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## Montreal Stock Market.

NO SECURITIES HIGHER — CONSOLS  
ROSE  $\frac{1}{4}$  — MONEY STRINGENCY  
NOT IMPOSSIBLE ... FEW CHANGES.

Cable quotations were not of a kind to strengthen much the hands of bullish operators. They told of interest and discount rates unchanged, indeed, but of Consols risen, and traction stock on a lower basis generally at London. Large liquidations of Americans in London were reported, too, and the bearish effects that these liquidations had on the New York Stock Exchange. Sympathetically, of course, these facts of the two great markets of the two activity there was, though another feature hemispheres kept down to a minimum what in speculation must be counted with in forming a true estimate of activity appropriate to the times. This feature is the increasing wealth everywhere accompanied by a public inclination to put the newly acquired money in investments — a feature which the bears will have soon to reckon with. This complex condition that was shaping markets was exemplified in its effects to-day in the local 'Change. The market was broad and firm in its prices, while the shares put on the market were very light. Such trading as this was what might have been expected where there is a desire in hope of higher prices to trade, checked and urged on by opposing influences.

Can. Pacific lower  $\frac{1}{4}$  at 97 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Offer made at 97 $\frac{1}{2}$ , demand being 97 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Montreal Street Railway lower  $\frac{1}{4}$  at 323 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 325, 323 were the demand and the offer.

Royal Electric sold at same price, 185. The demand closing was 184 $\frac{1}{2}$  and the offer 183 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Toronto Ry., same price, 118 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 118 $\frac{1}{2}$  wanted and 117 $\frac{1}{2}$  offered.

Montreal and London 2 lower at 57. The demand was 58 and the offer 56.

Twin City  $\frac{1}{4}$  higher to 67. This was also the demand, 68 $\frac{1}{2}$  being offered.

Nicholson and Ontario  $\frac{1}{4}$  lower to 113 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Demand 114 $\frac{1}{2}$ , offer 113 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Republic,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lower to 125, which was also the demand, 124 being offered.

Dominion Cotton ex-div. about the same price, 107. There was an offer of 106 $\frac{1}{2}$  and a demand for 110.

Montreal Cotton, 2 lower at 163, yesterday price 165 was the demand and 163 was offered.

Merchants' Bank at the same price 170 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Offer was made of 169 $\frac{1}{2}$ , demand was for 172.

Hochelaga Bank at same price, 152. There was no offer when 153 $\frac{1}{2}$  was wanted.

Dom. Coal Com.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lower at 54 $\frac{1}{2}$ . This was the demand, also 58 $\frac{1}{2}$  being offered.

Bank of Commerce at same price, 150. Offer of 149 was made, but 152 was wanted.

Bank of Montreal at same price, 262. 250 $\frac{1}{2}$  was offered for more.

### SALES.

Can. Pac.—150, 97 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 100, 97 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 75, 97 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Montreal St. Ry.—50, 323 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Roy. Elec.—75, 185, 40, 184 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Tor Ry.—25, 118 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 25, 118 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 25, 118.

Montreal & London—200, 57.

Twin City—25, 67.

R & O—25, 113 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 75, 113 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Republic Min. Co.—500, 125.

Dom. Cotl ex-div.—25, 107.

Mont. Cot.—5, 163.

Merchants' Bank—2, 170 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Hochl Bank—8, 152.

Dom. Coal Com.—25, 54 $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Bank of Com.—16, 150.

Bank of Montreal—1, 262.

### STRAWS.

"Iron and Steel" says. Structural steel advanced \$5 per ton last Wednesday, bringing the present price of beams and channels at Chicago. 2.40c.

Pittsburg and Gulf road being in the hands of receivers by the Federal Court, this court will enjoin the offending roads not to cancel contracts and will arrest the officers of the road if they ignore the injunction. Among these roads are Atchison, St. Paul, Rock Island, Wabash, Maple Leaf and the St. Jo & Grand Island will stand by the Gulf road. The cancellation of contracts by the others puts the Gulf road in the right.

