
	1,933,520	1,577,492	"	100	3 1/2	Merch'ts Bk. of Halifax										
111 105	2,000,000	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank of Canada	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
	1,500,000	1,500,000		50	3 1/2	Dominion Bank	268 1/2	269	268	268 1/2	267 1/2	270	268 1/2	270	268 1/2	270
158 157	1,500,000	850,000	June	50	3 1/2	Eastern Townships Bk	158	156	158	156	158	156	156	156	156	156
	1,498,650	1,000,000		100	4	Hamilton	184	185	185	185	185	185	185	185	187	185
	1,200,000	150,000	May	30	3	Banque Nationale			145	138						
140 129	1,433,560	565,000	June	100	3 1/2	Hochelaga Bank	145	138	140	136	140	135	145	135	145	136
128 1/2 124 1/2	1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2 1/2	Ontario Bank	129	128	128	128	129	128	129	128	129	128
	388,239	118,000	"	100	3 1/2	Western Bk of Can.										
	500,000	265,000	"	25	.....	Jacques Cartier Bank										
	829,820	70,000		.....	.....	Traders	118	117 1/2	116	115	125	117 1/2	125	117 1/2	125	117
	500,000	600,000		.....	6	Bank of New Brun'sk.										
	180,000	140,000		.....	4	People's Bk do										
	200,000	45,000		.....	2 1/2	St. Stephen's Bk										
	2,919,996	486,686		.....	2 1/2	Bk of British Columbia										
	48,666	18,000		.....	3 1/2	Summerside Bank										
	200,020	65,000		.....	4	Merchants Bk of P.E.I.										

SURPLUS.

MISCELLANEOUS

100 90	65,000,000	.....	Aug.	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry...	96 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2	97	97 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2	97	97 1/2	96 1/2
8 5	12,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	6 1/2	5	6	5	6 1/2	5	6	5 1/2	6	5
16 1/2 14 1/2	10,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr	16 1/2	15	16 1/2	15	16 1/2	15	16 1/2	15	16 1/2	15
194 166	13,333,300	2,608,329	May	100	*1 1/2 q	Commercial Cable.....	171	169	169 1/2	168	170	168	170	168 1/2	169 1/2	168
173 160	2,000,000	.....	"	40	2 q	Montreal Telegraph...	167	165	170	165	170	165	170	165	170	165
..... 136	1,000,000	.....	"	.....	1 1/2 q	Dom. Telegraph Co....	.....	128	.....	128	.....	128	.....	127	130	127
115 104	1,350,000	.....	May	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co..	113	112 1/2	113	112	114	112 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/2	109	108 1/2
306 1/2 261 1/2	5,000,000	334,247	"	50	2 1/2 q	Montreal Street Ry Co.	266	265 1/2	265	264 1/2	262 1/2	261 1/2	262 1/2	260	262 1/2	260
270 264	15,010,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	New Montreal Street....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
67 1/2 62 1/2	2,997,704	.....	Aug.	100	1 1/2	Twin City.....	66	65	65	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64	64	64 1/2
194 183 1/2	1,750,000	.....	.....	40	5	Montreal Gas Co.....	184	183 1/2	184 1/2	184	184 1/2	183	184 1/2	184	184 1/2	184
275 130	452,000	.....	.....	1 00	.....	War Eagle.....	144	143	144	140	140	135	140	139 1/2	142	140
36 25	2,000 00	.....	.....	24	4 1/2 q.	Mont. & London M.Co.	32	29	30	29	32	29	30	29	32	30
120 49	2,500,000	.....	.....	1 00	.....	Virtue Consolidated....	109	108	110	109 1/2	110	107	108 1/2	108 1/2	110	108 1/2
137 92	3,168,000	910,000	Aug.	100	2 q	Payne Mining Co.....	120	119	120	118	120	118	120	118	120	119
183 171	2,250,000	.....	"	100	2 q	Bell Telephone Co.....	190	180	190	180	190	180	190	179 1/2	185	179
210 183	6,000,000	814,254	"	100	1 q	Royal Electric.....	202 1/2	202	203	202 1/2	202 1/2	201 1/2	202	201 1/2	202	201 1/2
104 1/2 97	80,000	.....	"	100	1 1/2 q	Toronto Street Ry.....	98	97 1/2	98	97	97 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2	98	99	98
99 94 1/2	700,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Halifax Tram Co.....	96 1/2	94	96	95	96	95	96	95	96	95
.....	3,500,000	.....	.....	100	1 m	People's Heat & Light..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
115 89	500,000	.....	.....	100	1 q	Republic.....	112 1/2	108	110	107	111	110	106	103	106	103
125	350,000	.....	.....	100	1 q	St. John Railway Co...	126	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125
.....	5,642,925	.....	Aug.	40	2 q	London Street Ry.....	175	.....	175	.....	180	170	.....	170	180	.....
.....	1,467,684	.....	.....	100	.....	Can. N. W. Land Pfd..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	15,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	" Com.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
46	2,000,000	.....	.....	100	4	Dominion Coal Co.....	43 1/2	47	43	.....	43	.....	44	47	44	44
118 116	500,000	.....	Aug.	100	4	Dominion Coal Co. pr..	.....	.....	115	117	115 1/2	.....	115	117	115	115
.....	500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6 pa	Windsor Hotel.....	100	.....	100	.....	100	.....	100	.....	100	.....
49 30	500,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Intercolonial Coal Co..	.....	75	.....	75	.....	55	37	75	37	37
80 1/2	250,000	.....	.....	100	7 pa	Do. pref. stock.....	100	50	100	50	100	50	100	50	100	50
148 141	2,000,000	.....	June	100	2 q	Montreal Cotton Co....	150	140	148	141	148	141	148	141	148	141
81 70	2,750,000	.....	"	100	1 q	Colored Cotton Co....	81	77	80	77	80	77	80	79	80	77
133	800,000	.....	.....	100	4	Merchants Cotton Co..	140	132	137	132	137	132	137	132	137	132
105 90	3,100,000	.....	June	100	1 1/2 q	Dominor Cotton Co....	101 1/2	160	102	101	104 1/2	101	102	100	102	100
.....	500,000	350,000	"	25	3 1/2	Montmorency Cotton....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	115	110	.....	.....
140	814,800	July	50	3	Mont. Loan & Mort Co.
.....	Western Loan & Tr....
.....	Flemington Coal Co	20	20	20	20
.....	Diamond Glass Co...

