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## Montreal Stock Market.

**STREET RIGHTS CHEAPER COMPARATIVELY — SESSION VERY QUIET — PACIFIC LITTLE ENQUIRED FOR AND LOWER.**

Montreal, April 25.

The cheapness of Montreal St. Railway Rights, as compared with the stock itself, has been a somewhat noticeable feature on this occasion of new issue, and at 7 1/2 to-day again is obvious when contrasted with 25 1/2 the stock price. The payment of 7 1/2 gives the buyer the right to one share of the company's stock on the further payment of \$50 to the company. The one share thus acquired has cost him \$122 and the two forming the unit of Stock Exchange transactions would thus cost him only \$244, that is \$15 less than they were selling at this forenoon session. To-day, thus it was a cheaper way of buying in, to enter by the Rights than by way of ordinary stock. The purchaser of the 15 rights this forenoon saving in this way about \$100. With this exception the dealings in Street and Street Rights were small and uninteresting. Other trading was of no great account.

Canadian Pacific at 95 1/2 closed 1/2 lower than it closed yesterday afternoon. London prices beginning to-day at figures which were not high, slipped by fractions downwards and this was what values did here.

There was support to Electric which caused a narrow upward movement which fell short, however, of yesterday's close.

Toronto hardly ever fails to reflect the market truthfully and registered at 97, a 1/2 point below yesterday's close.

On one transaction War Eagle rallied to 142, and Payne at 120 gained 2 points on yesterday.

Virtue closing at 110 lost 4 1/2 points and in doing so was active to a slight extent. Dominion Cotton at 100 underwent no change.

Merchants Bank was 1 1/2 lower at 160. In the very quiet market this session, there was not much activity, nor any sig-

nificant advances, but there was no tumbling down in prices; all prices that appeared indicating firmness.

### MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—50, 96, 50, 95 1/2.  
Mont. St. Ry.—22, 25 1/2.  
Ro. Elec.—12, 201, 50, 201 1/2.  
Tor. Ry.—75, 97, 28, 97 1/2.  
War Eagle—2000, 142.  
Mont. St. Rts.—15, 71 1/2.  
Virtue—1000, 112 1/2, 5000, 112, 1000, 111, 1000, 110.  
Payne—500, 119, 4500, 120.  
Dom. Cotton—25, 109.  
Merch. Bank—1, 160.

### AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—25, 95 1/2, 150, 95 1/2.  
Ro. Elec.—25, 201.  
Tor. Ry.—20, 97, 75, 96 1/2.  
Payne—1000, 119, 2000, 118.  
Virtue—3000, 110, 6000, 109, 500, 108 1/2.  
Merch. Cotton—50, 135.  
R. of Montreal—24, 262.

### STRAWS

Earnings of Mop for 3rd week April show decrease of \$29,000, but from Jan. 1st there is an increase of \$860,456.

Little taking of loans this forenoon and money from 2 to 3 p.c.

### CALIFORNIA.

Work continues in the tunnel. The motor for the hoist over the shaft arrived about the middle of the week and is being installed. The work of deepening the shaft will commence some time this week.

### IRON COLT.

Work on the shaft in the tunnel is being pushed and the shaft has now reached a depth of 60 feet. Drifting on the north ledge continues.

## LONDON AND PARIS

April 24, 1900.

Bank of England rate .....	4
Open discount rate.....	3 1/2
Paris Rentes .....	101-10
French Exchange.....	257. 20 1/2
Consols, money .....	101 1/2
Canadian Pacific .....	98 1/2
New York Central .....	136 1/2
St. Paul.....	122 1/2
Union Pacific.....	75 1/2

## LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c. ....	90 1/2
" 1st preference. xd.....	65 1/2
" 2nd " .....	65
" 3rd " .....	25
J. T.R. Com.....	98 1/2
C. P. R. rd. ....	98 1/2

## MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Mar. \$127,212.18 Inc. \$3,458.07
April 18, \$ 4,412.18.....Inc. \$ 50.12
" 19, 4,955.68....." 33.38
" 20, 4,580.01....." 452.0.
" 21, 5,053.43....." 359.42
" 22, 3,706.85.....Dec. 318.58
" 23, 4,855.67.....Inc. 298.7
" 24, 4,703.26.....Inc. 223.5,

## TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Mar. \$117,631.21 Inc. \$14,786.23
April, 19, \$ 1774.38.....Inc. \$ 658.97
" 20, 3675.20....." 414.44
" 21, 4487.77....." 627.81
" 22, 1788.24....." 349.99

## TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO

Total for Mar \$22,312.00, Inc. \$35,445.00	
For week ending .....	Compared with last year
April 7, 49,662.80 .....	Inc. 2,787.95
" 14, 49,069.20 .....	" 5,224.95

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.**

VIRTUE QUIET — REPUBLIC, PAYNE AND WAR EAGLE UP FEATURES — DECCA ACTIVE BUT NARROW — STOCKS GENERALLY QUIET.

Montreal, April 25.

The market was rather quieter to-day. Virtue being almost entirely neglected in favor of War Eagle, Payne and Republic. In these three stocks was contained the majority of the trading, the other sales being in Decca and Golden Star.

Republic opened under pressure and sold at 102. Towards the close, however, the demand became more urgent and 102½ was freely bid, the stock being offered at 104.

