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Montreal Stock Market.

BUSINESS MARKED TIME TO-DAY EXCEPT IN COMMERCIAL CABLE. — VIRTUE LISTED TO-DAY IN MONTREAL AND TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGES — MONEY SITUATION STILL IMPROVES.

Montreal, Oct. 30.

Opinions did not vary about the general market. This at London and New York was fairly bullish, almost all stock getting a share in the moderate advances on the whole list. Consols quoted higher and discount as somewhat lower with American railway stocks at a little advance, proved London to be acting satisfactorily to traders and quotations from Wall Street showed a steadily rising market. About the local market, however, one opinion was that it was dull, another that there was some business done. The sales given below show a broad market with no pronounced characteristic except the 6 point advance of Commercial Cable and the 13,000 share transaction in Virtue which was to-day listed on the Stock Exchanges of Montreal and Toronto. This mining stock had a very good reception as it sold at 45½, 46, 47, a considerable advance on prices lately. It is the fifth active mining stock on the Exchange list.

Commercial Cable on good buying rose 3 points on the first, 3 points more on the second, 1 point more on the third and 2 points more on the fourth sale. This advance is out of line with the general movements of to-day and suggests inside buying of the stock. Bank of British North America advanced 2 points, selling at 122. Montreal Gas added 1 to its market price of Friday. Duluth Com., advanced ½ and sold at 6 and 6½, while Twin City scored 62½, that is ½ higher.

Toronto Railway, Royal Electric, Montreal Telegraph, Dominion Cotton, and Republic held practically the same price as before. Canadian Pacific at 95½ lost ½ and

Payne at 104 was off to the extent of 1 point. It had been hoped that the market which for the last two days had been doing little else than merely marking time, would on the publication of bank statement have marched forward, but it has not except in Cable. Business has been done generally at the old prices.

MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—25, 95½.
Com. Cable—50, 185. 50, 183. 50, 189.
Twin City—100, 62½.
Tor. Ry.—50, 109½.
Payne—1000, 10½.
Dul. Com.—1300, 6. 200, 0½.
Roy. Elco—20, 158.
Mo. Gas—25, 195.
War Eagle—500, 285.
Mont. Teleg.—113, 175.
Dom. Cot.—25, 101.
Electric, new—10, 156.
Virtue—3500, 45½. 4000, 46. 1000, 47.
Republic—750, 120.
B. of Br. N. A.—15, 122.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—50, 95½.
Com. Cable—25, 189.
Twin City—25, 62½.
Tor. Ry.—75, 109½. 50, 109½. 100, 109.
War Eagle—500, 284.
Dul. Com.—25, 6½. 200, 6.
Mo. St. Ry.—100, 311½.
Virtue—2500, 48.
Can. Col. Cot. Bds—1000, 100½. 300, 101.
Intcol. Coal Bds—20, 25.

SAUERBACK'S INDEX NUMBERS.

The price of commodities ... number 100 is as follows in A. Sauerback's index numbers of the prices of 45 commodities :

	Aver.	Dec.	Sep.
	1899-98	1893	1899
Vegetable food (corn, ect.)...	62	62.4	60.0
Animal food (meat and butter)...	80	76.9	40.0
Sugar, coffee and tea ...	65	52.5	52.8
Minerals.....	69	75.7	97.7
Textiles.....	57	49.9	60.7
Sundry materials... ..	68	63.1	66.5

SCANDALOUS TRAFFIC IN CONTRACTS ON THE PART OF DOUBLE-BARRELLED DIRECTORS IN TWO PROMINENT COMPANIES. PARTICULARS TO-MORROW. \$750,000 DIVIDED ON ONE CONTRACT.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY EARNINGS.

	Sep. 1899	Jan 1 to Sept. 30, 1899.
Gross earnings.	\$3,649,785.37	\$20,197,810.81
Working expenses	1,502,899.82	12,036,878.70
Net profits	\$1,146,885.55	\$ 8,160,932.11
Gain in net profits for Sept. S	54,371.89	
Gain in net profits for year to Sept. 30th	1,301,025.95	

U. S. IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

The Treasury Bureau of Statistics has just issued tables for the nine months of 1899, showing that importations for these nine months have increased on last year for the same time \$110,573,231. In round numbers articles for the use of manufacturers have increased 50 million dollars; food-stuffs 48 million dollars; manufactures ready for consumption 9 million dollars, and articles of voluntary use, luxuries, etc., 15 million dollars.

The total exports for these nine months are 30 million dollars in excess of those of the corresponding months of last year. Exports of the products of agriculture are 30 millions less than last year. Exports of manufactures are 50 millions greater. It is a curious coincidence that this excess of exported manufactures is the same as the excess of imported articles for the use of manufacturers. Manufactures exported formed 31.34 per cent of the total exports as against 26.66 p.c. last year during these months, the total value of manufactures exported being \$277,502,649 as compared with last year's nine months' \$227,822,045. Total imports for these months were \$585,934,124 as against last year for the same time \$585,934,124.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

VIRTUE LEADS AGAIN AND WILL GO HIGHER — SLOCAN SOVEREIGN STRONG — GOLDEN STAR FIRMER.

Montreal, Oct. 30.

Mondays are proverbially dull days, and today was no exception to the rule, although prices did not suffer to any extent, but rather showed signs of strength, this was particularly noticeable in Virtue and Golden Star. The general tenor to the market was distinctly good, and the undertone firm.

Dividend talk was plentiful, and rumors were not wanting. Of the British Columbia mines, the last to pay a dividend is Ymir, the directors of which declared a dividend of one shilling per share, this is the first dividend declared by the Ymir gold mine company. They have also decided to increase their mill power to the capacity of 60,000 tons per annum.

