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Montreal Stock Market.

FAIRLY STRONG MARKET WITH COMPARATIVELY LITTLE DOING—CABLE AND ELECTRIC THE FEATURES,

Montreal, Nov. 18.

The local market was fairly strong under the despatch notices of a strong London market for Americans, although Consols were 3-10 lower....The New York bank statement, as was expected, the beginning of a new and more favorable series. Lessened money rate on Wall Street will affect rates here and taken business. Royal Electric was strong at 181, Commercial Cable at 194. Some activity on a good basis took place in Virtue. The list of sales below indicate no great volume of business, but an evident firm adherence to previous valuation. With the advent of more money as appears in bank statements and in Bond transactions now in fact amounting to \$3,000,000, the new week may be expected to bring more activity.

MORNING SALES.

Com. Cable—1, 194. 100, 194.
Twin City—100, 62½.
Roy, Elec—29, 161.
Tor. Ry.—75, 108½.
Republic—200, 118.
Virtue—1500, 49. 500, 50.
Montreal-London—100, 47.
Mont. Teleg.—125, 177.
N. W. Land Com.—400, 18½.
B. of Mont. x-d—3, 266.

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

Reserve, inc.	2,476,925
Loan, dec.	8,622,800
Legal, inc.	781,700
Deposit, dec.	7,984,100
Specie, dec.	295,800
Circulation, inc.	95,900

STRAWS.

On Thursday Cotton rallied and prices showed 3 to 4 points net advance.

Chicago—Rock Island earnings first ten days this month show daily average gain of \$1500 per day.

Boston — Boston & Maine directors declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ p.c. on the common stock. Dividend is payable January 1st to stock on record Dec. 1. Books close Dec. 1; reopen Dec. 8.

Bank of England proportion of reserve to liability 41.5 p.c. against 42.3 p.c. last week. Bullion in the bank for the week decreased £540,000.

Boston—Directors of Chicago, Burlington & Quincy have declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1½ p.c., payable Dec. 15 to stock on record Nov. 20.

Atchison — The apparent inclination of London to buy Atch. pfd, together with prospects of a large increase in October, account for the spurt in Atchison in Wall Street. Indications all point to a continuation of the large earnings the company has recently been showing. After the first of the year when the new line is completed to San Francisco the company's position will be stronger than ever before. It is strengthening its position by building lines and making alliances wherever best results are assured. There are rumors faintly uttered that the dividend rate may be increased next month. There is nothing official in regard to this matter.

A sugar broker says:—"I have personal knowledge that there is a movement going on for the settlement of all the unpleasantness that has existed in the sugar trade for the past year, I do not know the details of the plan, but I am assured that it does not contemplate the purchase of other refineries by the American Sugar Refining Co. It looks as though the settlement would result in the establishment of similar relations between Sugar Refinery and the Independents, to those which used to exist between the company and the old independents. That is to say, all will make substantially the same prices."

LONDON AND PARIS.

Nov. 18, 1899.

Bank of England rate.....	5
Open discount rate.....	4½
Paris Rentes.....	100-40
French Exchange.....	25f. 24½
Consols, money.....	108½
Canadian Pacific.....	97½
New York Central.....	141½
St. Paul.....	130.
Union Pacific.....	79½

LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....	94
" 1st preference.....	86½
" 2nd ".....	57½
" 3rd ".....	22½
G. T. R. Com.....	
O. P. R.....	98½

TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Oct. earnings....	\$111,465.37	Inc.....	\$11,816.21
Nov. 8,	3,351.42	.....Dec.	214.43
" 9,	3,485.46	.....	147.20
" 11,	4,687.91	.....Inc.	309.83
" 12,	1,504.89	.....	168.95
" 13,	3,410.70	.....Dec.	283.80
" 14,	3,425.18	.....	145.29
" 15,	3,345.00	.....Inc.	9.78

MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

October earnings	\$145,878.20,	Inc.	\$12,459.57
Nov. 10,	4,449.49	.....Inc.	333.11
" 11,	4,023.20	.....	304.71
" 12,	3,668.17	.....	220.14
" 13,	4,824.65	.....	440.75
" 14,	4,036.31	.....	224.67
" 15,	4,565.06	.....	332.57
" 16,	4,715.70	.....	316.87

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

For week ending	Compared with previous week
Nov. 12....	\$2,058.50.....Dec. \$85.20.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE

WEEK CLOSES QUIET — KING (ORO DENORO) BEING IN GOOD DEMAND — VIRTUE SELLS AT 48.

