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Montreal Stock Market.

WALL STREET SEMI-PANIC CAUSES DULNESS HERE — MONEY OUTLOOK EXPECTED TO BRIGHTEN. —MARKET QUIET.

The market opened this morning with operators feinting, no sales being made in the first call. The Wall Street semi-panic caused a flutter of excitement among the local Goules, but the quotations on the board were wide and safe. The trading was light and in some instances considerably below yesterday's close. Pacific was off in London, but the bulk of the trading here was above the close yesterday. Montreal Street sold down to 319, good increases in earnings continue. The mining issues were steady but trading was light. The close of the market looked like higher prices all round.

Sales were scattered in the mining issues War Eagle selling at 370 and 369, Republic at 131 and 130, and Montreal-London, for a block, sold at 67½.

Canadian Pacific was inactive round 97½. In the railways New Street sold for 319 and Toronto for 118.

MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—5, 97. 800, 97½.
 New Montreal Street—100, 319.
 Twin City—100, 70. 50, 69½. 100, 70. 50, 69½.
 Toronto Ry—50, 118.
 Montreal-London—770, 67½.
 Payne Mining Co—200, 389.
 Dom. Cotton—15, 112.
 War Eagle—500, 370. 500, 369.
 Republic—500, 131. 500, 130.
 Rich. & O—75, 118.
 Hx. Heat & Light—25, 24½.
 Can. Col. Cotton Bonds—1500, 101½.
 Bank of Commerce—25, 153.
 Com. Cable—25, 186½.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

Stocks were quiet to-day and prices about stationary.

There were several shares of War Eagle sold at 370½-371, the trading being strong, sellers asking 375 at the close.

Big three was quiet, selling round 23. The sentiment at the close was more bullish than at the opening.

There were, however, few distinguishing features. Montreal-London showed some life and strength around 66½, and Golden Star sold for 500 shares at 62.

The sales were as follows:

War Eagle—100, 370½. 1000, 371.
 Montreal-London—60, 65½. 500, 66½.
 Big Three—500, 23.
 Iron Colt—1000, 12.
 Novelty—1000, 4.
 Virginia—500, 24.
 Golden Star—500, 62.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

May 13, 1899.

	Asked.	Bid.
\$2.50 Payne	4.00	3.92
1.00 War Eagle	3.75	3.70
1.00 Republic	1.33	1.31½
1.00 Virtue	.76	.70
.25 Montreal London	.67	.65
1.00 Big Three	.24	.23
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.30	.20
1.00 California	.08	.05½
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn.	.06	.05
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic	1.44	1.38
1.00 City of Paris	.66	.64
1.60 Evening Star	.11	.10
.25 Fern	.45	....
1.00 Gold Hills Developing	.10	.05
1.00 Iron Colt	.13	.11½
1.00 Iron Mask	....	....
1.00 Knob Hill	.95	.92
1.00 Monte Christo Con.	.12½	.11
.25 Montreal Gold Fields	.21½	.20
1.00 Noble Five	.30	.27
.10 Novelty	.06	.04
1.00 Old Ironsides	1.15	1.09
1.00 Virginia	.25	.20
1.00 Rambler Cariboo	.40	.34
1.00 Bullion	....	....
.10 Summit	.05	.02½
1.00 St. Elmo	.06	.02
1.00 Burk'y	.13	.10
1.00 Decca	.27½	.26
1.00 Morrison	.18	.17
1.00 Golden Star	.64	.60½
1.00 Slocan Sov	.30½	.22

STRAWS.

Another big day for Street Railway earnings.

Wall Street weak on Flower's death. But for this, Pacific would have sold a cent higher.

Montreal-London keeps strong.

Twin City lower—68½ in New York.

No indications of easier money yet.

SPECIALS.

ROSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE.

Rosland, May 12

Sales on the Rosland Stock Exchange:—
 Rambler Cariboo 1000, 32; 1000 32; 1000, 32½.
 2500 32½. 1500, Tamarac 15½; 1000 16. 1000.
 Monte Christo 11½; 1000, Dardanelles 11½
 500, 11½. 300 Lone Pine 41½. 1000, Deer
 Park 5; 2000, 5½.

VANCOUVER MINING EXCHANGE.

Vancouver, B.C., May 12.