Virtue sold repeatedly at 45, this is at an advance of $\frac{1}{2}$ a point since Saturday. It is in good demand and is on the road for higher prices. It was listed today on the Montreal Stock Exchange and sold as high as 47. It was selling on the curb between sessions at 47.

Golden Star had a firmer undertone, there were no sales recorded and offerings from the West were plentiful, it sold in Toronto Saturday as high as 31 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Slocan Sovereign remains firm, and should be bought on all recessions, it will be one of the first of the Slocan stocks to show improvement as soon as the labor troubles are settled.

Deer Trail was in good demand round 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ although the sales only amounted to 500 shares.

There was also a sale of White Bear at 3 $\frac{1}{2}$, 2000 shares being sold.

Mrs. W. L. Hogg, manager of the Investment Company, of this city, has lately bonded the Calumet and Kékia group of mines in Wellington camp, for \$80,000 from Randolph Stewart.

Sales were also made in Brandon Golden Crown and Payne, the former selling at 30 and the latter at 105.

MORNING SALES.

Virtue—2000, 45.
Slocan Sov.—2200, 38.
Brandon G. C.—500, 30.
Fern—500, 12.
Knob Hill—500, 90.
Deer Trail—No. 2.—500, 21 $\frac{1}{2}$.
Payne—500, 105.
White Bear—2000, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$.
Virtue (Sat.)—500, 44 $\frac{1}{2}$.

AFTERNOON SALES.

War Eagle—1000, 285.
Virtue—500, 47. 250, 48. 250, 47. 500, 47 $\frac{1}{2}$.
Mont. G. F.—150, 11.

LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c. 94
" 1st preference 86 $\frac{1}{2}$
" 2nd " 57 $\frac{1}{2}$
" 3rd " 23 $\frac{1}{2}$
G. T. E. Com. 23 $\frac{1}{2}$
O. P. R. 99 $\frac{1}{2}$

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

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	Oct. 29.	Oct. 27.	Oct. 28.	Oct. 30.
1.00 Payne	1.05	1.03	1.05	1.04
1.00 War Eagle	2.97	2.95	2.85	2.80
1.00 Republic	1.21	1.20	1.21	1.18
1.00 Virtue .....	.44	.42	.43	.47
.24 Montreal-London .....	.50	.45	.50	.46
1.00 Big Three .....	.18	.12	.13	.12
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown .....	.30	.28	.30	.29
1.00 California .....	.12	.11	.13	.12
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn. ....	.07	.06	.07	.06
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic	1.40	....	1.40	....
1.00 Evening Star .....	.08	.07	.10	.07
.25 Fern .....	.20	.12	.20	.15
1.00 Gold Hills Developing ...	.07	.05	.07	.05
1.00 Iron Colt .....	.04	.03	.04	.03
1.00 Knob Hill .....	.90	.87	.90	.80
1.00 Monte Christo Con. ....	.05	.04	.05	.03
.25 Montreal Gold Fields .....	.12	.12	.12	.11
1.00 Noble Five .....	.22	.15	.22	.25
.10 Novelty .....	.03	.02	.03	.02
1.00 Old Ironsides	1.10	1.00	1.10	1.00
1.00 Virginia .....	.08	.06	.08	.06
1.00 Rambler Cariboo .....	....	....	.61	.50
1.00 Bullion .....	.58	.40	.60	.45
1.00 Decca .....	.26	.10	.26	.20
1.00 Morrison .....	.14	.11	.14	.11
1.00 Golden Star .....	.33	.30	.31	.31
1.00 Slocan Sov. ....	.38	.35	.36	.35
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co. ....	....	....	....	.13
1.00 Bathmullen .....	.08	.07	.08	.07
1.00 Winnipeg .....	.82	.29	.83	.81
1.00 Dardanelles13	.10	.13	.11
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2xd.21	.20	.22	.21
1.00 North Star	1.05	1.01	1.05	1.01

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MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

CLOSING PRICES.

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

CAP. PAID-UP.	REST.	Next div. pbl.	Value shares.	Last 1/2 y. div.	STOCKS.	Oct. 24.		Oct. 25.		Oct. 26.		Oct. 27.		Oct. 28.		Oct. 30.	
						Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.		
BANKS.																	
12,000,000	8,000,000	Dec.	200	5	Bank of Montreal	282	282	282	282	262	265	265	265	265	265	285	285
6,000,000	2,500,000	"	100	3 3/4	Merchants Bk of Can	172 1/2	164 1/2	172 1/2	164 1/2	172 1/2	164 1/2	172 1/2	164 1/2	170 1/2	164 1/2	170 1/2	164 1/2
6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3 1/2	Canadian Bk of Com	150 1/2	151	151	150	151	150	151	150	151	150	151	150 1/2
1,868,868	1,450,000	April	50	2 1/2	British North America.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....
2,500,000	700,000	Dec.	100	3	Quebec Bank	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,000,000	1,500,000	April	50	4	Molson's Bank	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	208	208
2,000,000	1,300,000	Dec.	100	4	Imperial Bank	225	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	221	217	.....	.....
1,500,000	1,170,000	"	100	4	Ottawa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,629,400	1,889,980	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia.	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220
1,782,350	1,424,262	"	100	3 1/2	Merch'ts Bk of Halifax	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	180	180
2,000,000	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank of Canada	120	120	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2	115	115	114	114	114	114
1,500,000	1,500,000	Nov.	50	2 1/2	Dominion Bank	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,500,000	850,000	Dec.	50	3 1/2	Eastern Townships Bk	155	155	155	155	155	155	155	155	155	155	155	155
1,495,880	1,000,000	Feb.	100	4	Hamilton	193	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,200,000	1,150,000	Nov.	30	3	Banque Nationale .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,250,000	565,000	Dec.	100	3 1/2	Hochelaga Bank	150	150	150	135	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2 1/2	Ontario Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
357,739	118,000	"	100	3 1/2	Western Bk of Can.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
500,000	265,000	"	25	3	Jacques Cartier Bank.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
479,820	10,000	"	100	3	Banque Ville Marie.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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	456,688	.....	.....	2 1/2	Bk of British Columbia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
45,688	13,000	.....	.....	3 1/2	Summerside Bank.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
210,020	65,000	.....	.....	4	Merchants Bk of P.E.I.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

SURPLUS.