Montreal, Nov. 18.

The market closes after an average week's work,—nearly a quarter of a million shares having been sold.—Stocks remain fairly strong, although Big Three showed renewed signs of weakness, it sold repeatedly to-day at 10½, 1000 shares selling at 10. In the near future the cost of reducing the ores of the Republic mine will be curtailed 30 per cent by the erecting of a new mill and by a new process of handling the ores made possible by the installation of this new machinery. Mr. C. J. McCuaig, in speaking of the prospect of this mine, says: "We never before had such rich ore in the Republic as we now have." The stock was offered this morning at 117, 115 being bid.

Deer Trail No. 2 is selling ex-div to-day. Although there were no sales recorded, it was offered at 20, 19½ being bid. On the 10th of this month the company declared the regular monthly dividend No. 18 of a quarter of a cent per share, or \$2500 in all. The payment will be made Nov. 25 to stockholders of record on Nov. 20."

King sold at 30 and 31, it closes strong, 8000 shares changing hands.

During the week there have been several sales of the King mine, the demand has been good, the news from the property being of the best. Shipments are already in order, the railway having lately been constructed to the dump of the Oro Denoro, the line runs through the property on the surface, the railway graders exposed a body of shipping ore 40 feet wide.

Among those stocks which are seldom traded in are Old Ironsides and Knob Hill, both of which are making satisfactory progress. The ore in the Knob Hill is said to be looking better than ever, crosscutting and drifting is in progress on the Old Ironsides, the shaft is being sunk to the 400-foot level. The tunnel in the Knob Hill is in a distance of 835 feet and is still being extended. The railway spurs to both properties have been graded and will soon be in working order.

MORNING SALES.

Big Three—1300, 10½. 1000, 10.
Virtue—500, 48.
California—500, 13.
Slocan Sov.—1000, 35.
King 1000, 30. 5000, 31.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Nov. 17.

SALES :

Golden Star—2500, 30. 4000, 29.
White Bear—17,000, 3½.
Winnipeg—2500, 8½.
Fairview—7500, 8.
Van Anda—7000, 7½.
B. C. G. Fields—3000, 3½. 1000, 3½.
Republic—500, 115½.
Waterloo—1000, 18½.
Crow's Nest Coal—10, \$35.00.
Gold Hills—1000, 5½.
Deer Trail—2500, 20.

GIANT.

Mr. Nicholas Tregear, who has charge of the development of the Giant, says that he has found the main vein of the property. The place of the mine is a short distance above the old workings and dips into the hill. He thinks that the shaft sunk on the property by the former management was in a slide.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

Reported by W. I. Fenwick, Exchange Court, 10 Hospital Street. Bell Tel, Main 8035, Bell Tel, Ur 1867.