The new mill at the Cumberland mine started operation yesterday. The clean-up will be anxiously awaited. It is the intention to run the mill for 30 days previous to the clean-up. The stock was quieter to-day and was selling under yesterday's price, 1000 shares selling at 112. Towards the close the price was offered down to 110½, with 109½ bid, no further sales, however, taking place.

Bullion dividends were paid to-day. This stock pays its regular quarterly dividends every three months. The stock, however, is rarely traded in. The quotations generally average between 45 and 20.

Canadian Gold Fields Syndicate has been considerably weaker since the adjourned annual meeting, evidently there is some disappointment amongst the shareholders re the issuing of one million shares of new stock. The shareholders of record on the first of May have the right to acquire these shares at 8c per share. No sales were recorded this morning.

Payne sold at 118 and 119, 2,500 shares changing hands.

War Eagle was steady in a narrow range of one per cent sales being made at 141 and 142, the closing quotations being 141½.

**MORNING SALES.**

Republic—1000, 102¼. 1000, 102.  
Payne—1500, 118. 1000, 119.  
Decca—4000, 8.  
War Eagle—1000, 141. 1000, 142. 2000, 141½.  
Virtue—1600, 112.  
Golden Star—1000, 8.

**AFTERNOON SALES.**

California—500, 10¼.  
Deer Trail Cons—10,000, 9.  
Montreal-London—1000, 28.  
Virtue—500, 110½. 500, 109½. 500, 109.  
Decca—5000, 7½.  
Can. G. Fields—500, 6.  
Payne—1000, 118.

**DULUTH S.S. & ATLANTIC.**

Earnings for Jan .... \$167,147 Inc. \$15,191  
Feb..... 187,789 " 52,972  
Operating expenses amount to a little more than \$100,000 a month

**C. P. R. EARNINGS.**

Week ending April 21, 1900 .... \$575,000  
Week ending April 21, 1899 ..... 502,000  
Increase .. .. . \$ 73,000

**G. T. R. EARNINGS**

Week ending April 14, 1900 .... \$163,345  
Week ending April 14, 1899..... 101,318  
Increase .... .. . \$62,017