MISCELLANEOUS

65,000,000	.....	April	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry....	94 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2	95	94 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2	98	95 1/2	95 1/2	95
12,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic.	3 1/2	6 1/2	6	.....	6	5 1/2	6	5 1/2	6	5 1/2	6 1/2	6
10,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr	16 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15	16	.....	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	14 1/2	15 1/2	15
10,000,000	2,608,329	Jan.	100	1 1/2	Commercial Cable.....	187	182 1/2	185	182 1/2	187 1/2	183	185	184	188	183 1/2	189	188
2,000,000	.....	"	40	2 1/2	Montreal Telegraph.....	175	172	175	172	175	172 1/2	175	172	175	172	180	174
1,350,000	.....	Nov.	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co...	111	110 1/2	111	110	111	110	110 1/2	109 1/2	110	109 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2
4,800,000	334,247	"	50	2 1/2	Montreal Street Ry Co.	313	312 1/2	310 1/2	310	311	310 1/2	312	311 1/2	312 1/2	311 1/2	311 1/2	310
15,010,000	.....	Jan.	100	1	New Montreal Street	.....	.....	.....	.....	308 1/2	307	318	309	.....	308 1/2	307	.....
2,997,704	.....	April	40	5	Twin City.....	62	61 1/2	63	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	63	61 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	63	62 1/2
1,750,000	.....	.....	1 1/2	.....	Montreal Gas Co.....	194 1/2	193	195	192 1/2	194 1/2	192 1/2	194 1/2	194	194 1/2	193	197	194
452,000	.....	.....	1 1/2	.....	War Eagle.....	310	304 1/2	305	301	294	290	282	280	285	284	283	280
1,250,000	.....	.....	1	.....	Mont. & London M. Co.	50	.....	50	.....	50	45	50	45	50	45	50	.....
2,500,000	.....	.....	1.00	.....	Cariboo Mag. M. & S. Co	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3,163,000	910,000	Jan.	100	2 1/2	Payne Mining Co.....	108	104	108	105	105 1/2	105	105	103	105	103	105	104
1,500,000	.....	"	100	2 1/2	Bell Telephone Co.....	198	190	199 1/2	191	196	190	192	190	195	190	195	190
6,000,000	814,254	"	100	1 1/2	Royal Electric	160	159 1/2	160	159	161	157	164	159 1/2	160	151	160	157 1/2
800,000	.....	"	100	1 1/2	Toronto Street Ry.....	115 1/2	111 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2	110	109 1/2	109 1/2	109	109 1/2	108 1/2
100,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Halifax Tram Co.....	105	100	105	100	105	98	105	100	104 1/2	100	105 1/2	100
700,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Cornwall Street Ry	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8,500,000	.....	.....	100	1 m	People's Heat & Light.	27	20	27	20	27	20	27	20	24	20	27	20
500,000	.....	Jan.	100	1 1/2	Republic.....	124	123	123	122	123	122	121	119	120	119	121	119
350,000	.....	"	40	2 1/2	St. John Railway Co...	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	150	.....
6,642,925	.....	.....	100	.....	London Street Ry.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,467,634	.....	.....	.....	.....	Com.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	58	.....	.....
15,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Dominion Coal Co.....	45	40	40	.....	45	40	53	51	48	48	50	44
2,000,000	.....	April	100	4	Dominion Coal Co. pr.	.....	117	.....	117	.....	117	.....	115	.....	117	.....	117
500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6 pa	Windsor Hotel.....	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	105
500,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Intercolonial Coal Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22 1/2	.....	22 1/2
250,000	.....	.....	100	7 pa	Do. prof. stock.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,650,000	.....	Dec.	100	3 1/2	Montreal Cotton Co....	.....	145	.....	145	143	141 1/2	.....	145	.....	145	.....	145
2,750,000	.....	"	100	1 q	Colored Cotton Co.....	80	70	80	70	79	70	.....	70	80	70	75	70
800,000	.....	Feb.	109	4	Merchants Cotton Co..	.....	135	.....	135	135	135	.....	135	150	135	150	136
3,100,000	.....	Dec.	100	1 1/2	Dominion Cotton Co...	102	100 1/2	101	100 1/2	97	96 1/2	102	100 1/2	101	100	101	100 1/2
500,000	350,000	"	25	3 1/2	Mont. Loan & Mort Co.	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	.....	.....	.....	155	148	155	140
814,800	.....	April	60	3 1/2	Western Loan & Tr.	.....	.....	100	.....	100	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	100	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Flemington Coal Co	.....	.....	28 1/2	28	28 1/2	28	.....	28 1/2	28	28 1/2	28	28
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Diamond Glass Co...	30	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	.....

* And 1 p. c. bonus per annum

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

OCT. 30, 1899.