	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	Nov. 15.		Nov. 16.		Nov. 17.		Nov. 18.	
1.00 Payne xd.....	1.13	1.11	1.12	1.10½	1.13	1.11	1.13	1.11
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	2.75	2.87	2.90	2.75	2.80	2.75	2.85	2.70
1.00 Republic xd.....	1.17½	1.15	1.20	1.15	1.18	1.15½	1.17	1.15
1.00 Virtue.....	.48	.44	.46½	.45	.47½	.47	.48	.47½
.24 Montreal-London xd.....	.47	.46	.49½	.49	.48½	.47	.49	.45
1.00 Big Three.....	.11	.10	.11	.10½	.11	.10½	.10½	.09½
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.30	.27	.30	.27	.30	.27	.30	.27
1.00 California.....	.13	.12½	.13	.12	.13	.12½	.13	.12½
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.10½	.09½	.09½	.09	.08½	....	.09	.07½
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	1.05	....	....	....	1.10	....	1.05	....
1.00 Evening Star.....	.11	.07½	.11	.07	.11	.07½	.11	.07½
.25 Fern.....	.09	.05	.10	.05	.10	.05	.10	.05
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.07	.05	.07	.05	.07	.05	.07	.05
1.00 Iron Colt.....	.04½	.03½	.04½	.03½	.04½	.03½	.04½	.03½
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.85	.75	.90	....	.90	.80	.90	.83
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.08½	.08	.08½	.08	.08½	.07½	.08	.07
.25 Montreal-Gold Fields.....	.10	.09½	.9	.9	.9½	.08½	.10	.09
1.00 Noble Five.....	.20	.16	.19	....	.19	.15	.20	.15
.10 Novelty.....	.03½	.03	.03½	.02½	.03½	.03	.03½	.03
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.09	....	1.09	....	1.09	.98	1.09	1.00
1.00 Virginia.....	.08½	.05	.08½	.05	.08½	.05	.08½	.05
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.62	.55	.60½	.55	.61	.53½	....	....
1.00 Bullion.....	.55	.30	.55	....	.55	....	.57	.27
1.00 Decca.....	.23	.17½	.22½	.19	.23	.19	.20	.19½
1.00 Morrison.....	.16	.11½	.13	.11	.16	.11	.12½	.10
1.00 Golden Star.....	.33	.30½	.31	.28	.33½	.30	.33	.30½
1.00 Slocan Sov.....	.35	.34	.37	.34	.35½	.35	.35½	.34½
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	.18	....	.18	....	.18	....	....	....
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.09½	.08	.09	.08	.08½	.07½	.08½	.07½
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.32½	.31	.32½	.30½	.32½	.31	.33	.30
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.13½	.11½	.13	....	.14	.11	.13½	.10½
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2.....	.20½	.20	.21	.19½	.20	.19½	.20	.19½
1.00 North Star.....	1.05	1.02	1.04	1.05	.95
1.00 Kenneth.....

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NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

ONE-FIFTH OF GOV. BONDS PRESENTED FOR REDEMPTION — WITH SMALL LOSS IN CASH AND DECREASE IN LOANS BANK STATEMENT IS BETTER — B. & O. THE FEATURE YESTERDAY, SELLING HIGHER THAN NO. PAC., A REGULAR DIVIDEND PAYER — MARKET MODERATELY BULLISH.

New York, Nov. 18.

Although British Consols are down 3-16, the London markets are, as a whole, strong Americans showing advances of 1/4 to 1/2.

So. Pac. and B. & O. pfd are active, former selling at 44.

The Transvaal news is said to be somewhat more encouraging, although as far as our papers are concerned, news is conspicuous by its absence. It is estimated that so far some 5,000,000 bonds have been turned into the treasury. Not much of the money which will be received for these bonds will appear in this week's bank statement, but nevertheless the statement is expected to make a much better showing than last week. The banks have sustained a comparatively small loss in cash.

There is believed to have been a fairly heavy decrease in loans and it should be remembered that last Saturday's statement was probably made on rising averages.

The Street is gradually coming round to the opinion that before the end of the month the whole 25,000,000 bonds will have been presented for redemption.

The most interesting feature of yesterday's market was the sudden strength of B. & O. pfd. One house alone taking between 10 and 15,000 shares, the purchase being ascribed to Mr. J. J. Hill or to Mr. D. O. Mills. The traders were somewhat cautious about following this lead. As far as can be ascertained no dividend will be declared for about 60 days, and even should a dividend be declared, the stock is already selling higher than Nor. Pac. pfd, which is a regular dividend payer.

It is thought that the Havemeyer interests were buyers of Sugar.

In Un. Pac., Harriman brokers continued to take considerable blocks. The temper of the room continues to be moderately bullish.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK.

None of the six stocks that showed advances last week appear in the same favorable side of our list this week, Manhattan being the chief loser to the amount of 7 1/2. Metropolitan coming next with recession of 3 1/2. Pacific Mail has weakened 3 points losing by this 1/2 more than it secured last week, and Anaconda Copper scored 2 1/2 less than its previous record. New York Central fell off 1/2 point and Sugar, though strong, in the end of the week, is 1/4 lower.