The independent refiners of sugar are quite cheerful over the sugar situation. They say the company will suffer more than they and that they can get a wider market. They do not grudge the public the benefit of low quotations.

If the loss caused by the gas war could be made to fall exactly on the rich men who caused the war, the poorer stockholders would need no sympathy in having their dividends come down.

It is said that Molson's Bank capital will be increased to \$3,000,000 at a meeting to be called for this and other purposes in the near future.

The City of Rome will take 1200 tourists from Glasgow to witness the international yacht races at New York.

American Steel and Wire was not listed last week, owing to the company's statement being not so full as listing committee. N. Y. Stock Exchange required it to be. Matter will come up again in September before the Governors. The company's large raw material which had been bought when iron was cheap is now done and has to be replaced by iron that costs more, and owing to this the present statement should have been somewhat different.

It has been noticed about Tobacco Common that it is an exception to the rule and is \$50 as its par value, so that it is necessary to buy or sell 200 shares of it to make the same profit as is made in 100 shares of another stock moving over the same number of points.

Lake freights advanced this week at Duluth and are not unlikely to rise further later in the season and there is enforcement of demurrage charges owing to the demand for vessels.

It is a new feature about the West that it is investing its cash into securities. This is acting strongly on the bull side, making the present high price of the stock list. Prices will go higher, however, it is thought if those experienced operators now standing aloof from the market enter again into sympathy with its movements.

Colorado Springs mining quotations of Saturday are Argentum 28-30, Anaconda 5-4, Elkton 102-4, Ingham 92-2, Isabella 86-7, Jackpoc 57 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1, Matoa 33-34, Mollie Gibson 212-9, Moon Anchor, 102-8 $\frac{1}{2}$ , Portland 200-201, Specimen 112-2, Union 342-35, Work 282-4, Alamo 92-10.

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.**

**BIG THREE LEADS AGAIN; SELLS AT 19½ — MONTREAL GOLD FIELDS STEADY — SOME SIGNS OF REACTIONS — REPUBLIC LOWER.**

The market opened firm with a strong upward tendency under the leadership of Big Three, which sold up to 19½, opening with sales at 19. The first half of the session was under the control of the bulls, but profit taking was apparent and under it stocks sold off slightly. Our views remain the same as for last ten days; we still recommend sales on such stocks as have had a rapid rise. At the opening the market was quite excited, and all offerings were freely taken, caused by the filling of orders received over night.

Apart from Big Three business was not very brisk, California sold freely at 1½; Montreal Gold Fields brought 18 and closed steady. The sales of Monte Christo were the lowest yet on this exchange. Montreal and London and Golden Star were both easy. Indications point to a broad and active business for the next few days.

**SALES.**

Republic—600, 126.  
 Payne—2500, 135. 3000, 13½.  
 Fern—500, 26.  
 Montreal & London—1400, 58.  
 Rambler Cariboo—500, 42½. 1500, 41½.  
 California—5000, 11½.  
 Slovan Sovereign—1400, 41. 1000, 40.  
 Golden Star—500, 45.  
 Virtue—1000, 48½.  
 Monte Christo—1500, 6.  
 Montreal Gold Fields—600, 18.  
 Big Three—8,275, 19. 6,500, 19½. 2,500, 18½.

**CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS**

August 29, 1899.

Capital	Par Value	Bid	Asked
1,500,000	\$1.00 Acacia	.16½	.18½
2,500,000	1.00 Battle Mt'n	.36	.37½
2,000,000	1.00 Columb-Victor	.18½	.19½
1,250,000	1.00 Dante	.17½	.17½
2,000,000	1.00 Damon	.18½	.18½
1,250,000	1.00 Elkton	.....	.....
1,250,000	1.00 Findley	.18½	.19
1,000,000	1.00 Gold Coin	2.05	.....
3,000,000	1.00 Gold Sovereign	.15½	.15½
1,000,000	1.00 Gould	.24½	.25
1,225,000	1.00 Independ. T. & M.	.48	.48½
2,250,000	1.00 Isabella	.89	.69½
1,250,000	1.00 Jack Pot	.63	.64
1,000,000	1.00 Mataoa	.....	.35
600,000	1.00 Moon Anchor	1.00	.....
3,000,000	1.00 Portland	2.05	.....
2,000,000	1.00 Pinnacle	.28½	.29
1,500,000	1.00 Work	.29	.29½