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.**

	Asked. Bid.	Asked. Bid.	Asked. Bid.	Asked. Bid.
	April 21.	April 23.	April 24.	April 25.
1.00 Payne .....	1.21 1.10½	1.17½ 1.10½	1.18 1.10½	1.20 1.17
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	1.45 1.36	1.43½ 1.35	1.46 1.35	1.45 1.40
1.00 Republic xd .....	1.05 1.03½	1.03 1.01	1.02½ 1.01	1.03½ 1.02
1.00 Virtue.....	1.09 1.07½	1.07½ 1.06½	1.13½ 1.13	1.10½ 1.08
.24 Montreal-London xd.....	.29 .28½	.28 .27	.29 .27	.28½ .27
1.00 Big Three .....	.08 .05½	.07 .05½	.07 .05½	.05½ .05
1.00 Brandon & G'ld'n Crown	.27½ .15	.30 .15	.25 .17	.27½ .17
1.00 California .....	.19½ .10	.10½ .09½	.10½ .09½	.10½ .10
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.07½ .06½	.06½ .06	.06½ .05½	.06½ .06
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	.. . .	.. . .	1.05 .98	.. . .
1.00 Evening Star.....	.10 .0	.10 .0	.10 .07½	.10 .07
.25 Fern.....	.05 .03	.05 .02	.05 .02	.10 .02
1.00 Gold Hills Developing ...	.04½ .03½	.04½ .03	.04 .03	.05 .03
1.00 Iron Colt .....	.12½ .. .	.12½ .. .	.10 .. .	.12½ .. .
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.75 .08	.70 .53	.75 .55	.75 .53
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.04½ .03½	.04½ .03½	.04½ .03½	.04½ .03½
.25 Montreal Gold Fields...	.07 .05	.06 .05	.06 .05	.06 .05
1.00 Noble Five.....	.4½ .2	.4½ .2	.4 .02	.4½ .1
1 Novelty .....	.3 .01½	.3 .01½	.8 .1½	.3 .1½
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	.75 .73	.70 .73	.69 .69	.. . .
1.00 Virginia.....	.06 .02	.06 .02	.04½ .02	.06 .02
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.29 .29	.30 .29	.25 .25	.29 .25
1.00 Bullion .....	.40 .29	.42 .22	.46 .27	.50 .25
1.00 Decca.....	.81 .07½	.8 .07	.8 .07	.7½ .07
1.00 Morrison .....	.3 .2½	.2½ .01½	.3 .02	.3 .02
1.00 Golden Star .....	.10 .07½	.8 .07½	.9½ .07½	.9 .07½
1.00 Slocan Sov .....	.30 .29	.30 .29	.30 .24½	.28½ .26
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co. ....	.. . .	.. . .	.16 .. .	.. . .
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.4 .3	.5 .03	.03½ .03	.04 .03
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.15 .11	.14 .11	.14 .11	.14 .11
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.4½ .07	.4 .1½	.4 .1½	.5 .1
1.00 Deer Trail Cons .....	.9½ .9	.9½ .9	.09½ .09½	.09½ .9
1.00 North Star.....	1.24 .4	1.18 .. .	1.20 .. .	1.20 .. .
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 day. div.	Stocks	Apr. 20	Apr. 21	Apr. 23.	Apr. 24	Apr. 25	
High	Low.	\$	\$					Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.
<b>BANKS.</b>													
283	274	2,000,000	5,000,000	June	\$200	7	Bank of Montreal .....	262	260	262	260	262	260
163	160	5,000,000	2,500,000	"	100	3	Merchants Bk of Can .....	160	160	160	160	160	160
148	140	5,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3	Canadian Bk of Com .....	147	150	147	147	150	148
130	122	1,500,000	1,571,687	April	\$70	3	British North America .....	118	116	118	116	118	116
124	120	2,500,000	700,000	June	\$100	5	Quebec Bank .....	125	125	126	127	125	125
243	235	2,000,000	1,500,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto .....	250	241	244	241	242	242
195	180	2,000,000	1,600,000	April	50	4	Molsons Bank .....	190	190	192	192	192	192
.....	.....	2,412,033	1,567,824	June	100	4	Imperial Bank .....	212	211	212	211	214	212
.....	.....	1,780,560	1,414,920	"	100	4	Ottawa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	1,000,000	900,000	"	50	4	Standard .....	201	198	200	198	201	196
.....	.....	1,752,280	2,005,601	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia .....	225	220	228	220	224	221
.....	.....	1,533,520	1,577,492	"	100	3	Merch's Bk of Halifax .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
111	105	2,000,000	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank of Canada .....	120	120	120	120	120	120
.....	.....	1,500,000	1,500,000	.....	50	3	Donner Bank .....	270	268	270	268	267	264
178	157	1,500,000	550,000	June	50	3	Eastern Townships Bk .....	166	166	168	166	168	166
.....	.....	1,195,650	1,000,000	.....	100	4	Hamilton .....	185	187	185	180	198	180
.....	.....	1,201,000	150,000	May	50	3	Banque Nationale .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	145
140	127	1,433,560	555,000	June	100	3	Hochelaga Bank .....	145	135	145	136	146	138
128	121	1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2	Ontario Bank .....	129	128	129	128	129	128
.....	.....	388,230	118,000	"	100	3	Western Bk of Can .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	127
.....	.....	500,000	265,000	"	27	.....	Jacques Cartier Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	823,820	70,000	.....	.....	.....	Traders .....	125	117	125	117	118	113
.....	.....	500,000	600,000	.....	.....	6	Bank of New Brunswick .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	180,000	140,000	.....	.....	4	People's Bk do .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	200,000	45,000	.....	.....	2	St. Stephen's Bk .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	2,819,900	486,600	.....	.....	2	Bk of British Columbia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	48,660	18,000	.....	.....	3	Summerside Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	200,020	65,000	.....	.....	4	Merchants Bk of P.E.I. .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
<b>SUPPLRS.</b>													
190	90	55,000,000	.....	Aug.	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry....	97	97	97	96	96	98
6	5	12,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	6	5	6	5	6	5
161	147	10,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr	16	15	16	15	17	15
194	166	13,333,300	2,605,320	May.	40	1	Commercial Cable .....	170	168	169	168	170	166
173	150	2,000,000	.....	"	100	2	Montreal Telegraph .....	170	165	170	165	170	162
.....	136	1,000,000	.....	"	.....	1	Dom. Telegraph Co. ....	.....	127	130	127	.....	128
115	101	1,740,000	150,846.30	May.	100	5	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co ..	103	105	109	108	109	108
361	281	5,000,000	334,217	"	50	2	Montreal Street Ry Co ..	262	260	262	260	257	256
270	264	15,010,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	New Montreal Street .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
67	62	2,997,704	.....	Aug.	100	1	Twin City .....	64	64	64	63	64	63
194	183	1,750,300	.....	Aug.	40	5	Montreal Gas Co. ....	184	184	184	184	185	182
275	130	452,000	.....	.....	100	.....	War Englo. ....	140	139	142	140	145	140
36	25	2,000,000	.....	.....	100	4	Mont. & London M. Co. ..	30	29	32	30	29	28
120	48	2,500,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Virtuo Consolidated .....	108	108	110	108	110	110
137	92	4,451,300	800,000	Aug.	100	2	Phyng & King Co. ....	120	118	120	119	118	117
153	171	2,250,000	.....	"	100	2	Bell Telephone Co .....	190	179	185	179	185	177
210	183	6,000,000	814,274	"	100	2	Royal Electric .....	202	201	202	201	201	201
104	97	800,000	.....	"	100	1	Toronto Street Ry .....	98	98	99	99	99	97
99	54	700,000	.....	"	100	1	Halifax Tram Co. ....	96	95	96	95	96	95
.....	.....	3,500,000	.....	.....	100	1m	People's Heat & Light ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
115	89	500,000	.....	.....	100	1m	Republic .....	106	103	106	103	103	101
125	.....	350,000	.....	.....	100	1	St. John Railway Co .....	175	125	175	125	.....	120
.....	.....	5,042,925	.....	Aug.	40	2	London Street Ry .....	.....	170	180	.....	175	.....
.....	.....	1,407,684	.....	.....	.....	.....	Can. N. W. Land Pfd. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
46	.....	15,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
118	116	2,000,000	.....	Aug.	100	4	Dominion Coal Co .....	44	47	44	47	43	47
.....	.....	500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6 pa	Dominion Coal Co. pr ..	115	117	115	100	50	115
49	30	500,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Windsor Hotel .....	100	100	100	100	100	100
80	.....	250,000	.....	.....	100	7 pa	Intercolonial Coal Co. ..	65	37	75	37	75	37
145	141	2,000,000	.....	June	100	2	Do. pref. stock .....	100	50	100	50	100	50
81	70	2,750,000	.....	"	100	1	Montreal Cotton Co .....	148	141	148	141	148	141
133	.....	800,000	.....	.....	100	4	Colored Cotton Co .....	50	79	80	77	80	70
105	90	3,100,000	.....	June	100	1	Merchants Cotton Co. ....	137	132	137	132	132	137
.....	.....	583,850	.....	.....	.....	.....	Dominion Cotton Co .....	102	100	102	100	101	100
140	.....	500,000	350,000	"	25	3	Montmorency Cotton .....	116	110	.....	.....	116	110
.....	.....	414,500	.....	July.	50	3	Mont. Loan & Mort Co. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	2,500,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	Western Loan & Tr. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Flemington Coal Co .....	20	.....	20	.....	22	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Diamond Glass Co. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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# NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

APRIL 25, 1900.