The seven stocks that have shown vigor are American Tobacco with 2 1/2 advance, Northwest with 2, Un. Pacific (com.) with 1 1/2, Con. Gas with 1, Brooklyn Rapid Transit with 1/2, Northern Pacific (com.) with 1/2, Union Pacific pfd with 1/2.

The other stocks showing lowered valuations are Chicago B. & Q. 1/2 lower, Pennsylvania 1/2 lower, St. Paul 1 lower, Rubber 1/2 lower, Northern Pacific pfd 1 1/2 lower, Steel and Wire 1 1/2 lower, Chic. R. I. and Pacific 1 1/2 lower, Tennessee Coal and Iron 2 lower, People's Gas 2 1/2 lower, Leather pfd 3 1/2 lower. In Air Brake and Tin Plate there were again no sales. Manhattan declining with the high money rates had special influences at work tending towards decline. Reduction of the bonds on the Rapid Transit Tunnel to \$5,000,000 by the Su-

preme Court being one of these. Another was the \$238,000 loss in surplus and the loaning though on remunerative basis of the last stock issue. The following note about Manhattan is interesting. The time given by the Park Department for Manhattan to move out of Battery Park expires next Friday (to-day) Russel Sage says "I believe the company has rights in Battery Park, or it would not remain there and I don't believe it will be forced out." President Murphy, of the Board of Health, has cited the officers of Manhattan to appear before the Board on Wednesday and show cause why they should not ventilate their cars better, and provide greater safety in their running gear. Manhattan in quarterly report filed in Albany Saturday shows \$100,000 increase of net earnings for the quarter ending Sept 30th, but even with this the dividend was not earned. The quarter reported on, is however said by bulls to be always the poorest of the year in point of earnings and one large dealer in it says that he is buying Manhattan not for its present earnings, but on the value of its franchise and the future earning prospects.

Those who have the management of the Leather Co. are said to be unacquainted with the cause of advance in the common stock. Till the late extraordinary movement common was considered good only for voting purposes. Holders of it sold out eagerly in its advance round 10 and 12. The business of the company, it is thought, will this year show \$35,000,000 handled and net earnings from this are being estimated considerably over 10 millions.

Metropolitan Street Railway gross earnings from July 1 to Nov. 1 were \$1,729,625 an increase of \$601,000, and yet it has declined 3 1/2.

Tennessee Coal and Iron had a considerable break on the execution of stop orders and on a special attack by some operators who are supposed to have been on the short side for some time.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit has held up firmly on good buying by people who have looked into the property and studied its future. Present political attacks very much resemble last year's ones when the welfare of the employees of the system was an object of great anxiety among politicians.

Northern Pacific, the common stock of which advanced 1/2 this week, is following out its policy of retiring first mortgage bonds by means of large land sales. The remaining bonds, it is thought, will be retired at once. Holders of this stock were not surprised to learn that October earnings amounted to \$1,800,000. They believe that equipment and facilities have not yet overtaken all the possible business. One very favorable feature about the road is that no trouble is anticipated about its coal supply. In Washington it has the Roseland mines, in Montana the Rocky Fork mines, in North Dakota the Mandan mines and others at Lehigh, and for its eastern division it has an abundant supply at Duluth. This road has acquired valuable water front privileges in the far West and contemplates erection of immense grain and flour storage warehouses to be used in connection with its oriental trade. Its preferred stock suffered 1 1/2 of recession this week, but it has shown considerable activity and on its merit both classes of stock will probably, it is thought advance in value.

About Sugar, there has been as usual much hearsay report with a few facts as the basis of much conjecture which may or may not be true. A new plan of sugar sales will be announced on the 1st of January by the American Sugar Refining Co. This, it is considered, will be a formal completion of the understanding already existing between the Arbuckles and the American Co. An advance instalment of this agreement is found by many in the advance which the Arbuckles made last week in the price of Arisaca Coffee, but Willett and Gray see no agreement in this. They see in this an assertion

rather of increased aggressiveness on the part of the Arbuckles, who have made another cut of 1-16 in the price of soft sugars, and perhaps in hard sugars. The American company's following of these acts by a similar cut in soft sugars and its constant concessions to secure its full share of trade seem signs of war still rather than of peace.