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	Asked. Bid.		Asked. Bid.		Asked. Bid.		Asked. Bid.	
	Aug. 25.	August 28.	Aug. 29.	Aug. 30.	Aug. 25.	Aug. 28.	Aug. 29.	Aug. 30.
\$1.00 Payne xd.....	1.38	1.35	1.39	1.35	1.30	1.32½	1.33	1.35
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	3.00	3.50	3.59	3.50	3.50	3.51	3.01	3.51
1.00 Republic & d.....	1.23	1.27½	1.28	1.26	1.28	1.26	1.28	1.25½
1.00 Virtue.....	.48	.47½	.50	.48	.49	.48½	.49	.48
.24 Montreal-London & d.....	.59	.58	.49	.48	.56½	.57	.58	.50
1.00 Big Three.....	.14½	.74	.14½	.14	.18½	.16½	.10	.18½
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.29	.27	.28½	.26½	.29	.25	.29	.25
1.00 California.....	.12½	.11½	.12½	.11½	.12	.11	.12	.11½
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.05	.06	.08	.08	.08	.08	.08½	.07
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	1.51	1.47	1.51	1.47	1.51	1.47	1.51	1.47
1.00 Evening Star.....	.11	.09	.11	.09	.11½	.09	.11½	.09
.25 Fern.....	.30	.10	.30	.15	.30	.26	.30	.25
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.10	.08½	.10	.07½	.10	.08	.10	.07½
1.00 Iron Colt.....	.09	.08	.09½	.06½	.09½	.07	.09½	.07½
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.95	.85	.96	.90	.98	.90	.98	.92
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.09	.07	.09	.08	.09	.07	.08½	.06
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.18	.15	.18	.16	.17	.16	.18	.17½
1.00 Noble Five.....	.22	.20	.25	.19	.24	.13	.20	.19
.10 Novelty.....	.03	.02	.04	.02	.03	.02	.03	.02
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.15	1.07½	1.15	1.07½	1.15	1.08	1.16½	1.10
1.00 Virginia.....	.20	.15	.17	.13	.18	.15	.18	.13
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.39	.38	.44	.40	.44	.42	.42½	.41
1.00 Bullion.....	.60	.40	.60	.45	.60	.50	.62	.55
1.00 Decca.....	.32	.25½	.32	.25½	.32½	.25	.32½	.25
1.00 Morrison.....	.18	.17	.18	.15	.17½	.15	.18	.16
1.00 Golden Star.....	.43	.41	.45	.42	.50	.46½	.45	.44½
1.00 Slovan Sov.....	.40	.37½	.43	.40½	.45	.41	.40	.39
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	.18	.12	.18	.12	.18	.12	.18	.12½
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.08½	.07½	.08½	.08	.08½	.07½	.08½	.07½
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.34	.30½	.35	.30	.32	.30	.32	.30
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.15	.14	.16	.14	.16	.14½	.15	.13½
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2.....	.30	.26½	.28½	.22½	.26½	.24	.26½	.24

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## CLOSING PRICES.

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

No session on Saturdays until September.