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

APRIL 21, 1900.

Range for Year 1900		Range for Year 1899		Outstanding Capital Stock.	Last Div. P. C.	CLOSING PRICES FROM APR. 11 TO APR. 20						TO-DAY'S PRICES			
High.	Low.	High.	Low.			11	12	17	18	19	20	Open.	Highest	Lowest	Closing
.....	.....	230	112	5,000,000	.....	Air Brake.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
35½	32½	48	30	20,237,000	4	Am. Cotton Oil Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
137½	95½	192	114½	38,983,000	3	" Sugar.....	111	109½	105½	100½	104½	105½	104½	104	
.....	.....	15½	4	27,864,500	.....	" Spirits Mfg. Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
59½	45½	72	32	21,600,000	.....	" Y. Co.....	51	50½	43½	41½	43½	44½	42	42½
38½	27½	52½	20	25,000,000	.....	" Tin Plate.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
111½	84½	129½	78½	21,000,000	1½	" Tobacco.....	106½	107	103½	103	103½	104	102½	103½	
49½	38	70	31½	28,000,000	.....	Anaconda Copper.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
29½	18½	24½	17	120,000,000	.....	Atch T. & S. Fe.....	26½	27½	26½	26½	26½	26½	20½	20
73	58½	98½	50½	114,199,500	1½	" " pfd.....	71	72½	70½	70½	71½	71½	70½	69½	
88½	72½	61½	43½	25,000,000	2½	Baltimore & Ohio.....	87½	89½	87½	88	88½	88½	89	88	
.....	.....	2½	2½	50,000,000	.....	Bay State Gas.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
80½	63½	137	61	29,500,000	.....	Brooklyn Rap. Tran.....	77	76½	73½	74	73½	75½	75	76
68½	58½	64½	42½	28,000,000	1½	C. O. O. & St. L.....	64	64½	62½	.....	62½	.....	.....	.....
99	95½	99½	84½	65,000,000	2	Canadian Pacific.....	97½	.....	90½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
68½	47½	70	48	15,000,000	1	Canada Southern.....	56½	.....	55½	53½	55½	56½	56½	57½
33½	28	31½	23½	60,533,400	1	Chesapeake & Ohio.....	33	33½	32	32	32	32½	32	32	
15½	11½	20½	10½	21,232,500	5	Chicago & Great Western.....	.....	14½	13½	14½	14½	14	.....	.....
136½	119½	149½	114½	90,282,900	1½	" B. & Q.....	129	129	125½	126½	126½	127½	127½	125½	
126½	115½	136½	112½	40,732,600	2½	" Mill. & St. P.....	123	123½	121	121½	121½	124½	121½	122½	
114½	104½	122½	89½	50,000,000	1½	" R. I. & Pacific.....	111½	112½	110½	110½	110½	110½	110½	108½	
160½	153	173	141½	39,118,300	3	" & Northwest.....	162½	162½	161½	162	162	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	141	188	22,390,600	1½	" pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	60½	41	65,370,000	.....	Central Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
199	175	223½	163	39,078,000	2½	Consolidated Gas.....	100	189	183	183	182	183	.....	.....
38	28½	65½	29	30,000,000	.....	Continental Tobacco.....	29½	29½	29½	29	29	29½	29	29
119½	113	125½	106½	35,000,000	1½	Delaware & Hudson.....	117	.....	115½	115½	.....	.....	.....	.....
156	173½	194½	157	26,200,000	1½	Del. Lack. & Western.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
76½	66½	80	63	33,000,000	.....	Denver & Rio Grand pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Duluth com.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	" pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14½	11½	16½	10	112,232,700	.....	Erle.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
131½	120	132	95½	18,276,000	.....	General Electric.....	132½	135½	135½	136½	140	139	x139½	139½
56½	47	76½	37	24,027,300	1½	Glucose.....	51½	51	50	49	49½	50	.....	.....
57½	45	75	39½	46,424,300	1½	Fed. Steel Com.....	48½	47½	43	42½	44	44	42½	42½	
77½	70½	93½	67	53,273,500	1	" pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25½	14½	68½	17½	17,442,900	.....	Internat. Paper Co., Com.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70½	67½	95	62½	.....	1½	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	209	186½	95,277,600	.....	Lake Shore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