Range for Year 1900		Range for Year 1899		Outstanding Capital Stock.	Last Div. P. C.	CLOSING PRICES FROM APR. 18 TO APR. 24						TODAY'S PRICES			
High.	Low.	High.	Low.			18	19	20	21	23	24	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
37½	32½	46	30	5,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
137½	95½	182	114½	20,237,000	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	15½	4	36,968,000	3	106½	104½	105½	104	106	109½	115½	108	112	
59½	37½	72	32	27,861,300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
86½	27½	52½	20	21,600,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
111½	94½	129½	78½	25,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
49½	38	70	31½	28,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
29½	18½	24½	17	120,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
73	58½	68½	50½	114,199,500	14	20½	20½	20½	26	25½	25½	26	25½	25½	
89½	72½	61½	42½	25,000,000	2½	70½	71½	71½	69½	69½	69½	69½	69½	69½	
.....	.....	2½	2½	60,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
80½	63½	137	61	29,500,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
66½	59½	64½	42½	28,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
99	95½	99½	84½	65,000,000	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
58½	47½	70	48	15,000,000	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
33½	23	31½	23½	60,533,400	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
15½	11½	20½	10½	21,232,500	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
130½	119½	149½	114½	90,282,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
126½	115½	139½	112½	46,732,500	2½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
114½	104½	122½	99½	50,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
160½	159	173	141½	39,116,300	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	104½	185	22,396,800	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	60½	41	65,370,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
189	174½	223½	163	39,078,000	2½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
38	27½	65½	20	30,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
110½	113	125½	100½	35,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
186	173½	194½	157	26,200,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
76½	66½	80	63	39,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
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14½	11½	16½	10	112,232,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
133½	120	132	95½	18,276,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
53½	47	76½	37	24,027,300	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
57½	39½	75	30½	46,484,300	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
77½	70½	93½	67	53,253,500	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
25½	14½	68½	17½	17,442,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
70½	67½	95	62½	.....	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	208	196½	98,277,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
87½	77½	86½	63	52,800,000	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
101	90½	133½	85½	48,000,000	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
182½	155	260	147	40,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
38½	31½	45½	28½	13,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
56	38½	52½	33	47,507,000	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
23½	23	40	22½	14,905,400	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
121½	115	126½	97	22,519,000	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
139½	131	144½	120	115,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
82½	50½	57½	42½	80,000,000	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
78½	72½	81½	68	75,000,000	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
120	.....	128	91	18,559,153	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
26½	21	29½	18½	58,113,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
47½	34½	55	35	20,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
142½	128½	142	122½	129,303,250	2½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
111½	92	129½	90½	28,663,800	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
58½	48	61	43½	12,500,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
89½	80	91	75	12,500,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	207½	156	54,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
21½	17½	25	15½	69,900,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
66½	49	68½	42½	28,009,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
43	35½	44½	27	108,232,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
61½	51½	58½	40½	57,290,400	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
64	63½	69½	.....	15,010,000	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
19	14½	25½	12½	38,710,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
106	79½	126	38	20,000,000	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
135½	45½	242	168½	12,400,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
61½	44½	51½	38½	86,336,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
78½	73½	84½	66½	75,000,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
44	25½	57	42½	23,668,000	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
.....	.....	121	111	23,525,500	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
19	10½	40½	5½	61,509,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
77	70	81½	64	60,909,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
7½	6½	8½	6½	28,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
23½	19½	25½	19	24,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
88½	80½	98	82	97,370,000	1½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

\*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. sEx-D. 1½ p.c. zEx-rights. rEx-Div. ½ p.c.

## COTTON :

	Aug.	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May	July.
Opening.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.36	9.30
Closing.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.35	9.31

# NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

**LONDON PRICES FOR AMLR. STOCK SLIGHTLY IMPROVED — GOLD SHIPMENT THIS WEEK — SUGAR WAR IN PACKAGES AS WELL AS IN PRICES — MR. GATES SAID TO HAVE RESIGNED.**

New York, April 25

Americans in London are reported at a shade better than our closing prices.

The continental buying which was a feature of yesterday's London market still continues, the Pacific shares being in good demand at from 1/8 to 1/4 advance.

The news from South Africa is regarded as very satisfactory from a British standpoint, and the news of a substantial success by Lord Roberts would doubtless tend to stimulate speculation.

It is reported that National City Bank will make a shipment of gold this week. The bank claims that it will make a profit on the transaction, but the rate of sterling exchange does not show very clearly how this can be.

An official of Sugar Co. says story that the war has been settled is untrue. It is the same old lie. Beginning this morning, the A. S. R. is prepared to furnish standard grades of refined sugar in two and five pound packages. This appears to be a new drive at the Arbutles package business.