A Chicago broker, generally held as well informed on market affairs is quoted as saying "It is my belief that the good Industrials are certain to sell several points above their present level as soon as the severe strain of the present money situation wears off. I have talked with the officers and directors of the Tin Plate Company, the National Steel Company, the Garose Company, Union Bag and Paper Co., National Biscuit Co., and the Diamond Watch Co., and all these concerns are earning enough to pay not only 7 per cent on the preferred stocks but 7 on the common and have a good surplus besides.

The good effects of African war news and of the action of Secretary Gage in offering to buy \$25,000,000 of government 4 and 5 per cent. bonds were very obvious both on the London market and in the heavy purchase on the London account in Wall Street. It is uncertain, however, whether so much liquidation of bonds will be made as to cause a much needed relief. The advance from this cause has been taken advantage of by powerful interests who have been absorbing stocks to liquidate considerable part of their holdings. If there is any improvement in the bank statement this week there is some reason to hope that a strong bull movement will be apparent in the next week's market.

RANGE FROM NOV. 3 TO NOV. 9,

INCLUSIVE.

	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
S. W. Co.....	48 1/2	40 1/2	48 1/2
Sugar	159 1/2	160 1/2	158 1/2
Tobacco	121	118 1/2	119
Brooklyn R. Transit... 90 1/2	85 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Chicago B. & Q. 133 1/2	130 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
" Mil. & St. P. ... 126 1/2	123 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
" R. I. & Pac. 114 1/2	112	114 1/2	114 1/2
" & Northwest ... 108	105	108	108
Consolidated Gas..... 193 1/2	187	192 1/2	192 1/2
Manhattan com	106 1/2	101 1/2	104 1/2
Met. Street Ry. Co 195 1/2	190 1/2	195	195
N. Y. Central.....	138	135 1/2	137 1/2
Northern Pacific..... 55 1/2	53	55 1/2	55 1/2
" Pfd.	75 1/2	73 1/2	75 1/2
Pacific Mail	4 1/2	40 1/2	45 1/2
Penn R. R.	130 1/2	129	130 1/2
Peoples Gas	113 1/2	110 1/2	113 1/2
Tenn. Coal & Iron 117 1/2	110	116 1/2	116 1/2
Union Pacific	50 1/2	48 1/2	50 1/2
" Pfd.	77 1/2	75 1/2	77 1/2
U. S. Rubber	47 1/2	47	47
U. S. Leather Pfd	80 1/2	77 1/2	80 1/2
Air Brake
Anaconda Copper..... 45 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
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NEWS OF THE MINES.

OKANOGAN CLEANUP.

Mr. K. K. Peiser, secretary of the Okanogan Free Gold Mines, Limited, yesterday received a despatch from Mr. A. S. Edgecombe, superintendent of the mines and mill of the company, dated Okanogan Landing, November 9th. In this despatch Mr. Edgecombe stated that the clean-up for the month of October was 238 ounces in gold, and that there was also ten tons of concentrates on hand. These are worth \$80 per ton. This would make the approximate value of the clean-up aggregate something over \$4,000. The bricks should be here inside of the next two days. Considering that the mill has been working for over half the month for twelve hours, because of a shortage of fuel, this result is remarkable. The difficulty as to the fuel has been overcome completely, as the company has made contracts for the delivery of fuel for three months to come. By the end of this time it is thought the water power, adjoining the property on the Similkameen river, and which is the property of the company, will be utilized, and then there will be no further need for fuel with which to operate the mill. The mill is now running day and night, and with the rich ore which is now being put through the mill, the next month's clean-up will far exceed the present one. There is ore enough in sight to keep the mill running without any doubt, for the next nine months. In the meanwhile the work of developing the property is being pushed and new ore reserves are being uncovered. Mr. A. S. Edgecombe, the superintendent, is expected to arrive in this city within the next few days.

ST. ELMO.

The St. Elmo five-drill compressor plant will be ready for use in about a week. Superintendent Krumb yesterday stated that he expected to be using the power within that period. Then machine drills will be used, and the work of developing the property will be expedited. The property is looking well and the showing of ore is excellent. The crosscut from the main tunnel is now in for a distance of 85 feet. It is being driven for the purpose of intersecting a parallel ledge to the one which has been drifted on.