87½	77½	88½	63	52,500,000	4	Louisville & Nashville.....	80	86½	85	84½	84½	84½	84½	84½	
101	90½	133½	85½	48,000,000	1	Manhattan com.....	97½	97½	94½	94½	94½	94½	94½	93	
182½	155	269	147	40,000,000	1½	Met. Street Ry. Co.....	160	164½	162½	154½	157½	160	159½	160	
38½	31½	46½	28½	13,000,000	.....	Missouri, Kan. & Tex pfd.....	36½	37½	38½	39½	39½	38	37½	38
56	38½	52½	33	47,507,000	1	" Pacific.....	54½	55½	59½	59½	59	58½	58½	58½	
28½	23½	40½	22½	14,905,400	1	Nat. Lead.....	23	23½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
121½	115	126½	97	22,519,000	1	New Jersey Central.....	119½	119	116½	116½	118½	122½	121½	122½	
139½	131	144½	120	115,000,000	1½	New York Central.....	139½	136½	135½	135½	135½	135½	135½	135½	
62½	50½	57½	42½	80,000,000	1	Northern Pacific.....	59½	60½	58½	59½	59½	59	59	59	
78½	72½	91½	68	75,000,000	1	" pfd.....	76½	77	76½	76½	76½	77½	.....	.....
120	.....	125	91	18,559,153	5	Omaha.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
26½	21	28½	18½	58,113,900	.....	Ontario & Western.....	24½	24½	24	24½	24½	25½	24½	24½
47½	35½	55	35	20,000,000	1½	Pacific Mail.....	34½	35	32½	34	33½	32½	32	32	
142½	128½	142	122½	129,303,250	2½	Pennsylvania R. R.....	139½	139½	136½	137½	136½	137½	136½	137½	
111½	92½	129½	90½	28,668,600	1½	P. O. Gas L. & Coke Co.....	168½	107½	103½	103	104	104½	104½	104½	
58½	48	61	43½	12,500,000	.....	Pressed Steel.....	.....	51	49½	50	49½	49½	.....	.....
89½	85	91	75	12,500,000	1½	" pfd.....	.....	.....	82½	.....	82	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	207½	156	54,000,000	1½	Pullman Palace Car Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21½	17½	25	15½	69,900,000	.....	Reading.....	.....	19½	19	18½	19½	20	20	19
66½	49	68½	42½	28,000,000	.....	" 1st pfd.....	63½	63½	60½	60	60½	62½	62½	60
43	35½	44½	27	108,232,006	.....	Southern Pacific.....	39½	39½	39½	39½	39½	38½	38½	37½
51½	51½	58½	40½	57,290,400	1	Southern Railroad pfd.....	69	60	58½	59½	59½	59	59	59	
64	63½	69½	.....	15,010,000	1	Twin City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	14½	25½	12½	38,710,900	.....	Texas Pacific.....	18½	18½	19½	20½	19½	20½	20	19½
104	78½	126	36	20,000,000	2	Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	91	92½	86½	85½	87	86	83½	85	
135½	45½	242	186½	12,000,000	1½	Third Avenue R. R.....	117½	114½	113½	113	113½	.....	112	111½
61½	44½	51½	38½	86,336,000	.....	Union Pacific.....	58½	59½	57½	57½	57½	57½	57½	56½
78½	73½	84½	66½	75,000,000	1½	" pfd.....	76½	76½	75½	75½	75½	75½	75½	75	
44	25½	57	42½	23,666,000	.....	U. S. Rubber.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	121	111	23,525,500	.....	" pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	10½	40½	5½	61,509,000	.....	U. S. Leather.....	13	12½	12½	11½	11½	12	.....	11½
77	70	84½	64	60,909,909	1½	" pfd.....	73½	73½	72	70½	71½	72	.....	71½
7½	6½	8½	6½	28,000,000	.....	Wabash.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23½	19½	25½	19	24,000,000	" pfd.....	22½	23½	23	23½	22½	23	22½	
88½	80½	98	82	97,370,000	1½	W. U. Telegraph.....	84½	83	84½	81½	82½	81	

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COTTON :

	Aug.	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May	July.
Opening.....	9.42	9.40
Closing	9.36	9.38

NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

STRONG LONDON OPENINGS FOLLOWED BY SOME REACTION — BANK CLEARANCES FOR THE WEEK COMPARED — A. S. W. DIRECTORS ENDORSE MR. GATES' BUNCO GAME — STEEL STOCKS MAY SELL OFF IN CONSEQUENCE.