Range for Year 1899. High. Low.	Outstanding Capital Stock.	Last Div. P. C.		CLOSING PRICES FROM OCT. 23 TO OCT. 28						TO-DAY'S PRICES				
				23	24	25	26	27	28	Open's	High's	Low's	Close's	
230 112	5,000,000	.....	Air Brake.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
45 330	20,237,000	8	Am. Cotton Oil Co.....	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	.....	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
152 123 1/2	36,963,000	3	" Sugar.....	151 1/2	150 1/2	152 1/2	153 1/2	152 1/2	153 1/2	154 1/2	155 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2
15 1/2 5 1/2	27,864,300	.....	" Spirits Mfg. Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
72 38	21,000,000	.....	" S.W. Co.....	51	50 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
52 33	25,000,000	.....	" Tin Plate.....	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
229 88 1/2	21,000,000	1 1/2	" Tobacco.....	124	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
65 37 1/2	28,000,000	.....	Anaconda Copper.....	44	43	45	43 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
24 17	120,000,000	.....	Atch. T. & S. Fe.....	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
68 50 1/2	114,189,500	1	" " pfd.....	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
61 43 1/2	25,000,000	2	Baltimore & Ohio.....	.....	53 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	50,000,000	.....	Bay State Gas.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
137 75 1/2	29,500,000	.....	Brooklyn Rap. Tran.....	87	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
63 42 1/2	28,000,000	1 1/2	C. O. C. & St. L.....	.....	59 1/2	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
99 84 1/2	65,000,000	2	Canadian Pacific.....	.....	.....	95 1/2	.....	96 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70 50 1/2	15,000,000	1	Canada Southern.....	53	52 1/2	53	54	.....	.....	58 1/2	53 1/2	53	53	53
31 23 1/2	60,533,400	1	Chesapeake & Ohio.....	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
20 13	21,232,500	.....	Chicago & Great Western..	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	.....	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
149 124 1/2	90,282,900	1 1/2	" B. & O.....	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2	134 1/2	135 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
136 120 1/2	46,782,000	2 1/2	" Mill. & St. P.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	124 1/2	126 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
122 107 1/2	50,000,000	1 1/2	" R. I. & Pacific....	114 1/2	114 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	114 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2	115 1/2
178 141 1/2	39,118,300	2 1/2	" & Northwest.....	172 1/2	171 1/2	171 1/2	171 1/2	169 1/2	.....	.....	170 1/2	.....	.....	170 1/2
104 188	22,390,600	1 1/2	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
60 41	65,370,000	.....	Central Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
223 163	39,078,000	2 1/2	Consolidated Gas.....	190 1/2	189 1/2	.....	188 1/2	188 1/2	189 1/2	189 1/2	191 1/2	189 1/2	189 1/2	189 1/2
65 36	30,000,000	.....	Continental Tobacco.....	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
125 106 1/2	35,600,000	1 1/2	Delaware & Hudson.....	122 1/2	122 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	122 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
191 157	26,200,000	1 1/2	Del. Lack. & Western.....	192 1/2	190 1/2	192 1/2	193 1/2	193 1/2	194 1/2	194 1/2	194 1/2	193 1/2	193 1/2	193 1/2
80 68 1/2	38,000,000	.....	Denver & Rio Grand pfd...	.....	.....	.....	.....	172 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	Duluth com.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	" pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18 12 1/2	112,232,700	.....	Erle.....	.....	.....	.....	14 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
125 95 1/2	18,276,000	.....	General Electric.....	122 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	121 1/2	122 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
76 48 1/2	24,027,300	1 1/2	Glucose.....	55 1/2	52 1/2	.....	54 1/2	54 1/2	.....	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
75 46 1/2	46,484,300	1 1/2	Fed. Steel Com.....	.....	55 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
93 72 1/2	53,253,500	1	" " pfd.....	79 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
63 25	.....	.....	Internat. Paper Co., Com...	.....	27 1/2	29 1/2	.....	28 1/2	.....	28 1/2	28 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
95 72 1/2	.....	1 1/2	" " Pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
208 196 1/2	98,277,500	.....	Lake Shore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
83 63	52,500,000	3 1/2	Louisville & Nashville.....	84 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
133 97 1/2	48,000,000	1	Manhattan com.....	110 1/2	110 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2	111 1/2	112 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
269 187 1/2	40,000,000	1 1/2	Met. Street Ry. Co.....	197 1/2	197 1/2	197 1/2	198 1/2	197 1/2	198 1/2	198 1/2	198 1/2	196 1/2	196 1/2	196 1/2
45 30 1/2	13,000,000	.....	Missouri, Kan. & Tex pfd..	.....	38 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
52 38 1/2	47,507,000	1	" Pacific.....	45 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
40 28 1/2	14,905,400	1	Nat. Lead.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
122 97 1/2	23,519,000	1	New Jersey Central.....	121 1/2	121 1/2	126 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
144 121 1/2	100,000,000	1	New York Central.....	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2	138 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2	139 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
57 42 1/2	80,000,000	1	Northern Pacific.....	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
81 73	75,000,000	1	" " pfd.....	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
126 91	18,559,153	.....	Omaha.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28 18	58,113,500	.....	Ontario & Western.....	25 1/2	25 1/2	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
55 37 1/2	20,000,000	1 1/2	Pacific Mail.....	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	.....	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
142 122 1/2	129,303,250	2 1/2	Pennsylvania R. R.....	133 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2	132 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
129 101 1/2	23,688,500	1 1/2	P. O. Gas L. & Coke Co.....	104 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	115 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
60 38 1/2	12,500,000	.....	Pressed Steel.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
87 60 1/2	12,500,000	1 1/2	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
206 158 1/2	54,000,000	1 1/2	Pullman Palace Car Co.....	201 1/2	199 1/2	198 1/2	196 1/2	195 1/2	.....	195 1/2	196 1/2	195 1/2	195 1/2	195 1/2
25 19 1/2	69,900,000	.....	Reading.....	.....	21 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
63 51 1/2	23,000,000	.....	" 1st pfd.....	59 1/2	59 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
44 37 1/2	108,232,008	.....	Southern Pacific.....	38 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
55 40 1/2	57,290,400	1	Southern Railroad pfd.....	53 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
89 70 1/2	15,210,000	1	Twin City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25 17 1/2	28,710,900	.....	Texas Pacific.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
126 86 1/2	20,000,000	1	Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	112 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
242 168 1/2	12,000,000	1 1/2	Third Avenue R. R.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
50 38 1/2	86,336,000	.....	Union Pacific.....	45 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
87 72 1/2	16,000,000	1 1/2	" " pfd.....	77 1/2	77 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
121 111 1/2	23,525,500	2	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	48 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
25 5 1/2	61,509,000	.....	U. S. Leather.....	16 1/2	21 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	.....	.....	25 1/2	27 1/2	25 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
83 68 1/2	60,909,000													

NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

HEAVY COMMISSION HOUSE BUYING IN RAILS AND LEATHER — A. S. W. HEAVY — LOANS MADE AT 7 AND 8 PER CENT. — LONDON MARKET STRONG.

New York, Oct. 30.

The London markets are buoyant. Gains in America's ranging from $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$. There is no news of interest from the Transvaal. The Boers appear to have concentrated their forces outside Ladysmith, and cable despatches state that Downing Street expects a battle today or tomorrow. Apparently the outcome of the battle is confidently looked for in England, otherwise the English market would not be as buoyant as they are.

The principal topic of discussion on Sunday was the bank statement. It did not prove unsatisfactory and the Street is completely mystified as to the decrease in loans. There is a story that a large bank made a mistake in its figuring and reported a decrease in loans when there should have been an increase. However, the Street has got used to 6 p.c. money and for time being that is likely to be the rate.

Attention has been centred almost entirely on the railroad industrials for the time being are neglected and in more or less bad repute.

The reason for the attention given to railroads is not difficult to explain. The business being done is enormous and rates are steadily advancing. It was pointed out on Saturday by a financial writer that at 10 p.c. increase in freight earnings would yield to the railroads a sum equal to nearly the amount at present paid out in dividends. A 10 p.c. increase in freight rates is not unlikely.

The railroads which were enjoying an unusual degree of prosperity are said to be So. Ry and L. N.. The buying of the preferred stock of the former is good and the Street is already discussing the probability of four p.c. dividend next year.

As to L. N. the pool in it which is a strong one talks confidently of par before end of year.

The enormous trade in Leather common continues to be a mystery.

All sorts of stories as to the number of shares held by the Rockefellers are current. The most popular story is that Oil has been discovered on land belonging to the company.

New York, (noon), Oct. 30.

Influenced by higher prices from London, and also by the unexpectedly good showing of the bank statement on Saturday our market opened strong and with the largest volume of commission house buying we have had for some time.

S. R. preferred and L. N. were extremely strong and there was also heavy buying in S. R. common.

St. Paul and B. Q. were heavily bought by commission houses. The steady absorption of So. Pac. goes on, but there seems to be a desire on the part of insiders not to advance the stock too fast.

About the only heavy stock was O.S.W. Street is at a loss to account for the decline. The belief that a considerable block of long stock from insiders is coming out.

The heavy buying of Leather common continues. It is reported on floor that all the heavy sellers of Friday and Saturday are finding out that the stock was going through clearing house to a firm of brokers who are supposed to be closely identified with Standard Oil interests. It is

also reported that a considerable block of preferred has recently been transferred to the name of one of the largest of the Standard Oil holders.

The other new Industrials except Wire were practically neglected although there seems to be some little pressure to sell F. S.

Interest generally continues to be concentrated on the railroad stocks. The only important statement which came to hand was that of the C. P. for September, showing an increase in gross of \$233,400, and in net of \$54,372.

Money does not show any easier tendency as a result of Saturday's bank statement. Some money loaned at 8 p.c. during the opening, but it is now 7 bid, offered at 8. The majority being had at 8 p.c.

Money brokers predict that higher rates will be reached before the close today. Certainly if the present market can be regarded as an indication of what rates are going to be for the rest of the week, higher rates will prevail and there will certainly be no decrease in the loan item on Saturday.

Money loaned as high as 30 p.c. on Wall Street to-day.

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY

Total Rec'ts for month of Sept.....\$21,947.96
Expenses..... 9,819.29
\$12,128.67

For week ending	Compared with previous week
Oct. 1...\$5,609.90.....	Inc. \$2,652.95
" 8... 2,419.60.....	Dec. 3,190.30
" 15... 2,205.00.....	" 214.60
" 22... 2,133.70.....	" 71.30

Rec'ts to date (Oct.)...\$7,038.05...Dec. \$481.15

TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Total earning, Sept.	\$137,021.10	dec.	\$400.51
Oct. 20, \$4,005.69	Inc.	302.11	
" 21, 4,268.91	Dec.	156.21	
" 22, 1,653.09	Inc.	257.71	
" 23, 4,332.38	"	1,158.86	
" 24, 3,520.00	"	488.37	
" 25, 4,683.87	"	1,252.07	
" 26, 3,644.38	"	341.23	

MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Oct. 20, \$4,484.41	Inc.	160.25
" 21, 5,143.31	"	611.33
" 22, 3,052.62	"	821.34
" 23, 4,590.65	"	298.06
" 24, 4,795.69	"	670.61
" 25, 4,693.47	"	588.26
" 26, 4,449.95	"	335.63
" 27, 5,912.23	"	648.28
" 28, 3,762.13	"	648.69

LONDON AND PARIS.

Oct. 30, 1899.