STRIKE ON THE EXCHEQUER.

Superintendent Musson reports a good strike on the Exchequer. In running one of the drifts this week the miners came across a large bunch of high grade ore. About a ton of it was knocked down and a sample taken from it gave returns of over \$200 to the ton. The balance of the Exchequer's second shipment is now going forward to the Hall Mines smelter.

ETHEL GROUP.

James Chambers, superintendent for the Pavo Consolidated Mining company, which is operating the Ethel group, was in town yesterday. He reports that crosscutting on the 88-foot level. The crosscut has been made for a distance of 13 feet, and will have to be driven 40 feet further before the ledge will be encountered.

THE EVA GROUP BONDED.

The Eva group on Fish creek, in the Trout Lake district, has been bonded to outside capital by Messrs. Tweedle and Hutchinson, of Comaplix. This property is the most extraordinary strike in the point of value that has been made in the Lardeau division. Although Fish Creek and its tributaries have always been known as one of the richest sections of what is universally termed on the outside as the Lardeau, still this strike has thrown the bulk of the other properties in the shade as regards the value of its surface rock. The mineral obtained from the property is gold, and the croppings run from \$400 to \$600 in gold. Cory Menhick and J. A. Magee have claims on this lead and on their holdings, the lead as exposed is about 30 feet in width and containing values as stated above. This, it is expected, will give an impetus to development operations.

THE PAY ORE MINES.

Dr. A. C. Sinclair, of the Pay Ore (B.C.), Mines, limited, has received a report from Mr. John H. Smith, mining engineer of Grand Forks, who was recently directed to examine the property of the company, which is situated a half-mile east of the north fork of the Kettle river and 12 miles north of Grand Fortu. Mr. Smith reported that he found matters in a satisfactory condition on the property, and says that there is a large quantity of ore in sight and that the ledge is widening as depth is obtained. The ore is of the concentrating type carrying gold and silver and a small percentage of copper and assays from 410 to \$100 per ton.

WORK TO BE RESUMED ON THE LEITER.

(Rossland Miner, Nov. 9.)

Work is to be resumed on the Joe Leiter property on Sophie mountain. Mr. Allan G. White, who is manager of the property for its eastern owners, arrived in the city from Spokane yesterday and during a conversation with a Miner reporter stated that his mission was to recommence work on the property. The intention is to continue the tunnel which had just come to the lead when operations ceased about six weeks since. The operations on this property will be carried on all winter.

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Capital.	Par Value.	Bid.	Asked
1,500,000	\$1.00	Acacia44 .43
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n34 .35
900,000	1.00	Ben Hur .....	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee .....	.....
3,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor .....	.17 .17
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. Cons .....	.17 .17
2,000,000	1.00	O. C. & M. ....	.20 .21
1,250,000	1.00	Dante .....	.20
2,000,000	1.00	Damon .....	.25 .25
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton .....	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Flower .....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Findley .....	.15 .15
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin	2.05 2.16
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign .....	.15 .16
1,000,000	1.00	Gould .....	.59
1,225,000	1.00	Indepon. T. & M. ....	.51 .52
2,250,000	1.00	Isabelle	1.42 1.43
500,000	1.00	Ida May .....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot .....	.60 .61
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone .....	.17 .16
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly .....	.11 .11
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington .....	.25 .26
1,000,000	1.00	Matoa .....	.32 .34
600,000	1.00	Moon Anchor .....	.70 .77
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n. Beauty .....	.13 .13
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget .....	.19 .20
2,000,000	1.00	Papoose .....	.13 .13
3,000,000	1.00	Portland	2.42 2.44
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle .....	.....
1,500,000	1.00	Work .....	.30 .31

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

Total for Oct.. \$226,884.90....Inc....\$40,196.15
Year to Nov....\$2,041,973.08...Inc. \$201,470.53
For week ending Compared with last year
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MINING STOCK LIST