St. Paul earnings good; increase \$77,657.

Gates' resignation discredited by officials.

New York (noon) April 25.

Sugar has absorbed the bulk of speculative interest throughout the morning. The stock opened rather unsettled and sold down nearly 2 points from its final figures. Since then the stock has had a rise of 4 points and it looks tremendously strong.

The idea prevails regarding sugar that while Mr. Havemeyer has been perfectly sincere in what he has said regarding the affairs of the company, that other powerful interests have taken a hand in the game and may have obtained control of the stock over his head. In fact, the Street is disposed to find a parallel between Sugar at the present time, and Third Avenue as it was when the Met. purchase began.

Mr. Havemeyer was quoted this morning as declaring there was absolutely no change in the situation and he emphasized the statement with considerable vigor. It does not change the opinion of the Street, however, that developments of great moment are going on in Sugar affairs and the course of the stock certainly requires something more than merely negative explanations and denials.

There is little worth comment in the remainder of the market. The railroad list has been rather heavy without anything particularly new attaching to the course of any stocks in that quarter.

Yesterday's predictions regarding the St. Paul earnings were very wide of the mark, as a handsome increase was reported.

The coal stocks were not materially affected by the announcement that the railroad commissioners had authorized the construction of the Kingston & Delaware River road, nor by the further rumors of labor troubles in the coal regions.

Mop. has been rather erratic, but shows rather better support than it has since the reaction in the stock.

Stories of large purchases for the account of the Standard Oil people are printed in the papers and have probably induced some buying.

So. Pacific and the other Pacific stocks show some effective pressure in the absence of any decided support.

The industrial quarter, outside of Sugar, has developed no feature of interest. The preference stocks of all these companies are firm, chiefly perhaps because now that attention has been directed so strongly towards these stocks, it is recognized that there is probably a degree of value in the preferred stocks, no matter what may happen to the common.

The local traactions have been inactive with the exception of Manhattan, which has fluctuated rather widely on apprehension as to the issue of the controversy between the company and the park commissioners, which may have some definite issue to-day.

The City Bank announces the shipment to-morrow of \$250,000 gold, and now that the movement has started it will run along intermittently, but according to precedent it is likely the stock market has discounted the matter.

## CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Ap 23, 1900.

Capital.	Par Value.	Asked
1,500,000	\$1.00	Acacia . . . . . 30 1/2
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n . . . . . 100
300,000	1.00	Ben Hur . . . . . 100
		Black Belle . . . . . 11 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee . . . . . 5 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	Crocus . . . . . 100
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor . . . . . 10
2,000,000	1.00	C. C. Cons . . . . . 13 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. & M. . . . . 10 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Dante . . . . . 100
2,000,000	1.00	Damon . . . . . 21 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton . . . . . 100
1,500,000	1.00	Flower . . . . . 4 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Findly . . . . . 16 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin . . . . . 100
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign . . . . . 100
2,000,000	1.00	Gold-tone . . . . . 100
1,000,000	1.00	Gold . . . . . 40
		Hart . . . . . 17 1/2
		Hayden . . . . . 2 1/2
1,225,000	1.00	Indepen. T. & M. . . . . 73 1/2
2,250,000	1.00	Isabel . . . . . 125 1/2
500,000	1.00	Ida May . . . . . 100
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot . . . . . 6 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone . . . . . 17 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Kitoberly . . . . . 8 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington . . . . . 14 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Madison . . . . . 100
500,000	1.00	Mad. Vich. . . . . 7 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Magnet . . . . . 3 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Maria A . . . . . 4 1/2
		Midway . . . . . 100
1,000,000	1.00	M'n Beauty . . . . . 9 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget . . . . . 21 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	New Haven . . . . . 6 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Oriole . . . . . 4 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	Pappoose . . . . . 107 1/2
3,000,000	1.00	Portland . . . . . 24 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Princess . . . . . 10 1/2
		Raven . . . . . 10 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Silver State . . . . . 2 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle . . . . . 100
1,000,000	1.00	Sacramento . . . . . 100
		Tornado . . . . . 48 1/2
		Union . . . . . 4 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Work . . . . . 3 1/2
		Zenobia . . . . . 20

## HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY

Month of March	\$1,785.93	Inc.	\$1,189.00
For week ending	April 7	2,176.11	Inc. 154.77
"	14	2,259.70	318.57
"	21	2,285.24	240.56

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## MINING NEWS.

### THE OKANOGAN MINE.

Rosslund, April 17.

Messrs. K. K. Peiser and G. M. King, secretary and director of the Okanogan Free Gold Mines, Limited, have returned from a visit to the properties of the company at Oroville, Wash. They speak enthusiastically of the condition and outlook of the property. In a talk had with Mr. King that the work of developing the property was in full swing. The mistakes and blunders of the former management are being corrected and the mine is being put in first class condition. There are some 2000 tons of ore blocked out and ready for stopping. There are some very large deposits of low grade ore on the property besides considerable of a fair grade. What is wanted in order to reduce this ore at more of a profit is cheaper power, and this can be obtained at the Similkameen falls, close to the mine. The fall of the water here is 25 feet, and by harnessing these big falls the company would not only have sufficient power for mining and milling, but could supply it to adjoining properties. The whole country there is awaiting the installation of this power. When it is installed we can reduce the ore at much less cost than at present, and it will serve to bring within the range of profit some of the ore on the property that cannot be handled at present. The intention is to run the property on as economical a basis as possible and to block out sufficient ore to warrant the installation of 20 more stamps in the fall. Then the company will have a big proposition and one that should yield large profits to the stockholders. They have struck the main ledge in the lower level. The Great Northern Railway will, it is thought be constructed to Bonaparte creek within the next few months and this will bring it to within 15 miles of the property of the company, and this will considerably cut down the price of getting in our supplies. The management of the mine and the mill is in first class hands and Messrs King and Peiser feel very confident that the property can in time be made to yield large profits to the stockholders.