CAP. PAID-UP.	Rfst.	Next div. pbl.	Value shares.	Last y. div.	STOCKS.	Aug. 23.		Aug. 24.		Aug. 25.		Aug. 28.		Aug. 29.		Aug. 30.		
						Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	
\$	\$				<b>BANKS.</b>													
12,000,000	6,000,000	Dec.	200	5	Bank of Montreal .....	200	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	250½	
6,000,000	2,600,000	"	100	3½	Merchants B'k of Can	172	169½	172	169½	172	169½	172	169½	172	169½	172	169½	
6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3½	Canadian B'k of Com	162	150	152	150½	153	162½	149½	154½	149½	152	140	152	140
4,866,666	1,460,000	Oct.	50	2½	British North America.	124	.....	.....	.....	.....	124	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	124	
2,500,000	700,000	Dec.	100	.....	Quebec Bank .....	127	126	127	126	127	127	130	127	130	127	.....	127	
2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto .....	.....	.....	240	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2,000,000	1,500,000	Oct.	50	4	Molson's Bank .....	225	200	208	200	208	225	206	225	206	225	206	225	206
2,000,000	1,300,000	Dec.	100	4	Imp-rial Bank.....	.....	.....	225	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1,500,000	1,170,000	"	100	4	Ottawa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1,629,400	1,869,980	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia..	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	
1,732,350	1,424,262	"	100	3½	Merch'ts Bk. of Halifax.	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....	160	.....	180	.....	180	.....	
2,000,000	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank of Canada	120	.....	127	.....	120	.....	120	.....	120	.....	120	.....	
1,500,000	1,500,000	Aug.	50	3½	Dominion Bank.....	.....	.....	116	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1,500,000	850,000	Dec.	50	3½	Eastern Townships Bk	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	
1,495,880	1,000,000	Aug.	100	4	Hamilton .....	.....	.....	193	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1,200,000	150,000	Nov.	30	3	Banque Nationale .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1,250,000	685,000	Dec.	100	3½	Hochelaga Bank.....	153	152	152	155	150	153½	.....	.....	152	153½	.....	.....	
1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2½	Ontario Bank .....	.....	.....	135	130	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
387,739	118,000	"	100	3½	Western Bk of Can.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
500,000	285,000	"	25	3	Jacques Cartier Bank.	.....	.....	95	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
479,620	10,000	"	100	3	Banque Ville Marie....	.....	.....	100	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
560,000	600,000	.....	.....	6	Bank of New Bruns'k..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
180,000	140,000	.....	.....	4	People's Bk do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
200,000	45,000	.....	.....	2½	St. Stephen's Bk.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2,919,996	486,560	.....	.....	2½	Bk of British Columbin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
48,666	18,000	.....	.....	3½	Summerside Bank.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
200,020	65,000	.....	.....	4	Merchants Bk of P.E.I.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