NAME.	Morning Prices.		Par Value.	Capital.	Divi- 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	11	10½	1 00	3,500,000			Gold, Copper.	do
Deer Park	5		1 00	1,250,000			Gold.	do
Grand Prize	5		1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Gold Hills	0½	5	1 00	2,000,000			do	do
Homestake	4	3½	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Iron Colt	4	3½	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.	8½	8	10	1,000,000			Gold.	do
California	13	12½	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Evening Star	11	8	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Iron Mask	75		1 00	500,000			do	do
Monte Christo	8½	7½	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Montreal Gold Fields	9½	9	25	800,000			do	do
Novelty	3½	3	10	150,000			do	do
Virginia	8½	5	1 00	500,000			do	do
War Eagle xd.	2 85	2 83	1 00	1,750,000	1½	Monthly.	do	do
Dardanelles	13	11	1 00	100,000			Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.C.
Fern	10	5	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	do
Noble Five	19	15	1 00	1,200,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo	61	54	1 00	1,250,000		Two paid...	Gold.	do
Slocan Sovereign	25½	24½	1 00	1,500,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London xd.	49½	49	24	452,000	1½%	Monthly.	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.C.
Cariboo McKinney	1 20	1 12	1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.O.
Fontenoy	18		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	90	80	1 00	1,500,000			do	Boundary, B.C.
Old Ironsides	1 09	90	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Pay Ore	8		10	250,000			do	do
King (Oro de Noro)	31	27	1 00	2,000,000			do	do
Rathmullen	84	7½	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown	30	27	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	23	20	1 00	975,000			do	do
Golden Star	33	30	1 00	1,200,000			do	do
Republic xd.	1 18	1 15½	1 00	3,500,000	1pc	Monthly.	do	Republic.
Jim Blaine	30	31	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Lone Pine	25	20	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Black Tail	17½	12	1 00	1,250,000			do	do
Deer Trail	20	19½	1 00	1,000,000	½pc	Monthly.	do	do
Princess Maud	11	7½	10	1,000,000			do	do
Smuggler	3½	2½	1 00	1,200,000			do	Fairview Camp, B.C.
Virtue	48½	46	1 00	1,250,000			do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne	1 13	1 11	1 00	3,000,000			Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	\$37 00	33 00	25 00	2,000,000			Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic	1 05		5 00	5,000,000			Gold.	Cariboo District.
Van Anda	9	7½	1 00	5,000,000			do	Texada Island.
Carnes Creek Cons.	10½		1 00	1,000,000			do	Revelstoke, B.C.

BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDREMBLE.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	192½	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do Stock.....	106	1925.....	" "
7,080,000	3	" "	do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbor Bonds Currency...	116	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
136,700	5	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	1904, 1894.....	Lloyds, Banetts & Bosanquets
874,260	4	" "	do do do	101-106		" "
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	8	2nd April Oct.	Canada Colored Cotton Mills.	101½	1902 April	" "
3,423,000	5	1st April Oct.	Canadian Pacific R'y. Land Grant...	110	1931.....	" "
200,000	5	1st May Nov.	Canada Paper Co.....	106½	1917	
{ 20,000,000	4	Jan. Ap. Ju. Oc	Commercial Cable Coupons. }	104	2397	
			do do Registered. }			
£300,000	4½	Jan. July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st Jan	
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	Halifax Electric Tramway.	108	1916 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
350,000	5	1st Ap'l 1st Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1918 April	Bank of Montreal.
	6	2nd Jan. July	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Jo.	100	1910.....	" "
	5	" "	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....			
292,000	5	1st Moh 1st Sep.	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1908 1st Moh	
681,333	4½	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 Moh Sep.	Richelien & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Moh	
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric.....			
2,789,933	4½	Moh Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	
450,000	4½	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.

MARKET OPENED A STRONGER IN WHEAT - AN EVEN UP MARKET FOR GO. DAY - WHEAT NOT LOWER THAN 67.

Chicago, Nov. 18.

Liverpool closing in wheat December 5-8½, March 5-9½, May 5-9½, which show a advance on Thursday's closing for the first two options and a advance for May.

New York opened in wheat 72½ for December, that is a advance, 75½ for March, a advance 75½ for May, a advance.