New York, April 21.

London cables report a strong opening in that market for Americans, subsequently reacting, until prices are at about our parity. The tone is firm.

Dun's statement of bank clearances for the week shows a loss of 13.6 p.c. as compared with last year, but a gain of 57.9 over 1898.

Bradstreet in its review of the trade situation, says that trade continues good all over the country, a single exception being Chicago, where the local labor troubles are affecting business.

The export demand for iron and steel is still a feature. Trading yesterday was checked to a considerable extent awaiting the report of the A.S.W. directors' meeting the whitewash brush was used generously and Mr. Gates will still control the company's affairs, and likewise probably the market prices for its securities.

So far as we can learn, the only over-production in the iron and steel trade is with the A.S.W. Co. The action of the A. S. W. board of directors will probably be disappointment to the Street, which had looked for some radical action on their part.

We shall not be surprised if the Steel stocks sell off in consequence of that meeting.

N. Y. BANK STATEMENT.

Reserve, inc.	3,941,075
Loans, inc.	5,800,900
Specie, inc.	4,596,000
Legals, inc.	1,123,000
Deposits, inc.	3,500,000
Circulation, inc.	360,000

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, April 20.

California—250, 9½.	1900, 9¼.	250, 10.
Deer Trail—\$000, 10.		
H. Reef—1500, 12.	333, 11¼.	1000, 11¼.
Morning Glory—1000, 4.		
Van Anda—10,000, 3½.		
Vict.-Triumph—500, 2¼.		
C. G. F. S.—1000, 6¼.		
Golden Star—1000, 9.		
Montreal-Oregon—1000, 29.		

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, April 19.

Golden Star—1000, 7½.	300, 6½.
White Bear—1000, 13¼.	
Lone Pine—2,375, 14¾.	
War Eagle—1500, 14½.	
C. G. F. S.—200, 7.	
Big Three—6500, 6½.	

April 20.

Golden Star—875, 8¼.	
White Bear—3000, 1½.	
J.O. 41—1000, 2½.	

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

April 19, 1900.

Capital.	Par Value.	Symbol	Asked
1,600,000	\$1.00	Ancels	.28½
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n	.....
900,000	1.00	Ben Hur	.....
		Black Belle	11½
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee	. 6
2,000,000	1.00	Crocus	.....
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor	.17½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. Cons	.13½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. & M.	.11½
1,250,000	1.00	Dante	.14½
2,000,000	1.00	Darson	.21½
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Flower	. 4½
1,250,000	1.00	Findley	.10½
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin	.....
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign	. 9½
2,000,000	1.00	Gold Stone	.....
1,000,000	1.00	Gould	.40
		Hart	.17
		Hayden	.....
1,225,000	1.00	Independ. T. & M.	.73½
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella	1.20
500,000	1.00	Ida May	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone	.17½
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly	. 8½
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington	.15
1,000,000	1.00	Matoa	.....
600,000	1.00	Mon Anchor	.70
1,250,000	1.00	Magnet	. 3½
1,250,000	1.00	Maria A.	. 4½
		Midway	.....
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n Beauty	. 9½
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget	.22½
1,500,000	1.00	New Haven	.08½
1,250,000	1.00	Oriole	. 4½
2,000,000	1.00	Pappoose	.07½
3,000,000	1.00	Portland	2.49
1,000,000	1.00	Princess	.06½
		Raven	.68
1,250,000	1.00	Silver State	. 2½
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle	.....
1,000,000	1.00	Sacramento
		Tornado	.48
		Union	.49
1,500,000	1.00	Work	.32½
		Zenobia	.17

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MINING NEWS.

NELSON AND SLOCAN.

Work is to be resumed on the Black Prince at once.

Two car loads were lifted from the Enterprise this week, billed for the Everett smelter.

Fifteen men are at present employed on the Kilo. Surface water is a great hindrance.

The Slocan Star mine will start its concentrator on April 15, and expects to have 100 men working at that time. The managers find some difficulty in securing good men.

It is reported from the Molly Gibson that the raise is finished between No. 3 and No. 4 levels, a distance of 250 feet, and is in ore the entire distance. It is estimated that there is now \$500,000 worth of ore in sight.

T. Lloyd and Morris Davis are working the Victor claim, Ten-Mile, under lease. They have good ore to work on and they will make money. Their lease and option extends over a year. Slocan parties are part owners in the property.