Bank of England rate.....	5
Open discount rate	4
Paris Renten	100-50
French Exchange	25f. 24
Consols, money	104 1/2
Canadian Pacific	98 1/2
New York Central.....	142 1/2
St. Paul.....	131 1/2
Union Pacific.....	79 1/2

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NEWS OF THE MINES.

NEWS FROM GRAND FORKS.

Grand Forks, B.C., Oct. 09.—The clean-up from the five-stamp mill on the Granite and Banner in Camp McKinney last week was a gold brick valued at \$567. The shaft is now down 35 feet in solid ore. Crosscutting will soon be commenced to determine the width of the ledge. One thousand feet of piping has just been laid in connection with the water service. The stamp mill, which will be enlarged shortly, runs day and night.

HUMMING BIRD.

Development work on the Humming Bird on the north fork of the Kettle river is being carried out on an extensive scale. The ore body at the bottom of an incline shaft has been proven to be 16 feet wide. The ore on the dump exceeds one thousand tons.

ORO-DENORO.

Angus McNish of Rössland is here after visiting the Oro-Denoro in Summit camp. He reports that the crosscut at the bottom of the two hundred foot shaft is 45 feet long. Two recent sets of assays gave average values of \$36 and \$47 per ton respectively.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Oct. 27.

SALES:

Empress—1500, 3 1/2.
Monte Christo—1500, 4 1/2.
Fairview—5000, 5 1/2.
Van Anda—12,500, 8. 5000, 7 1/2.
Can. Gold Fields—500, 6 1/2.
Black Tail—1000, 15.
Waterloo—1000, 13 1/2. 1000, 13.
King—1000, 24 1/2.
Hillside—5000, 5.
Consol—8000, 5.
Golden Star—500, 32 1/2.

Toronto, Oct. 28

Can. G. F.—3000, 6 1/2.
Toronto & Western—100, 100.
Waterloo—1000, 12 1/2. 1000, 13.
Morrison—1000, 12.
Winnipeg—4000, 5 1/2.
Golden Star—500, 32 1/2.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Oct. 27.

SALES:

Empress—500, 4.
Waterloo—7000, 13 1/2. 5000, 13. 1000, 13 1/2.
Winnipeg—1000, 31 1/2.
Athabasca—3000, 80.
Van Anda—5000, 8 1/2. 5000, 8 1/2.
Monte Christo—500, 8 1/2.
Hammond Reef—1000, 25 1/2.
Can. Gold Fields—1000, 6 1/2.

Toronto, Oct. 28.

Toronto & Western—100, 100.
Rathmullen—500, 7 1/2.
Brandon & G. Crown—2500, 29.
Winnipeg—3000, 31.
Evening Star—500, 8. 1000, 9 1/2.
Northern Belle—500, 2.
Vict. Triumph—500, 5.
Can. G. Fields—500, 6. 500, 6 1/2.
Golden Star—1000, 34.
Waterloo—10,000, 13 1/2.

STRAWS.

The Cotton States Association, in session at Atlanta, passed a resolution urging the construction of the Nicaragua Canal.

A pinch in discounts is expected about New Year. 60 days' discount are material-ly easier than three months, owing to the former maturing before New Year, and the latter running over.

Vanderbilt interest controls the Pullman's Company, dropping the name Wagner and adopting the name Pullman. The name of the combination is Pullman, but the controlling power is really Wagner.

Cleveland.—The Marine Review says: "Lake vessels capable of moving 17,798,000 tons of iron ore in 1900 are already in the hands of the ore companies, John D. Rockefeller's representatives have 2,500,000 tons of it. Whether all of this capacity will be used in the ore trade or not cannot be stated certainly at this early day.

About advanced freight rates, Wall Street Journal says Canadian Pacific could not be induced to enter into any agreement with other lines operating boats, and consequently the situation has drifted along without any improvement. But now that the British government has impressed several of the Canadian Pacific boats, the company is said to be perfectly willing to put its rates as high as the American lines want.

The value of the Vanderbilt estate is between \$70,000,000 and \$80,000,000. The late Cornelius Vanderbilt's will was made public on Thursday evening, and by it the bulk goes to Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt. Twenty millions in securities are equally divided and held in trust for the use of his children, Gertrude, Alfred, Reginald and G. Iys. His son Cornelius gets \$500,000 and we use during his life of \$1,000,000 held in trust. The rest is divided among friends, relatives, retainers and charities. Senator Depew, who made public the will, stated that Alfred had decided to take out of his inheritance a sum sufficient to make Cornelius' share the same as that of the other brothers and also \$1,000,000. This will leave Alfred about \$35,000,000.

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Sept. 7.....\$72,545.59.....	Inc. 17,882.11
14.....58,903.50.....	" 1,359.07
21.....50,856.80.....	" 8,476.07
30.....59,332.80.....	" 6,115.04
Month.....241,638.40.....	" 33,631.29
Year to date...\$1,815,588.18...Inc.	\$221,274.36

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Oct. 28, 1899.

Capital.	Par Value.	Bid.	Asked.
1,500,000	\$1.00	Aocia.....	.39 1/2 .40
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n.....	.39 1/2 .40
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee.....	.....
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor....	.20 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. Cons.....	.19 1/2 .19 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. & M.....	..... .21 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Dante.....	.20
2,000,000	1.00	Damon.....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton.....	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Flower.....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Findley.....	.15 1/2 .16
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin.....	..... 2.20
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign...	.16 1/2 .16 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Gould.....	.31 1/2
1,225,000	1.00	Indepon. T. & M....	..... .47
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella.....	1.04 1/2 1.05
500,000	1.00	Ida May.....	.25 .29
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot.....	.58 .60
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly.....	.13 1/2 .13 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington.....	..... .20 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Maton.....	.34 .35
800,000	1.00	Moon Anchor.....	.75 1/2 .77
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget.....	..... .19
2,000,000	1.00	Papoose.....	.14 1/2 .14 1/2
3,000,000	1.00	Portland.....	2.36 2.38
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle.....
1,500,000	1.00	Work.....	.32 1/2