Chicago grain openings were all without exception a above the previous closing prices. Pork and Lard opened strong, but short Ribs were weak.

Sentiment is said to be growing bullish in wheat at Chicago. Wheat looks as if about to advance a cent or so. Receipts from Northwest falling off. It seems advisable to buy May wheat.

Receipts N. W. cars this week 712 against last week 1039 and last year 1495.

Despatch from New York says: Influenced by late easiness shown in American markets yesterday, Liverpool opened a decline, but quickly rallied, owing to the reduction in the forecast of shipments to this port and shorts covering, the closing being a to a over previous close.

CHICAGO MARKET—November 18, 1899.

From the Bartlett Frazier Co., Chicago. H. J. Coon, Manager, 328, Sacramento St.

	CHASING PRICES NOV. 18 TO NOV. 17.					PRICES TO 12-30.			
	13	14	15	16	17	Open'ng	Highest	Lowest	Close
Wheat—									
Dec.....	67½	67½ B	67½ B	67½	67-½ D	67½-½	67½	67	67-1
Jan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
May.....	71-½	71½-B	71½-½	71½	71½ B	71½	71½	71½	71½-½
Corn -									
Dec.....	31-½	31½-½ A	31½-½ B	31½	31½-½	32	32	31½	31½-½
Jan.....	30½-½	30½	30½	.....	31	.....	31½	.....	31½
May.....	32½	32½ A	32½ A	32½	32½	33	33	32½	32½
Oats—									
Dec.....	22½	22½	22½	22½ A	22½ B	23	23	22½	23
Jan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
May.....	23½	23½	23½	24-½ A	24½	24½	24½	24½	24½-½
Pork—									
Dec.....	8 12-15	8 07 B	8 03 B	7 17 B	8 00	8 00	8 00	7 05	7 05
Jan.....	9 55	9 47 B	9 47 A	9 42 B	9 47	9 47-50	9 50	9 45	9 45
May.....	9 65	9 57	9 57 A	9 52	9 57 A	.....	9 55	.....	9 55
Lard—									
Dec.....	5 00	4 57-90	4 87 A	4 82-85	4 85	4 85	4 85	.....	.....
Jan.....	5 17 B	5 07-10	5 07-10	5 03 B	6 07 B	5 07-10	5 10	5 07	5 07
May.....	5 32	5 25	5 25	5 22 A	5 25 B	5 25-27	5 27	5 25	5 25
Sht rib—									
Dec.....	4 82	4 80	4 75	4 75	4 82	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jan.....	4 92-95	4 90 B	4 90	4 87-90	4 92	4 90-92	4 92	4 90	4 92
May.....	4 82	5 05 A	4 75	4 75	4 82	.....	.....	.....	.....

Puts and Calls for Nov. — Puts, Dec. Wheat Calls " " Puts, May Corn Calls, " " Ourb Dec. Wheat

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

DULUTH EARNINGS.	
1st week Nov. 1899	\$53,644
1st week Nov. 1898	34,505
Increase	\$ 19,139
From Jan. 1 1899	\$2,039,324
From Jan. 1 1898	1,564,570
Increase	\$ 474,754

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		Paid up.	Rest as per Last Statement.		
MISCELLANEOUS.					
British America.....	50	\$ 750,000	\$ 79,881	3½	125
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	129,743	5	164
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7½	277½
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	.....	148
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....	2½qr	225
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	137½
" " New.....	.....	240,000	.....	1½	185
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	172½
" " " 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	88
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,004,000	350,000	3	.....
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	123
" " 20 per cent.....	50	600,000	.....	3	17.8
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	113
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	380,000	1½qr	34
" " 20 per cent.....	50	325,000	.....	.....	.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	2½	75
Freehold " ".....	100	476,100	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	160,000	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000	3	111½
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000	1¼qr	68
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	83,000	3	107
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	.....
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	.....	45
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3½	122
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,429	40,000	.....	24½
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	64
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	300,000	105,000	3	121
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,020	200,000	1	38
Western Canada " ".....	50	1,000,000	.....	3	100
" " " 25 per cent.....	.....	500,000	770,000	3	93

* 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.