Sales:—Monte Christo 15000, 11½. Northern Belle 1000, 1000, 1000, 500, 600, 3½. St. Paul 000, 2. Blue Belle 1000, 1000, 1000, 8. Dardanelles 1000, 2000, 2000, 2000, 2000, 1000, 12½. Rambler Cariboo 1000, 1000, 26½. Golden Cache 5000, 1. St. Keveergne 1700 3½. Vananda 500, 500, 6½. Nelson Poorman 1000, 17½; 1000, 18.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, May 12.

Morning sales:—Golden Star, 500, 52½; 500, 500, 54½; Sentinel, 500, 16½; Minnehaha, 500, 26; Smuggler, 1000, 500 34; Morrison, 500, 17½; Dardanelles, 500, 12½; 500, 1¼; 500, 13; 500, 12½ 500, 33. Rambler Cariboo 500, 35; 500 35½; Van Anza, 500. 500, 500, 500, 7; Big Three, 500, 500, 22½; Deer Park. 500, 5½; 5000, 5; Iron Colt, 500, 11½; Mont. Christo, 1000, 11½.

LONDON AND PARIS.

May 13, 1899.

Bank of England rate	.....	3
Open discount rate	.....	2½
Paris Rentes	.....	102-50
French Exchange	.....	25f. 20½
Consols, money	.....	110½
Canadian Pacific	.....	100½
New York Central	.....	136
St. Paul	.....	127½
Union Pacific	.....	78½

DEWAR'S SPECIAL LIQUEUR IS UNDOUBTEDLY THE GENTLEMAN'S WHISKY.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE—CLOSING PRICES.

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

Saturdays—10.30 to 12 noon.