### EVENING STAR.

Stopping from around the raise in the lower level continues. The mine is looking very well. Mr. G. B. McAulay, the largest stockholder in the Evening Star, is in the city and will inspect it today. He is on his way to Camp McKinney, whither he goes to look at the Cariboo property. Three cars were loaded for Northport during the week, and will be sent there on Monday.

### THE YEARLY OUTPUT.

Of Western Ontario Compared With That of Cripple Creek.

The striking similarity in the increased yearly output of the Cripple Creek district of Colorado, in the early years of its development, as compared with that now being made by Western Ontario, has frequently caused comment and has led many to the conclusion that Western Ontario will exceed Cripple Creek in relative increase. In a few short years Colorado has become the leading gold producing state of the American union, and we believe it will not be long till Ontario is the leading gold producing province of the Dominion, and possibly exceed that of any of the States to the South.

The following statistics in regard to the Cripple Creek district will be of interest: In 1891, \$200,000 in gold were taken out of these now world-famous mines; in 1892 they yielded \$600,000; in '93 the production was \$2,500,000; in '94 it reached \$4,000,000; in '95, \$8,100,000; in '96, \$10,000,000; in '97, \$12,500,000; in '98, \$15,002,000, and in '99, last year, the output reached the enormous sum of \$20,346,342. The indications at present are that the yield of 1900 will be far in excess of any previous year since the discovery of gold in Cripple Creek.

This steady increase has not alone been caused by the discovery of new deposits of great richness, but also because of the development of metallurgical science which has in a sense created the gold, because it has made possible the recovery of the metal from the low-grade ores of Colorado, which could not otherwise have been profitably worked. In Colorado they have a few properties of great richness, but the leading producers are what are termed the low-grade properties. In this the similarity with Ontario is also seen. We have possibly more of what are called high grade properties, but we have also immense deposits of the lower grade ore which will make the great mines of the future.

In 1897 our mines produced \$190,214 in gold; in 1898, \$275,078; in 1899, \$434,283. This year with a largely increased number of stamps at work, the estimated output is placed at \$2,000,000, and so we are following in the lead of Cripple Creek but the probability is that with our more extensive and higher grade deposits we will outstrip her when we get to the stage of development now reached in Colorado. —Rat Portage Miner.

### STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, April 24.

Golden Star—5000, 8½. 4000, 8¼. 2000 S.  
White Bear—2500, 13¼  
B. C. G. F.—5,000, 3¼.  
J. —1—250, 2.  
Virtue—1000, 11¼.  
Deer Trail—2500, 9.  
Ram, Cariboo—1000, 26.  
Athabasca—500, 27.

### TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, April 24.

Van Anda—2400, 3¼.  
White Bear—6000, 11½.  
Dardanelles—500, 21¼; 500, 21½.  
Golden Star—1000, 8.  
Fairview—2000, 4¼.  
Rathmullen—500, 3¼.  
Ram, Cariboo—1000, 26½.  
Deer Trail—11,000, 9¼.  
Mont. G. F.—5000, 5¼.

### THE BANK STATEMENT FOR MARCH.

The government statement of the position of the Canadian Banks for the month of March, shows changes which indicate very plainly the growth of general business throughout the country. It will be seen from the following table, the changes as compared with the position last year are marked, the most notable item being the increase in the current loans, which amounts to \$38,000,000. Call loans show an increase of some \$800,000, as against the amount outstanding a year ago, but are less by \$1,500,000 than in February, 1900. Deposits on demand and notice have increased in the year \$21,600,000, but as compared with February, are less by \$2,300,000.

#### LIABILITIES.

	1900.	1899.
Capital paid up, \$64,245,727	\$ 63,352,312	
Reserve fund . . . . .	30,416,762	28,147,797
Amount in circulation . . . . .	43,814,918	38,409,227
Due Dom. Government . . . . .	2,982,924	2,907,100
Due Prov. Government . . . . .	3,151,616	2,565,343
Public deposits on demand . . . . .	91,852,305	80,915,386
Public deposits on notice . . . . .	172,936,941	131,382,629
Deposits on notice from other Canadian banks . . . . .	2,371,085	3,354,354
Balances due to foreign banks . . . . .	1,248,503	68,323
Balances due to banks in United Kingdom . . . . .	4,423,988	5,169,337
Total . . . . .	\$322,782,383	\$301,391,979