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NAME	Morning Prices.		Par Value.	Capital.	Divid	When Payable	Description.	LOCATION.
	Asked.	Bid.						
B. O. Gold Fields	4 1/2	3 1/2	1 00	2,500,000			Gold.	Trail Creek, B. O.
Big Three	13	11	1 00	3,500,000			Gold, Copper.	do
Deer Park	4 1/2	3	1 00	1,250,000			Gold.	do
Grand Prize	3		1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Gold Hills	7	5	1 00	2,000,000			do	do
Homestake	4	3 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Iron Colt	4	3 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
St. Elmo	6	3	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Victory Triumph	6 1/2	4 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			Gold, Copper.	do
White Bear	4	3	1 00	2,000,000			Gold.	do
Butte	11	10	1 00	1,000,000			Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.	7 1/2	5	10	1,000,000			Gold.	do
California	13	11	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Evening Star	12	8 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Iron Mask	72		1 00	500,000			do	do
Monte Christo	5	3	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Montreal Gold Fields	12	11	25	800,000			do	do
Novelty	3 1/2	2 1/2	10	150,000			do	do
Virginia	8 1/2	6 1/2	1 00	500,000			do	do
War Eagle	2 95	2 82	1 00	1,750,000	1 1/2	Monthly.	do	do
Dardanelles	14	11	1 00	100,000			Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern	15		25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	do
Noble Five	25	15	1 00	1,200,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo	60	50	1 00	1,250,000		Two paid..	Gold.	do
Slocan Sovereign	38	35 1/2	1 00	1,500,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London	50	45	24	452,000	1 1/2	Monthly.	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S. Slocan, B.O.
Cariboo McKinney	1 20		1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp, McKinney, B.O.
Fontenoy			1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Minnehaha	16	12	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Waterloo	18 1/2	13	10	100,000			do	do
Knob Hill	90	89	1 00	1,500,000			do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides	1 10	1 00	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Pay Ore	8		10	250,000			do	do
King (Oro de Noro)	24	21	1 00	2,000,000			do	do
Rathmullon	9	7 1/2	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown	31	30	1 00	1,500,000			do	do
Alice A.	12	8	1 00	1,200,000			do	Saine River, Ont.
Olive	75		1 00	1,000,000			do	do
J. O. 41	4	2	1 00	500,000			do	do
Decca	26	20	1 00	975,000			do	do
Golden Star	33 1/2	32 1/2	1 00	1,200,000			do	do
Republic	1 20 1/2	1 18	1 00	3,500,000	1pc	Monthly.	do	Republic.
Jim Blaine	39	33	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Lone Pine	27	22	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Black Tail	30	14	1 00	1,250,000			do	do
Deer Trail	22	21 1/2	1 00	1,000,000	1pc	Monthly.	do	do
Princess Maud	11	8	10	1,000,000			do	do
Smuggler	3 1/2	2 1/2	1 00	1,200,000			do	Fairview Camp, B.O.
Virtue	47	46	1 00	1,250,000			do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne	1 05	1 04	1 00	3,000,000			Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	43 50		25 00	2,000,000			Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic	1 40		5 00	5,000,000			Gold.	Cariboo District.
Van Anda	9	8	1 00	5,000,000			do	Texada Island.
Carnes Creek Cons	13 1/2		1 00	1,000,000			do	Revelstoke, B.C.

BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDUCTION.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	182 1/2	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do		1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do Stock.....	103	1925.....	" "
7,080,000	3	" "	do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbor Bonds Currency....	113	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
136,700	5	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Banetts & Bosanquets.
874,250	4	" "	do do do	101-106	1904, 1894.....	" "
22,500	6		Auer Light.....	100		
940,000	5	April Oct.	Bell Telephone.....	117	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.	101 1/2	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.....	108 1/2	1917	" "
{ 20,000,000	4	Jan. Ap. Jun. Oct.	Commercial Cable Coupons. }	104	2397	
£300,000	4 1/2	Jan. July	Dominion Canadian Registered. }	100	1916 1st Jan	
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	Halifax Electric Railway ..	108	1918 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
350,000	5	1st Ap'l 1st Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1910.....	Bank of Montreal.
	6	2nd Jan. July	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Jct.			" "
	5	" "	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....			" "
292,000	5	1st Mch 1st Sep.	Montreal Street R'y.		1908 1st Mch	
681,333	4 1/2	1st Feb. 1st Aug	do do		1922 1st Aug	
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	Peoples Heat & Light	80	1917 April	Merchants Bank of Halifax
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Richelieu & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric.			
2,799,933	4 1/2	Mch Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	
450,000	4 1/2	1st Jan. July	Windsor Hotel.....	100	1912.....	Bank of Montreal.

* 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—October 30, 1899.

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

Chicago, Oct. 30.

While provisions opened at Chicago higher 12 cents for Jan. Pork and seemed likely to advance, the grain market was on the same bases and opening sales were dull and spiritless. This was in sympathy with the Liverpool cables which giving 6-11½, 6-0½, 6-0½ as prices of Dec., March and May wheat, was the same as the previous closing prices. From there was cabled also 6, 720,000 wheat as the world's shipments, appearing wrong, was cabled about for advice. New York openings for December and May wheat were from 1 to 2 cents lower, 74½ and 78½. It was remarked about the market today that the longs would need their puts for their protection. It is being considered that shipments from all ports amounting to 4½ million bushels now seven days will show in the lessened wheat stocks of this continent. Winter and also spring wheat show a marked decrease from last year and as against several years. Distant options rating so much higher than those for present delivery indicates that the speculative public have confidence to stand on their holdings. The two instances of firmness in holdings at present, that of the farmers who believe in higher prices and that of longs in future options are strong bull arguments. With stimulus from any source it is thought that this conviction common to farmers and traders might be realized, even on the ordinary basis of supply and demand and in a much greater degree if the Transvaal war should be a protracted one or should bring unusual circumstances to bear on commercial affairs. Market advices from various commission houses look upon wheat as having reached a very low point and they recommend as probably profitable purchases made on recessions from that point.