CAP.	REST.	Next div. pbl.	Value shares.	Last 1/2 y. div.	STOCKS.	May 9.		May 10.		May 11.		May 12.		May 13.	
						Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sell.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.
BANKS.															
12,000,000	6,000,000	June.	200	5	Bank of Montreal.....	280	250	280	250	280	250	260	250	260	250
6,000,000	2,600,000	"	100	4	Merchants Bank of Can	174	170	172 1/2	171	174	172	175	170	174	171
6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3 1/2	Canadian Bank of Com	165	162	165	162	155	151	155	162	155	152
4,866,666	1,387,000	Oct.	50	2 1/2	British North America.										
3,000,000	650,000	June.	100	3	Quebec Bank.....	127	123	127	123	128	125	123	123		
2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto.....	260	245	260	245	260	245	260	245	260	245
2,000,000	1,500,000	Oct.	50	4	Molson's Bank.....	200	197	200	193	205	195	200	198	200	197 1/2
2,000,000	1,200,000	June.	100	4	Imperial Bank.....										215 1/2
2,000,000	1,170,000	"	100	4	Ottawa.....										
2,000,000	800,000	"	50	4	Standard.....										
2,000,000	1,600,000	May.	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia..										
2,000,000	1,175,000	"	100	3 1/2	Merch'ts Bk. of Halifax.	180		180		180		180		180	
2,000,000	350,000	June.	60	3	Union Bank.....	120		120		120		120		120	
1,500,000	1,500,000	Aug.	50	3 1/2	Dominion Bank.....										
1,500,000	835,000	Oct.	50	3 1/2	Eastern Townships Bk	156		156		155		156		156	
1,325,900	838,798	Aug.	100	4	Hamilton.....										
1,200,000	100,000	May.	30	3	Banque Nationale.....					96		96			
1,202,900	450,000	June.	100	3 1/2	Hochelega Bank.....										
1,000,000	85,000	"	100	2 1/2	Ontario Bank.....	135	124		124	135	123	135	124	135	124
334,430	118,000	"	100	3 1/2	Western Bk of Can.....										
500,000	250,000	Oct.	25	3	Jacques Cartier Bank...	114	111	114	111	114	111	114	111	114	111
479,620	10,000	June.	100	3	Banque Ville Marie....	100	90	100	90	100	90	100	90	100	90
MISCELLANEOUS															
65,000,000		Oct.	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry....	97	96 1/2	98	97 1/2	93	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
12,000,000			100		Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	5 1/2	5	5 1/2	5	5	4 1/2	5	4 1/2	5	4
10,000,000			100		Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr	13 1/2	12 1/2	14	13	14	12	13 1/2	12 1/2	14	12
10,000,000	2,608,329	July.	100	1 1/2 q	Commercial Cable.....	187 1/2	185	188	185	189	185	188	185	188	185
2,000,000		Aug.	40	2 q	Montreal Telegraph....	175	173	180	172 1/2	175	174	180	170	175	172 1/2
1,350,000		May.	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co ..	112	110 1/2	112	111 1/2	113	112 1/2	113 1/2	113	113 1/2	112 1/2
4,600,000	334,247	"	50	2 1/2 q	Montreal Street Ry Co.	323 1/2	322 1/2	328 1/2	323	324	323 1/2	321 1/2	320	325	322 1/2
					New Montreal Street....	322	321	327	324	322	319	317 1/2	317	319	318 1/2
15,010,000		Jan.	100		Twin City.....	69 1/2	69 1/2	71	70 1/2	70 1/2	71	70 1/2	70	69 1/2	
2,997,794		Aug.	40	5	Montreal Gas Co.....	206	202	203	202	208	203	205	203 1/2	208	203 1/2
2,000,000			1	1 1/2 m	War Eagle.....	366	365	372	369	368 1/2	367	372	370 1/2	370	367
		July.		4 1/2 q	Mont. & London M. Co.	68	65	68	62	65	60	70	64	69	67
1,250,000			1	1 m	Cariboo Mng. M. & S. Co										
2,500,000			2.50	1 m	Payne Mining Co.....	395	385	395	385	395	380	390	385	390	382
3,168,000	910,000	July.	100	2 q	Bell Telephone Co.....	180	177 1/2	180	177 1/2	180	179	185	180	182	181
1,500,000		Aug.	100	2 q	Royal Electric.....	188 1/2	185	187	185 1/2	187 1/2	187 1/2	188	187	188	185
6,000,000	814,254	"	100	1 q	Toronto Street Ry.....	117	116 1/2		117 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	118	117 1/2	
800,000		"	100	1 1/2 q	Halifax Tram Co.....	114	110	114	111	115	110	115	110	114	110
100,000			100		Cornwall Street Ry.....										
700,000			100		People's Heat & Light..	30	20	30	20	30	20	30		27	23
			100		Republic.....	132	130	132 1/2	131	133	130	131 1/2	130	130	129 1/2
500,000		June.	100	1 1/2 q	St. John Railway Co....	157		160		160		160		160	
350,000		July.	40	2 q	London Street Ry.....										
5,642,925			100		Can. N. W. Land Pfd....			57	51						
1,467,684					" " Com.....										
15,000,000			100		Dominion Coal Co.....	55	50	55	50			55	52 1/2	55	53
2,000,000		July.	100	4	Dominion Coal Co. pr..										
500,000		Dec.	100	6 pa	Windsor Hotel.....	110	105		107 1/2	120	105		105		110
500,000			100		Intercolonial Coal Co..										
250,000			100	7 pa	Do. pref. stock.....										
1,500,000		June.	100	2 q	Montreal Cotton Co....	160	154	160	155	160	154	162 1/2	155 1/2	160	155
2,750,000		July.	100		Colored Cotton Co.....	85	78	85	75	85	79	85	79	85	79
600,000		Aug.	100	4	Merchants Cotton Co..										
3,100,000		June.	100	1 1/2 q	Dominion Cotton Co....	113 1/2	111 1/2	114	110	111 1/2	110	112	111	113	111
500,000	350,000	Sept.	25	3 1/2	Mont. Loan & Mort Co.										
814,800		Oct.	50	3 1/2	Western Loan & Tr....	100		100		100		100		100	

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NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.—May 13, 1899.

GOVERNOR FLOWER'S DEATH CAUSES HEAVY REACTION—SATISFACTORY BANK STATEMENT.

New York, May 13.

London market is demoralized, prices are down 1 to 2½.

Foreigners sold from 25 to 40,000 shares in all.

Gov. Flower's death will undoubtedly hit the market hard, but we do not expect any panic and have reason to believe that the market will be supported.

The interests associated with Flower, such as D. O. Mills, A. Brady and the Rockfellers, will undoubtedly consult their best interest by taking care of the market. We advise no precipitate action on liquidation.

The death of Gov. Flower is a terrible blow, not only for Wall street but for the country at large. He was a recognized leader among men and particularly during the past few years he has been regarded as the one man in Wall street. Naturally his sudden death is a calamity that cannot be fully realized at the moment.

The pool in sugar is most confident of higher prices.