During 1899 the Hall Mines smelter at Nelson produced 5,390 ounces of gold, 672,706 ounces of silver, 1,508,768 lbs. of copper and 2,030,550 lbs of lead. The Canadian Pacific smelter at Trail produced during the same time 52,218 ounces of gold, 101,410 ounces of silver and 2,578,717 lbs of copper. The value of the gold, silver, copper and lead was approximately \$2,500,000, or about one-third of the total value of the gold, silver, copper, and lead ores mined in Kootenay and Yale districts.

Twenty-four men are working at the Arlington, and the development of the property is proceeding rapidly. There is no diminution in the size of the orebody, which holds its own well as the drifts go into the hill. Surface water is beginning to give some trouble. The bad road now makes it difficult to handle supplies to the mine. Bob Allen has completed his contract of hauling the ore to the upper end of the wagon road, but Worden Bros. have several hundred sacks yet to come to town. So soon as the snow goes, the management will continue the wagon road to the mine, a distance of about two miles.

News was brought down from Ten-Mile during the week that a rich and important strike had been made on the Iron Horse claim, situated between the Enterprise and the Creek. It had been made at the foot of a winze that was being sunk on the lead in the main tunnel. The ore is claimed to be six inches wide and

of the same character and richness as the Enterprise. The Iron Horse is owned by Angus McLean and the estate of "Black Dan" McDonald, who died a year ago at New Denver. It is one of the early locations on the creek. Three weeks ago McLean resumed sinking, with the above results. The chute evidently extends under the creek, and at once demonstrates the value of the property. At the same time it shows the continuity of the veins in the granite. No vein in the camp shows a greater vertical depth than the Enterprise, extending as it does from the Iron Horse in the valley to the Ohio on the summit, as opened and exposed.

OMIR.

Work is soon to be commenced on the property of the Tamarac Mountain Gold Mining Company, which adjoins the Tamarac on Tamarac mountain.

Negotiations are still pending for the sale of the Dundee mine to the English syndicate represented by Messrs. Morrison & Marshall, and the deal is expected to go through now in about ten days.

In consequence of the very encouraging results obtained from the first operations of the Ymir Mill the price of the stock has advanced to \$7.25 per \$5 share (fully paid.)

The Canadian King mine is now shipping ore to the Northport smelter. The value of the last carload reached \$40 per ton. The shaft has now attained a great depth.

A representative of the A.B.C. arrived on Monday last and has put a force of men to work on the Mist Fraction, belonging to that corporation. The property adjoins the Ymir mine on the north.

The first month's run of the ten-stamp mill at the Yellowstone mine has resulted in a product of \$6,500 in gold bullion and about \$2000 in concentrates. Tenders are now being received for a contract for driving a tunnel 1,000 feet.

The Nevada vein is now proved to possess that feature which every mining man likes to see. On the surface it averages five feet only. In the face of the intermediate drift it is eight feet wide, while in the lower tunnel, which encountered the vein last week at a depth of about 150 feet, the vein has a width of fully 14 feet, with four feet of first class ore and the balance concentrating ore.

The exploratory work which has recently been done on the Colorado group on Porcupine Creek has opened up a remarkable vein, not less than 45 feet wide between walls. The tunnel, which has been run in 50 feet, follows the foot-wall and has exposed some remarkably rich galena ore, assaying up to \$80 in all values. Recent surface work has shown the full width of the vein, and on the hanging-wall 45 feet away, a streak of rich galena and iron sulphides was discovered. The vein has been crosscut from the foot-wall for 16 feet. A second vein, four feet wide has also been discovered on the property carrying iron and arsenical pyrites.

The work done to date on the Rainy Day consists of a shaft down 40 feet on vein No. 1. On vein No. 2 a crosscut tunnel has been run, tapping the vein at 30 feet, from which point a drift has been run on the vein 35 feet and a winze sunk 35 feet. The vein at this point is seven feet wide. No. 2 shaft on the same lead is down 45 feet, and shows a solid body of ore assaying \$40 in gold across the bottom, while picked specimens ran \$86. An open cut on the third vein, 300 feet below No. 2 shows good ore, averaging \$20 in gold. The ore in all three veins is almost entirely free milling.

Turning to the balance sheet of the Ymir mine there are found some interesting details as to the cost of mining and milling. The amount expended on development of the mine and charged to capi-

tal account was 438,800. The cost of mining handling and treating 17,522 tons of ore amounted to \$76,893, or about \$5.40 per ton, divisible as follows: Mining 17,522 tons, \$22,672; milling 17,187 tons, \$2,640; smelting crude ore and concentrates (including duty, freight and charges), 937,581; total, 476,893. Management and administration in British Columbia cost \$17,250, ar. London \$9,600, while \$11,000 is written off for depreciation. The net profit for the period which the mill has been in operation is \$100,250. Out of this \$50,000 was distributed as a 5 per cent dividend to the shareholders on the 1st of November last, and as soon as the second battery is running the directors anticipate an annual net profit of \$200,000 available for distribution.