**SURPLUS.**

**MISCELLANEOUS**

65,000,000	.....	Oct.	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry....	95½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½	97½
12,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	5½	4½	6	5½	6½	5½	6	5½	6	5½	6	5½	5½
10,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr	14	12½	15½	15	16½	15½	16½	16	16½	16½	16½	16½	14½
10,000,000	2,608,320	Oct.	100	1½q	Commercial Cable.....	186	183	187½	184½	187	185	190	185	187½	184	187	184	184
2,000,000	.....	"	40	2q	Montreal Telegraph....	172	170	172	170	172	170	172	170	176	170	175	170	170
1,350,000	.....	Nov.	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co..	112½	111½	116	114½	114½	114	114½	114	113½	113½	114½	113½	113½
4,800,000	334,247	Aug.	50	2½q	Montreal Street Ry Co.	325	325	324	323	324	323½	324	323½	324	323	325	323	325
15,010,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	New Montreal Street....	324	321	324	323	324	323½	324	322½	324	323	324	323	324
2,997,704	.....	Jan.	100	1	Twin City.....	67	66½	68	68½	66½	66½	68	66	67	66	67	66	66½
1,750,000	.....	Oct.	40	5	Montreal Gas Co.....	205	202½	205	204½	208	207	210	209	200	208	208	208	207
452,000	.....	.....	.....	1½m	War Eagle.....	360	359	358	356	353½	350	356	354	358	355	358	355	355
1,250,000	.....	.....	.....	1m	Mont. & London M.Co.	58	57	58	57	61	57	61	56½	60	57	58	58	58
2,500,000	.....	.....	1.00	1m	Cariboo Mng. M. & S.Co	.....	.....	.....	.....	122	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3,163,000	910,000	Oct.	100	2q	Payne Mining Co.....	140	138	140	138	140	136	137	135	140	135	135	133	133
1,500,000	.....	"	100	2q	Bell Telephone Co.....	193	190	195	190	200	190	195	190	195	190	192	190	190
6,000,000	814,254	"	100	1q	Royal Electric .....	183	180½	187½	184	185	183½	185	184	185	184	184½	183½	183½
800,000	.....	"	100	1½q	Toronto Street Ry.....	118	117	117½	117½	118½	118	118½	118½	118½	118½	118½	118½	117½
100,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Halifax Tram Co.....	112	108½	120	112	116	110	112	111½	112	11 0	112	110	110
700,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Cornwall Street Ry....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3,500,000	.....	Sept.	100	1m	People's Heat & Light..	25	25½	30	27	30	28	30	28	30	27	27½	24	24
500,000	.....	Sept.	100	1½q	Republic.....	129	127½	130	128	128½	127	128	120	128	125	125	124	124
350,000	.....	Oct.	40	2q	St. John Railway Co...	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	.....
5,612,925	.....	.....	100	.....	London Street Ry.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,467,684	.....	.....	.....	.....	Can. N. W. Land Pfd..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	" Com.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,000,000	.....	Oct.	100	4	Dominion Coal Co.....	55	53	55	53	55	53	55	53½	54½	54	54½	53½	53½
500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6 pa	Dominion Coal Co. pr..	.....	.....	.....	116	.....	153	120	116½	120	116½	.....	.....	
500,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Windsor Hotel.....	.....	105	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	105
250,000	.....	.....	100	7 pa	Intercolonial Coal Co..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,650,000	.....	Sept.	100	2q	Do. prof. stock.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,750,000	.....	"	100	1q	Montreal Cotton Co....	162	.....	165	161	162	161	170	162	170	162	162	160	160
800,000	.....	Aug.	100	4	Colored Cotton Co.....	63	60	65	60	75	70	75	67½	85	67½	85	.....	.....
3,100,000	.....	Sept.	100	1½q	Merchants Cotton Co..	.....	139	.....	.....	.....	.....	139	150	139	.....	139	.....	
500,000	350,000	"	25	3½	Dominion Cotton Co...	107½	100½	108	107	110	107½	110	107½	107	106	110	108½	108½
814,500	.....	Oct.	50	3½	Mont. Loan & Mort Co.	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
					Western Loan & Tr...	100	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	100	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....

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# NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

AUG 30, 1899.