#### ASSETS.

Specie . . . . .	\$ 9,440,138	\$ 9,246,394
Dom. notes . . . . .	16,655,394	15,983,380
Deposits with Dominion Government . . . . .	2,056,308	1,995,523
Notes, etc., of other banks . . . . .	8,678,073	8,920,496
Deposits with other banks on demand . . . . .	3,714,834	3,710,484
Balance due from foreign banks . . . . .	16,540,872	21,383,335
Balance due from United Kingdom banks . . . . .	7,434,772	11,607,741
Dominion Government debentures . . . . .	4,509,671	5,049,617
Municipal and other securities . . . . .	17,009,746	16,551,338
Railway securities . . . . .	11,577,428	13,480,790
Call loans . . . . .	28,956,114	28,156,434
Current loans . . . . .	279,023,194	240,568,675
Loan to Provincial Government . . . . .	1,804,498	2,772,065
Loans to Dominion Government . . . . .		
Overdue debts . . . . .	1,928,177	2,463,546
Real estate, etc. . . . .	1,080,879	1,809,603
Mortgages . . . . .	672,676	567,527
Bank premises . . . . .	6,172,452	6,031,521
Other assets . . . . .	3,127,156	2,148,505
Total . . . . .	\$423,326,605	\$394,536,722

Aggregate loans to directors . . . . .	9,777,107	7,190,627
Average specie held . . . . .	9,586,045	9,289,834
Average Dominion notes held . . . . .	16,854,714	16,104,491
Greatest circulation at any time . . . . .	44,280,053	38,911,600



# 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	6	5	1 00	3,600,000			Gold, Copper.	
Deer Park	6		00	1,250,000			Gold	do
Grand Prize	3		1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Gold Hills	4 1/2	2 1/2	1 00	2,000,000			do	do
Homestake	12		1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Iron Colt	12 1/2		1 00	1,000,000			do	do
St. Elmo	6	3	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Victory Triumph	6	4	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 1/2	10	1,000,000			Gold.	do
California	10 1/2	9 1/2	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Evening Star	10	7	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Iron Mask	7 1/2		1 00	500,000			do	do
Monte Christo	4 1/2	3 1/2	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Montreal Gold Fields	6	5	25	800,000			do	do
Novolty	3	1	1	750,000			do	do
Virginia	6	2	1 00	5,000,000			do	do
War Eagle	1 45	1 40	1 00	1,750,000	1 1/2	21 paid.	do	do
Dardanelles	4	1 1/2	1 00	100,000			Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.C.
Fern	5	2	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	Nelson, B.C.
Noble Five	5	2	1 00	1,200,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo	20	22 1/2	1 00	1,250,000		Monthly	Gold.	Slocan, B.C.
Slocan Sovereign	30	25	1 00	1,500,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-Leuc. 300	29 1/2	27	24	452,000	1 1/2	Quarterly	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.O.
Cariboo Mackinaw	95		1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly	Gold.	Camp Mackinaw, B.C.
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	76	56	1 00	1,500,000			do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides	50	50	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Pay Ore	8		10	250,000			do	do
King (Oro de Noro)		27 1/2	1 00	2,000,000			do	do
Rathmullen	4	3	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown	27 1/2	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	8 1/2	8	1 00	975,000			do	do
Golden Star	8 1/2	7 1/2	1 00	1,200,000			do	do
Republio	1 04	1 02 1/2	1 00	3,500,000	1pc	Quarterly	do	Republio.
Jim Blaine	36	31	1	1,000,000			do	do
Lone Pine	25	20	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Black Tail	17 1/2	13	1 0	1,250,000			do	do
Deer Trail Cou.	9 1/2	9	1 00	2,000,000	1pc	Quarterly	do	Spokane Co., Wash
Princess Maud	11	7 1/2	10	1,000,000			do	Republio.
Smuggler	3 1/2	3 1/2	1 0	1,200,000			do	Fairview Camp, B.C.
Virtue	1 11	1 09	1 00	2,000,000			do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne	1 19 1/2	1 18 1/2	1 00	3,000,000			Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	33 00	34 00	25 00	2,000,000			Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic			5 00	5,000,000			Gold.	Cariboo District.
Van Anda	9	7 1/2	1 00	5,000,000			do	Texada Island.
Carnes Creek Cons.	10 1/2		1 00	1,000,000			do	Revelstoke, B.C.

## BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDEEMABLES.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	192 1/2	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do Stock.....	101 1/2	1925.....	" "
7,080,000	3	" "	do do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbour Bonds Currency....	116	1913 & 1914 & Jly	" "
136,700	5	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Banetts & Bosanquet.
84,260	4	" "	do do do	101-106	1901, 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 C. 'um 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.....	166 1/2	1917	" "
20,000,000	4	Ja.Ap..Ju. Oc	Commercial Cable Coupons. 1.....	103 1/2	2397	" "
			do do Registered. 1.....			" "
2300,000	4 1/2	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 Je.	100	1910.....	" "
	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 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.	Richelieu & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	" "
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric. ....			" "
2,793,933	4 1/2	1st Mch Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	" "
450,000	4	1st Jan. July	Windsor Hotel.....	100	1912.....	Bank of Montreal.
			Dom. Coal Bonds.....	110 1/2		" "

\* 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 25, 1900.

From the Bartlett Frazier Co., Chicago. H. J. Coon, Manager, 23 St. Sacramento St.

WHEAT AND CORN. CLOSED STRONG AT THE CLOSE. PRICE, 1 CENT FOR WHEAT AND 1/2 CENTS FOR CORN—PROVISIONS STRONG AT 20 CENTS ADVANCE.

Chicago, April 24

Liverpool—Wheat opened firm 1/8 higher, second Cal 3/8 higher, shorts covering. Corn strong, 1/4 higher; second cable 5/8 higher; active demand, market bare of stocks.

Paris wheat and flour 10 higher. Opening, wheat, May, 5.0 1/2; July, 5.8 1/2; closing, wheat, May, 5.0 1/2; July, 5.8 1/2.