THE PEND D'OREILLE.

M. H. W. O. Jackson has returned from a visit to the Pend d'Oreille country, and speaks most enthusiastically of it. He says in addition to being a good mining section, it abounds in fish and game, and the land is suitable for stock raising, farming and fruit raising. The Bunker Hill 10-stamp mill will be ready for operation in about two weeks. Mr. J. J. Warren is in charge of the operations. A gang of men is at work in the mine getting out ore so that there may be a good supply on hand when the stamps begin to fall. There are between 20 and 30 placer miners working along the river, who are making fair wages.

"While there," Mr. Jackson said, "I saw the biggest quartz ledge I have ever seen. It is about 80 feet wide. I do not know how rich it is, as I have not yet had it assayed. The property which the ledge is located was what I went over for the purpose of seeing."

"The section along the Pend d'Oreille reminds me of the Snake river country in Washington. I saw three good ranches along the river, and there would be others if the settlers could get a title to the land. The land is on benches, and here and there are patches of from 60 to 70 acres which have only bunches of trees here and there, and are therefore practically cleared. The soil is fertile; there is not much snow, nor is there too much rain, but in summer there is enough dew and moisture to insure crops, and the land is located principally with a southern exposure. Most of the land is on the grant awarded to the Columbia & Western railroad. There are meadows with grass that is knee high. It offers splendid opportunities to the stock raiser, the farmer and the fruit raiser. In short it is the finest land I have yet seen in the Kootenays. In addition to this, it is opened from one end to the other by a good wagon road, which was built by the mining companies which have been operating there. It is my intention to bring the matter of titles in this section to the attention of the board of trade, as the farmers are unable to secure titles, to the end that this valuable section may be settled. Why, it could produce almost enough beef, fruit and vegetables to supply a large portion of the Kootenays."

"The people of that section consider that it was a mistake to have transferred their country from the Trail Creek to the Nelson mining division, as they would much prefer to come to Rossland when they wish to transact such business as comes before the mining recorder and the gold commissioner. They think, too, that the ferry at Trail should be kept running, as it gives them a short road to Rossland."

"The country has not been thoroughly prospected, and I think it offers a splendid field for the prospector, and I intend to recommend it to my friends. It struck me as country in which there will yet be discovered a number of valuable mineral claims. It has all the earmarks of a good mining country."

MINING STOCK LIST

NAME	Morning Prices		Par Value	Capital	Divid- d'nd	When Payable	Description	LOCATION
	Asked.	Bid.						
B. O. Gold Fields	4	3	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	Gold.	Trail Creek, B. O.
Big Three	7	6	1 00	3,500,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Deer Park	5	.....	00	1,250,000	.....	.....	Gold	do
Grand Prize	3	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Gold Hills	4½	3	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Homestake	4½	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Colt	12½	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
St. Elmo	6	3	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Victory Triumph	8	4	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
White Bear	4	8	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Butte	11	10	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.	7½	6½	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
California	10½	10	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Evening Star	10	8	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Mask	75	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Monte Christo	4½	3½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields	8	5	25	800,000	.....	.....	do	do
Novelty	3	1½	1	150,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virginia	6	2	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
War Eagle	1 47	1 35	1 00	1,750,000	1½	21 paid.	do	do
Dardanelles	5	2	1 00	100,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern	6	2	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	Nelson, B.O.
Noble Five	4½	2	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo	29	22	1 00	1,250,000	.....	Monthly	Gold.	Slocan, B.O.
Slocan Sovereign	30	25	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London	31	29	24	452,000	1½	Quarterly	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.O.
Cariboo McKinney	95	.....	1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.O.
Fontenoy	.....	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Minnehaha	15	12	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Waterloo	14	13	10	100,000	.....	.....	do	do
Knob Hill	75	68	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides	80	71	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Pay Ore	8	.....	10	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Noro)	.....	27½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Rathmullen	4	3½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown	30	15	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Alice A.	12	9	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	Seine River, Ont.
Olive	75	69	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
J. O. 41	4	2	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Decca	9	7½	1 00	975,000	.....	.....	do	do
Golden Star	8	7½	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	do
Republic	1 04	1 03	1 00	3,500,000	1pc	Quarterly	do	Republic.
Jim Blaine	36	31	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Lone Pine	25	20	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Black Tail	17½	13	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Deer Trail Con.	10½	9½	1 00	2,000,000	½pc	Quarterly	do	Spokane Co., Wash
Princess Maud	11	7½	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Republic.
Smuggler	3½	6½	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	Fairview Camp, B.O.
Virtue	1 10	1 08½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne	1 20	1 17	1 00	3,000,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	35 50	33 00	25 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic	.....	.....	5 00	5,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	Cariboo District.
Van Anda	9	7½	1 00	5,000,000	.....	.....	do	Tezada Island.
Carnes Creek Cons.	10½	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Revisatoke, B.O.

BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDEEMABLE.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	192½	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do do do	101½	1925.....	" "
7,080,000	3	" "	do do	10J	Permanent.....	" "
	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbour Bonds Currency...	116	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
136,700	5	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Bennett & Bosanquet.
874,260	4	" "	do do do	101-106	1904, 1894.....	" "
22,500	6	.....	Auer Light.....	100	.....	.....
940,000	5	April Oct.	Bell Telephone.....	115	1925.....	Bank of Montreal.
	6	May Nov.	Canada Central R'y. ....	.....	1932 1st Nov	" "
2,000,000	6	2nd April Oct.	Canada Colored Cotton Mills.	100	1902 April	" "
3,423,000	5	1st April Oct.	Canadian Pacific R'y. Land Grant...	110	1931.....	" "
200,000	5	1st May Nov.	Canada Paper Co.....	106½	1917	" "
{ 20,000,000	4	Ja. Ap. Ju. Oo	Commercial Cable Coupons. }	103½	2397	.....
			do do Registered. }			
4300,000	4½	Jan. July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st Jan	.....
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	Halifax Electric Tramway.	105	1916 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
350,000	5	1st Ap'l 1st Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1918 April	Bank of Montreal
	6	2nd Jan. July	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Jo.	100	1910.....	" "
	5	" "	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	.....	.....
292,000	5	1st Mch 1st Sep.	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1900 1st Mch	.....
681,333	4½	1st Feb. 1st Aug	do do	.....	1922 1st Aug	.....
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	Peoples Heat & Light	69	1917 April	Merchants Bank of Halifax
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Richelien & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	.....
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric. ....	.....	.....	.....
2,789,833	4½	Mch Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	103	1931 31st Aug	.....
450,000	4½	1st Jan. July	Windsor Hotel.....	100	1912.....	Bank of Montreal.
			Dom. Coal Bonds.....	110½	.....	.....

*The accrued interest upon all Bonds, Debentures, Dominion Stock and Montreal Corporation Stock sold in this Market is payable by the purchaser in addition to market price.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO MARKET—April 21, 1900.

From the Bartlett Frazier Co., Chicago. H. J. Coon, Manager, 39 St. Sacramento St.

WHEAT STEADY — CORN STRONG —
THE FUTURE IS A WORLD OF SHORTS IN
CORN, AND WHEN THEY WILL BE-
GAIN TO COVER THERE WILL BE A
WILD FIRE — PROVISIONS VERY
WEAK.

Chicago, April 21.

Liverpool—Wheat closed steady, un-
changed. Corn steady, 1/2 higher, with
good demand.

Paris—Wheat 5 to 10 lower; Sept. and
Dec. 5 higher.

Closing wheat, May 5.9; July 5 8 1/2.
Closing corn, May, 4.0 3/4; July 3.11 3/4.

New York opened dull, 1/8 higher, now
steady at advance.

Chicago—Wheat opened steady and un-
changed. Estimates world's shipments
next Monday about 8 millions.

There is no change in the general situa-
tion and we think that when May liqui-
dation over market will do better.

Corn—On higher cables opened strong
at 1/2 advance and steady; cables some-
times strong with good demand. Think we
had our break yesterday. Think corn a
purchase on any setback.

Those who were plugging corn at 34
are buying back at 39 3/8.

Oats steady, 1/2 higher. Would change
over long May oats to July. Think dif-
ference will widen.

Provisions opened weak; everything
lard and ribs very weak. Pork neglected.
See no good buying. Without local sup-
port, think market will sell lower.

Hogs to-day, 13,000; to-morrow, 29,000.

N. W. cars: Minn., 163, Duluth 64. Last
week 700; last year 291.

Car lots wheat estimates 35, receipts,
33; contract, 2; shipments, 144,335 spring

Car lots corn estimates 250; receipts,
206; contract, 139; shipments, 397,153.

Car lots oats estimates 185; receipts,
124; contract, 20; shipments, none.

Primary receipts:
Last week, receipts, 765,326; shipments
321,890.

Last year, receipts, 387,312; 84,824

Four ports last year, receipts 54,342;
shipments, 353,370.

Exports flour last year, 47,505 barrels.

—CLOSING PRICES APR. 12 TO APR. 20.

—TO-DAY'S PRICES.