There was little new in the stock market yesterday. Both speculative parties are to some extent threshing old straw. The bears are still talking about the heavy falling off in the condition of the winter wheat crop in the larger surplus states and are solemnly delivering orations upon the great danger involved in the extravagant over-capitalization of new industrial combinations.

These arguments for a decline have been heard for the last two months, and they had sufficient merit, coupled with some untoward accidents, like the Populist Tax Law driven through the New York Legislature in the closing days of its session, to produce a decline in prices of stocks from 8 to 15 p.c. on the average.

These declines did not come about gradually, and under a so to speak rotting away process. To a large extent they have been violent—sufficiently so to have produced an enormous liquidation of long accounts at the Stock Exchange.

N. Y. BANK STATEMENT.

Reserve, Inc	7,785,675
Loans, Dec	5,956,700
Specie, Inc	8,205,600
Legals, Inc	64,300
Deposits, Inc	1,946,900
Circulation, Dec	55,700

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—CLOSING PRICES FROM MAY 6 TO MAY 12—

	6	8	9	10	11	12	TO-DAY'S PRICES	TO-DAY'S PRICES	TO-DAY'S PRICES	TO-DAY'S PRICES
							Open'g	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Air Brake.....										
Am. Cotton Oil Co.....	36½	35½	35			35½	35½	35½	35½	35½
“ Sugar.....	155	153	147½	149½	148½	154½	148½	152	146½	149½
“ Spirits Mfg. Co.....	12				12		11½			
“ S.W. Co.....	67½	65	63½	66½	65½	65½	54	62½	54	61½
“ Tin Plate.....		42	41	41½		41½		39	37½	39
“ Tobacco.....		214	200½	212	102½	102	69	99½	97½	98½
Anaconda Copper.....	58½	56½	54½	57½	58½	59½	55½	58½	54½	57
Atch T. & S. Fo.....	18½	17½	17½	18½	18½	18½	17	18½	17	17½
“ “ pfd.....	56½	55	53½	55½	55	55½	54	54½	53½	53½
Baltimore & Ohio.....										
Bay State Gas.....										
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.....	129	120½	115½	122½	119½	118½	110	110	100	106½
C.C.C. & St. L.....	56	54	52½	54½	55	55				
Canadian Pacific.....	97	98		98	98	97½				
Canada Southern.....	55	54½	53	54½	54	54				
Chesapeake & Ohio.....	26½	25½	25	26	25½	25½				
Chicago & Great Western.....	14	14	13½	14½	14½	14½				
“ B. & Q.....	133½	131½	128½	133½	132	132½	129½	131½	128½	130½
“ Mil. & St. P.....	124½	123½	121½	124½	123½	124	121	123½	121	122
“ R. I. & Pacific.....	113½	112½	111½	112½	112½	111½	108	110	117½	109½
“ & Northwest.....	153	152	151½	154	153½	153	151½	152½	151½	152½
“ & Northwest pfd.....										
Central Pacific.....										
Consolidated Gas.....	186	189½	186½	187	185	186				
Continental Tobacco.....	55½	51½	48½	52½	52½	53	49	51	46½	50½
Delaware & Hudson.....	118	116	116	119½	117½	118½				
Del. Laok. & Western.....	169	168	165	166	167½					116½
Denver & Rio Grand Pfd.....	76	75½		76	76½		76			76
Duluth com.....	5	5½								
“ pfd.....	13	13								
Erie.....										
General Electric.....	118	119½	116	118	117	117½	116	116	115	115
Glucose.....	70	69½	68	69½	69	68	65	67	65	67
Fed. Steel Com.....	64½	61	59½	63½	62½	61½	58	58	50½	55½
“ “ pfd.....	84	80½	80½	83½	82½	81½	77	77½	72½	77½
Lake Shore.....										
Louisville & Nashville.....	65½	64½	64½	65½	65½	65½				
Manhattan com.....	113½	113½	109	112	111	111½	106	109½	105	107½
Met. Street Ry. Co.....	235	230	224	224	220	222½	215½	220½	215½	218½
Missouri Kan. & T. pfd.....	38½	35½	31½	32½	34½					
Missouri Pacific.....	45½	44½	42½	44½	44½	44½	41½	43½	41½	43
Nat. Lead.....		32	32½	32½	33½	32½	31	31	30½	30½
New Jersey Central.....	116	114½	114	113½	113½	118	110	112	108	112
New York Central.....	135	132½	131½	133½	132½	133½	130½	131½	130½	131
Northern Pacific.....	50½	49½	48½	50½	50½	50½	48½	49½	48½	49½
“ “ pfd.....	78½	77½	77	77½	77	77½		77	76½	76½
Omaha.....	94	93½	92½	95						
Ontario & Western.....	25½	25	23½	25½	24½	24½	23½	24½	23½	23½
Pacific Mail.....	49½	49½	47½	49½	50½	50½	48½	50	48½	49½
Pennsylvania R. R.....	124	126½	125½	128	128½	128½	126	127½	126	127½
Peo. Gas L. & Coke Co.....	124	120½	117½	121½	121	119½	112-101	116	101	112½
Pressed Steel.....	54½									
“ “.....			32							
Pullman Palace Car Co.....										
Reading.....	20	20½	20½	20½	20½	20½				
“ 1st Pfd.....	58	56	55½	50½	55½	57	19½			19½
Southern Pacific.....	31	30	29½	28½	30½	29½				
Southern Railroad Pfd.....	51	50½	50½	52	51½	51½	49½	51	48	50½
Twin City.....	72½	71½	70½	70½	71					
Texas Pacific.....	21½	21½	19	19½	19½		19	69	68½	69
Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	60½	59½	58½	59½	58	59	59	59	56½	57½
Third Avenue R. R.....				205						
Union Pacific.....	44	42½	41½	43½	42½	43½	41½	42	40½	41½
“ “ pfd.....	76½	75½	74½	76½	76½	76½	74½	75½	74½	75
U. S. Rubber.....	51½	49½	49½	50½	50½		47½	48½	47½	48½
“ “ pfd.....										
U. S. Leather.....										
“ “ pfd.....	70½	70½	67½	70½	70	70½	68½	69½	68½	69
Webash.....										
“ pfd.....	21½	21½	20½	21½	21½	21½				
W. U. Telegraph.....	91½	91½	90½	91½	91½	92		91½	91½	91½