Opening, corn, May, 4.1; July, 4.0 1/2. closing, corn, May, 4.1 1/2; July, 4.0 1/2.

New York opened steady, 1/2 higher, with good demand.

Chicago—Wheat opened strong, 3/8 higher, and now 1/2 higher. The foreign markets, like our own, are sold to a standstill and shorts abroad have started to cover. Shorts here will probably follow. Foreigners are buying wheat this a. m. Look out for a howl from Northwest on dry weather in No. Dakota. It's getting serious.

Corn—Opened strong, 1/8 to 1/4 higher. This will probably be the last day you will be able to buy July corn under 40. I believe there is 10 cents a bushel in buying July corn.

Oats strong, 3/8 higher, with good demand.

Provisions opened strong, now heavy, selling by prominent brokers and packers. On all bulges packers selling.

Car lots wheat, estimates, 50; receipts, 42; contracts 0; shipments, 16,683 winter; 21,000 spring.

Car lots corn, estimates, 235; receipts, 265; contract 130; shipments 123,501.

Car lots oats, estimates, 80; receipts, 78 contract 7, shipments none.

N. W. cars—Minn., 175; Duluth, 85. Last week, 187; last year, 292.

Primary receipts Last week, receipts, 308,440, shipments, 82,918.

Last year, receipts, 442,775; shipments, 156,479.

Four ports, last year, receipts 171,646; shipments, 299,060.

Exports flour, last year, 41,086 barrels. Hogs to-day, 25,000; to-morrow, 24,000.

—CLOSING PRICES APR. 19 TO APR. 24.— TO-DAY'S PRICES.—

	19	20	21	23	24	Openlnk.	Highest	Lowest	Closg
Wheat—									
May.....	60 1/2 B	65 1/2	67 1/2	64 1/2 A	65 1/2 A	65 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2	66 1/2 B
July.....	60 1/2 B	68 1/2 A	68 1/2 B	60 1/2 B	60 1/2 A	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2 A
Sept.....	67 1/2 B	67 1/2 B	67 1/2 B	67 1/2	67 1/2	68-68 1/2	68 1/2	68	68 1/2 A
Corn—									
May.....	38 1/2	3 3/4 B	38 1/2	37 1/2 B	38 1/2 A	38 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2	39 1/2 B
July.....	39 1/2 A	39 1/2 B	39 1/2	39 1/2 B	39 1/2 A	39 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2 A
Sept.....	40 1/2 B	40 B	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2 B	40 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2 B
Oats—									
May.....	23 1/2 B	23	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
July.....	23 1/2 B	23 1/2	23 1/2	23	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Sept.....	23 1/2 B	22 1/2 B	22 1/2	22	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Port—									
May.....	13 00	12 00 A	12 77	12 45	12 55	12 03-67	12 72	12 50	12 72
July.....	13 15	13 00	12 85	12 63	12 70	12 77	12 90	12 65	12 87-90
Sept.....									
Lard—									
May.....	7 22 B	7 10	6 95	6 92 B	7 02	7 07	7 17	7 02	7 17
July.....	7 32 A	7 17-20	7 05-7	7 02	7 10 B	7 15-17	7 25	7 07-10	7 25
Sept.....	7 37 A	7 25	7 10	7 05	7 12-15	7 17-20	7 27	7 12-15	7 27
St. Lard—									
May.....	7 15-7	7 05 A	6 92	6 85	6 92-95	6 97	7 02	6 95	7 02
July.....	7 15-7	7 05 B	6 85	6 90 A	7 00-2	7 05-07	7 07-10	7 00	7 07-10
Sept.....	7 10-2	7 02	6 95	6 85	6 95	7 00	7 05	6 95	7 05

## TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS	Shares Par Value	CAPITAL. Paid up.	Rest as per Last Statement.	Div. per cent. Last half year.	Buyers
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>					
British America.....	50	\$ 750,000	\$ 470,381	3 1/2	115
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	1296,743	5	157
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7 1/2	277 1/2
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	.....	147
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....	2 1/2 qtr	213
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40	400,000	.....	.....	54
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100	1,400,000	.....	1 1/2	131 1/2
" " " " New.....	.....	240,000	.....	1 1/2	131 1/2
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	107 1/2
" " " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	.....	3	106 1/2
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000	1	80
<b>LOAN and SAVINGS CO.</b>					
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100	398,481	124,000	3	.....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	100,000	1	38
Can. Lauded & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,004,000	250,000	3	80
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	113
" " " " 20 per cent.....	50	600,000	.....	3	130
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	754,175	220,000	3	115
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	360,000	1 1/2 qtr	135
" " " " 20 per cent.....	100	325,000	.....	.....	128
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	2 1/2	75 1/2
Freehold " " " " 20 per cent.....	100	476,100	300,000	3	77
" " " " " " " " 20 per cent.....	100	843,000	.....	3	77
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	110
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	750,000	4 1/2	177
" " " " " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	.....	4 1/2	169
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100	725,155	50,000	3	80
Laurel Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000	3	112
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	709,000	210,000	1 1/2 qtr	80
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	83,000	3	107
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	63
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	.....	45
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	100	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3 1/2	122
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	699,425	40,000	.....	112
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	34
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	600,000	105,000	3	27
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	695,020	200,000	1	33
Western Canada " " " " " " " " 25 per cent.....	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	85
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " 25 per cent.....	.....	500,000	.....	3	90

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