	12	17	18	19	20	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat—									
May.....	00 1/2	00 1/2 B	00	60 1/2 B	05 1/2	05 1/2-1/2	05 1/2-1/2	05 1/2	05 1/2-1/2
July.....	07 1/2 A	07 1/2 A	07 1/2 B	00 1/2-1/2	00 1/2 A	00 1/2-1/2	00 1/2-1/2	00 1/2	08 1/2-1/2
Sept.....	08 1/2 N	08 1/2 A	08 1/2-1/2	07 1/2-1/2	07 1/2 B	07 1/2-1/2	07 1/2-1/2	07 1/2	07 1/2-1/2
Corn—									
May.....	38 1/2-1/2 B	38 1/2 A	30 1/2-1/2	38 1/2 B	38 1/2 B	38 1/2-1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
July.....	39 1/2-1/2 B	39 1/2-1/2 A	40 1/2-1/2 B	39 1/2 A	39 1/2-1/2	39 1/2-1/2	39 1/2-1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2-1/2
Sept.....	40 1/2-1/2 B	40 B	40 1/2 A	40 1/2 B	40 B	40 1/2-1/2	40 1/2-1/2	40 1/2-1/2	40 1/2-1/2
Oats—									
May.....	24 1/2-1/2	23 1/2 B	23 1/2 A	23 1/2 B	23	23-1/2	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
July.....	24 1/2	23 1/2 A	23 1/2 B	23 1/2 B	23-1/2	23 1/2-1/2	23 1/2	23	23-1/2
Sept.....	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	23 1/2 B	22 1/2-1/2 B	22 1/2	22 1/2-1/2	22-1/2	22-1/2
Pork—									
May.....	12 07	13 00 A	12 95	13 00	12 90 A	12 82	12 92	12 75	12 77
July.....	12 80	13 15 B	13 10 B	13 15	13 00	12 95	13 00	12 80	12 85
Sept.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lard—									
May.....	7 00	7 30 A	7 25	7 2 1/2 B	7 10	7 05	7 05	6 95	6 95
July.....	7 07	7 37	7 35	7 32 A	7 17-20	7 12-15	7 12-15	7 05-07	7 05-7
Sept.....	7 15-7	7 45	7 40	7 37 A	7 25	7 20	7 20	7 10	7 10
Slaughter—									
May.....	7 00	7 22	7 15-7	7 15-7	7 05 A	7 00	7 00	6 92	6 92
July.....	7 09	7 20-2	7 17	7 15-7	7 05 B	6 97-7	7 02	6 95	6 95
Sept.....	7 00	7 20	7 12-5	7 10-2	7 02	6 97	6 97	6 95	6 95

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS	Shares.	Par Value	CAPITAL.		Rest as per Last Statement.	Div. per cent.	Buy- or- sell.
			Paid up.	.....		
MISCELLANEOUS.							
British America.....	50	\$ 750,000	\$ 750,000	\$ 750,000	.....	3 1/2	115 1/2
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,296,743	.....	5	157 1/2
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	125,000	.....	.....	10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	100,000	.....	.....	7 1/2	277 1/2
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	250,000	250,000	47,821	.....	.....	147 1/2
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	1,700,000	.....	.....	2 1/2 qr	213
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40	400,000	400,000	.....	.....	.....	54
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000	60,000	.....	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100	1,400,000	1,400,000	.....	.....	1 1/2	133
..... New.....	.....	240,000	240,000	.....	.....	1 1/2	131
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	900,000	40,000	.....	4	168 1/2
..... " " " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	300,000	.....	.....	3	108
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	250,000	60,000	.....	1	80
LOAN and SAVINGS CO.							
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100	398,481	398,481	120,000	.....	3	.....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	750,000	100,000	.....	1	38
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,000,000	1,000,000	350,000	.....	3	80
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	2,000,000	1,200,000	.....	.....	108
..... 20 per cent.....	.....	600,000	600,000	.....	.....	.....	130
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	734,175	220,000	.....	3	114
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	875,000	360,000	.....	1 1/2 qr	134 1/2
..... 20 per cent.....	.....	325,000	325,000	.....	.....	.....	128
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	930,627	10,000	.....	2 1/2	75
Freehold.....	100	476,100	476,100	300,000	.....	3	77
..... 20 per cent.....	.....	843,000	843,000	.....	.....	3	7 1/2
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100	1,100,000	1,100,000	300,000	.....	3	11 1/2
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	1,000,000	750,000	.....	4 1/2	17 1/2
..... 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	400,000	.....	.....	4 1/2	169
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100	725,155	725,155	160,000	.....	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	700,000	160,000	.....	3	112
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	700,000	210,000	.....	1 1/2 qr	50
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	631,500	83,000	.....	3	106
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	550,000	100,000	.....	3	95
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	375,000	50,000	.....	.....	45
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	210	730,000	730,000	418,533	.....	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	1,200,000	490,000	.....	3 1/2	121
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,429	599,429	40,000	.....	.....	112
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	373,720	50,000	.....	2	63
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	600,000	600,000	105,000	.....	3	127
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,620	699,620	200,000	.....	1	28
Western Canada " " " " 25 per cent.....	.....	1,000,000	1,000,000	770,000	.....	3	65
.....	.....	500,000	500,000	.....	.....	3	80

* After deducting \$511,982 for reinsurance † After deducting \$792,049 for reinsurance. ‡ Tax rights.
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