*Ex-Div. 1 p.c. †Ex-Div. 2½. ‡Ex-D. 3 p.c. †On new basis. †Ex-D. 2 p.c. *Ex-D. xEx-D. 1½. p.c. †Ex-D. 1½ p.c. †Ex-D. 3½ p.c. †Ex-D. 1½ p.c. zEx-rights.

COTTON:	Aug.	Oct.	Jan.	July.	March
Opening.....	5.93	5.90	6.00	5.93	6.05
Closing	5.90	5.89	5.98	5.89	6.04

MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

May 11, \$4,038.49 Inc. \$313.57

TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

May 7, \$1,848.69 Inc. 471.63
 “ 8, 3,012.70 “ 109.27
 “ 9, 3,040.24 Dec. 131.27

LONDON CABLE.

O. Meredith & Co.'s Cable gives the following London quotations:
 Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p. c.....86½
 “ 1st preference.....78½
 “ 2nd “.....54½
 “ 3rd “.....22½
 G. T. R. Com.....
 C. P. R100½

CHICAGO MARKET.

CABLES STEADY — CORN FIRM —
OATS SHOW SIGNS OF STRENGTH.

Chicago, May 13.

Wheat opened steady at about last night's close.

Cables were at a decline of 1/4. The weather reports continue to be conflicting, and in some cases are delaying seeding operations.

The situation is far from being altogether satisfactory and unless an improvement should occur shortly it may become serious.

Reports from Buffalo to-day are of a more encouraging nature, and the indications are for an early settlement.

Oats have been showing good strength of late, and we regard both July and September oats a good purchase on any reactions, fluctuations will no doubt occur and should be made use of.

With regard to the spring wheat and corn crops, a season of uncertainty undoubtedly lies ahead, yet, the preponderance of evidence is in favor of an increase in the area sown to spring wheat, and it is a well-known fact that some seasons which have been detrimental to autumn-sown wheat, have witnessed liberal spring wheat harvests.

The corn crop is exposed to the danger of summer drought and early autumn frosts, but this much must be conceded that a largely increased acreage will be planted in corn, to furnish an important margin of danger against misfortune, in the course of the corn crop season.