Wheat in sight and on passage.
 Vis' b's p- 1899. 1899. 1898.
 ply U.S. Oct. 30, Oct. 23, Oct. 31,
 & Ca'da. 49,562,000 48,550,000 15,476,000
 On pass.
 to U.K. 15,440,000 15,200,000 12,160,000
 On pass. to
 C't'ent. 10,960,000 11,280,000 11,650,000

Total.....75,962,000 75,035,000 39,316,000

The total amount of wheat in sight and on passage shows an increase of 527,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 36,646,000 compared with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the United Kingdom shows an increase of 240,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 3,280,000 compared with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the Continent shows a decrease of 320,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and a decrease of 720,000 compared with a year ago.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN U. S. AND CANADA.

	Oct. 30, 1899.	Oct. 23, 1899.	Oct. 31, 1898.
Wheat	12,518,000	14,099,000	24,574,000
Oats...	6,913,000	6,742,000	6,373,000
Barley	2,876,000	2,510,000	3,267,000
On last week. On last year.			
Wheat inc.....	1,007,000	Inc....	34,086,000
Corn dec.....	383,000	Dec....	10,858,000
Oats inc.....	171,000	Inc....	540,000
Barley inc....	366,000	Dec....	391,000

	—CLOSING PRICES OCT. 24 TO OCT. 28.					—TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	24	25	26	27	28	Openin.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—									
May.....	74½ B	74½ B	74½	74 A	73½-½	73½	73½	73½	73½-½
Oct.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	08½	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec.....	70½ B	70½-½	70½	70½ B	70½	69½	70	69½	69½-70 B
Corn—									
May.....	32½	33½	33½	33 A	32½	32½	32½	32½	32½ A
Oct.....	31½	31½	.....	31½	.....	.....	31½	30½	31½
Dec.....	31½-½ B	31½-½	32	31½ A	31½	31½	31½	31½	31½ A
Oats—									
May.....	24½	24½	24½	24½-½	24½	24½	24½	24½	24½ A
Oct.....	23½-½	22½	22½	22½	.....	.....	.....	.....	22½
Dec.....	22½-½	22½	22½	22½	22½	22½	22½	22½	22½ A
Pork—									
Jan.....	9 40	9 60	9 57 A	9 57-60	9 60-5	9 77	9 82	9 67	9 70
Oct.....	7 76	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 05	8 02	8 05
Dec.....	7 87	8 05	8 02 A	8 05	8 07	8 15	8 25	8 15	8 17
Lard—									
Jan.....	5 32	5 37	5 37	5 37-40	5 37-40	5 42	5 42	5 37	5 37-40
Oct.....	5 12	5 17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 17
Dec.....	5 16	5 20	5 20	5 20 B	5 22	5 25	5 25	5 20	5 20-22
Shl ribs—									
Jan.....	4 90	4 97	4 95-97	4 95-7	4 95-5	5 00-2	5 02	4 97	5 00
Oct.....	4 70	4 82	4 80	4 80	.....	.....	4 87	4 85	4 85
Dec.....	4 72	4 82	4 80	4 80	4 85	.....	5 00	4 87	4 87 A

Puts and Calls for Oct 31— Puts, Dec. Wheat 68½
 Calls " " 70½-½
 Puts, May Corn 32½
 Calls, " " 32½
 Ourb Dec. Wheat 70

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares Par Value	CAPITAL.		Rest as per Last Statement.	Div. per cent. Last half year.	Buyers
		Paid up.				
MISCELLANEOUS.						
British America.....	\$ 50	\$ 750,000	\$ *79,381		3½	123½
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	1,290,743		5	184
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....		10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....		7½	.....
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821		.....	148
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....		3¼qr	224½
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40	400,000	.....		.....	59
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000		10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100	1,400,000	.....		1½	134½
" " New.....	.....	240,000	.....		1½	132½
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000		4	160
" " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	.....		3	106
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000		1	80
LOAN and SAVINGS CO.						
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100	398,481	120,000		3	.....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	100,000		1	.....
Can. Lauded & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,094,000	350,000		3	97
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000		3	121½
" " " 20 per cent.....	50	600,000	.....		.....	112½
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000		3	113
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	330,000		1¼qr	134
" " " 20 per cent.....	100	325,000	.....		.....	.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000		2½	75
Freehold " ".....	100	478,100	300,000		3	.....
" " " 20 per cent.....	100	843,000	.....		3	75
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100	1,100,000	300,000		3	112
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	750,000		4½	180
" " " 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	.....		4½	170
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100	725,155	180,000		3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000		3	112½
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000		1¼qr	67
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	83,000		3	104½
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	500,000	100,000		3	88½
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000		.....	45
National Loan & Mortgage Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533		5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000		3½	121½
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,429	40,000		.....	20
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000		2	64
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	600,000	105,000		3	122
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,020	200,000		1	58
Western Canada " ".....	50	1,000,000	770,000		3	100
" " " 25 per cent.....	.....	500,000	.....		3	95

* After deducting \$511,982 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$792,049 for reinsurance. This List is compiled from the fortnightly circular issued by the Secretary Toronto Stock Exchange.