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

Week ending April 30:	Prev. week.	Inc.	Reots.
Receipts \$2,001.75	\$1,981.25		\$20.50
Apr. '98 ... \$8,478.85	Passengers 185,036		
" '98 ... \$2,259.10	" " 165,182		
Week ending May 7.	Prev. week.	Dec.	
Receipts ... \$1,941.95	\$2,001.75	\$59.80	
Receipts to date			
May, 1899	\$1,941.95		
" 1898	1,822.80		

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Money on call from Banks to Brokers 5%.	
OVER THE COUNTER.	PARIS FINANCES.
Sixties	97 1/2
Demand	97 1/2
Cables	97 1/2
N. Y. Fds.	1/2 - 1/4 pm
DOCUMENTARY.	NEW YORK.
3 days	Call money ... 4-5 p.c.
60 days	St'g Dm. 4 87 1/2
	Sixties
	4 84 1/2

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	CLOSING PRICES MAY 8 TO MAY 12.					TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	8	9	10	11	12	Op. Aug.	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Wheat—									
May	70 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	69	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
July	71 1/2	72 1/2	72	70	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	70
Sept	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2-70 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Corn—									
May	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33	32 1/2	32 1/2
July	33	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Sept	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Oats—									
May	20 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	20	20 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	25 1/2	26 1/2
July	23 1/2	23	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Sept	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Pork—									
May	8 45	8 35	8 25	8 12	8 15	8 15-17	.....	.....	8 25
July	8 60	8 50	8 40	8 27	8 80	8 30	8 42	8 30	8 40
Sept	8 75	8 65	8 55	8 45	8 45	8 50	8 57	8 50	8 57
Lard—									
May	5 04	4 72	4 90	4 87	4 02	.....	.....	.....	5 00
July	5 10	5 02	4 97	4 97	4 97-5	4 97-5 02	5 07-10	4 97	5 07
Sept	5 22	5 15	5 12	5 07	5 12	5 12	5 22	5 12	5 22
Short ribs—									
May	4 60	4 55	4 52	4 50	4 55	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	4 70	4 65	4 62	4 60	4 65	4 67	.....	.....	4 47
Sept	4 85	4 77	4 75	4 75	4 77-80	4 77	4 85	4 77	4 85
Puts and Calls for May 15. —									
Puts, July Wheat.....					69 1/2				33 1/2
Calls, " "					70 1/2				33 1/2
Puts, July Corn.....									33 1/2
Calls, " "									33 1/2

NEWS OF THE MINES.

THE YELLOWSTONE PLANT.

Mr. Aldrich, who has the contract for installing the plant of the Yellowstone group near Sulmo, is in the city. He reports that the plant, which consists of a hoist, boilers and a five-drill compressor, will be ready to start in a few days. It was a big task and it was not accomplished without a good deal of hard work. The intention of the parties who are operating the Yellowstone is to push work on the property with greater vigor than ever, soon as the plant can be operated. The showing on the Yellowstone group indicates that the mineral deposits are large and of high grade.

SNOWSHOE PROPERTY BOUNDARY DISTRICT.

A. J. McMillan has purchased a large hoisting and pumping plant from the James Cooper Manufacturing Company for the Snowshoe property in the Boundary country. The intention is to begin the development of the Snowshoe on an extensive scale. This property was recently bonded by Mr. McMillan for one of his London companies. It has a fine surface showing, and is considered to be among the better class of properties in the Boundary Creek country.

WORK ON THE SWANSEA.

There was a report extant recently to the effect that a rich strike of copper ore had been made on the Swansea claim, in the Windermere country, which is being operated by the Darby Mining company, but it could not be traced to a reliable source. It was learned, however, that the shaft is now down to a depth of 90 feet, and that cross-cutting has been commenced at that point for the purpose of tapping the ledge, which is supposed to be only a short distance away from the shaft. There are ample funds in the treasury, and the intention is to carry on work uninterruptedly during the coming summer and fall.

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

May 12, 1899.

	Bid.	Asked.
Anchoria-Leland .....	.....	.....
Battle Mt'n .....	.32	.20
Columb-Victor .....	.20	.20 1/2
Elkton .....	.89 1/2	.90 1/2
Gold Coin	1.9 1/2	2.00
Gold King .....	.....	.....
Independent T. & M .....	.6 1/2	.63 1/2
Isabella .....	.87 1/2	.88 1/2
Jack Pot43 1/2	.43 1/2
Matoa36 1/2	.39
Moon Anchor	1.11	1.15
Portland	1.97 1/2
Work19	.19 1/2

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