Range for Year 1899.	Outstanding Capital Stock.	Inst. Div. P. C.	CLOSING PRICES FROM AUG. 23 TO AUG. 29						TO-DAY'S PRICES					
			23	24	25	26	28	29	Open	Highest	Lowest	Closing		
227 1/2	5,000,000	.....	Air Brake.....	195	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
43 1/2	20,237,000	3	Am. Cotton Oil Co.....	44 1/2	44 1/2	44	44	44	43	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
182 1/2	36,968,000	3	" Sugar.....	150	155 1/2	152 1/2	153 1/2	154 1/2	153 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2	157 1/2	157 1/2
15 1/2	27,864,800	.....	" Spirits Mfg. Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
72 1/2	21,800,000	.....	" S.W. Co.....	57	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
52 1/2	28,000,000	.....	" Tin Plate.....	42	42	43	42	43	43	43	43	43	43	43
131 1/2	21,000,000	1 1/2	" Tobacco.....	129 1/2	129	128 1/2	129 1/2	131 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	129 1/2	128 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
65 1/2	28,000,000	.....	Annconda Copper.....	57 1/2	57 1/2	57	.....	57 1/2	58	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
24 1/2	120,000,000	.....	Atch. T. & S. Fe.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23	23	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	23	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
68	114,199,500	1	" " pfd.....	67 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
74 1/2	25,000,000	2	Baltimore & Ohio.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	50,000,000	.....	Bay State Gas.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
137	29,500,000	.....	Brooklyn Rap. Tran.....	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	107 1/2	105 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
63 1/2	28,000,000	1 1/2	C. O. C. & St. L.....	58 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	.....	57 1/2	.....	.....	56 1/2	.....	58 1/2	58 1/2
99 1/2	65,000,000	2	Canadian Pacific.....	.....	97 1/2	.....	.....	.....	97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70	15,000,000	1	Canada Southern.....	.....	54 1/2	.....	54 1/2	.....	54	54 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
31 1/2	60,533,400	.....	Chesapeake & Ohio.....	28 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
20 1/2	21,232,500	.....	Chicago & Great Western.....	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	16	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
149 1/2	90,282,900	1 1/2	" B. & Q.....	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	136 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
134 1/2	46,732,000	2 1/2	" Mill. & St. P.....	134	134	133 1/2	133 1/2	134 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
122 1/2	50,000,000	1 1/2	" R. I. & Pacific.....	120 1/2	120 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
166	39,116,300	2 1/2	" & Northwest.....	162 1/2	163 1/2	163	163	165	165	165	165 1/2	165	165	165
194 1/2	22,396,600	1 1/2	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
53 1/2	65,370,000	.....	Central Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
223 1/2	39,078,000	2 1/2	Consolidated Gas.....	176	175 1/2	184 1/2	187	181	182	182 1/2	184 1/2	180	184 1/2	184 1/2
65 1/2	30,000,000	.....	Continental Tobacco.....	49 1/2	48	48 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
125 1/2	35,000,000	1 1/2	Delaware & Hudson.....	124	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2	122	.....	122	122
181	26,200,000	1 1/2	Del. Lack. & Western.....	176	175	.....	176	177 1/2	176 1/2	.....	177	176 1/2	177	177
78 1/2	138,000,000	.....	Denver & Rio Grand pfd.....	78	76 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78	77	.....	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
.....	.....	.....	Duluth com.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14 1/2	.....	.....	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
.....	.....	.....	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16 1/2	112,232,700	.....	Erie.....	.....	14 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
125 1/2	18,278,000	.....	General Electric.....	.....	124	124	124	125	134	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
76 1/2	24,027,300	1 1/2	Glucose.....	64 1/2	84 1/2	.....	64 1/2	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
75	46,484,300	1 1/2	Fed. Steel Com.....	58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	61 1/2	59	61 1/2	61 1/2
93 1/2	53,253,500	1	" " pfd.....	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2	82	82 1/2	82 1/2	82	82 1/2	82 1/2
.....	98,277,500	.....	Lake Shore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
82 1/2	52,800,000	3 1/2	Louisville & Nashville.....	82 1/2	82	81 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2	80	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
133 1/2	48,000,000	1	Manhattan con.....	113 1/2	113 1/2	113	112 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2	115	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
269	40,000,000	1 1/2	Met. Street Ry. Co.....	202	205	205 1/2	206 1/2	209	208 1/2	209	209	209	207 1/2	207 1/2
44	13,000,000	.....	Missouri, Kan. & Tex pfd.....	41	41 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
52 1/2	47,507,000	1	" Pacific.....	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50	50	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
40 1/2	14,905,400	1	Nat. Lead.....	33	33	32 1/2	.....	31 1/2	.....	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
122 1/2	22,519,000	1	New Jersey Central.....	119 1/2	.....	118 1/2	119	119	119	119	119 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
144 1/2	100,000,000	1	New York Central.....	139 1/2	139 1/2	138 1/2	139 1/2	139	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
57 1/2	80,000,000	1	Northern Pacific.....	56 1/2	57 1/2	53 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56	56 1/2	56 1/2
81 1/2	75,000,000	1	" " pfd.....	77 1/2	78	77 1/2	77 1/2	78	.....	77 1/2	78	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
114	18,559,153	.....	Omaha.....	112	.....	.....	.....	116	116	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28 1/2	58,113,900	.....	Ontario & Western.....	27	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27	26 1/2	26 1/2	27	26 1/2	27	27
55	20,000,000	1 1/2	Pacific Mail.....	47 1/2	47 1/2	.....	47 1/2	47	46 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
142	129,303,250	2 1/2	Pennsylvania R. R.....	135 1/2	136	135 1/2	135 1/2	136	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	.....	135 1/2	135 1/2
129 1/2	28,668,800	1 1/2	P. C. Gas L. & Coke Co.....	119 1/2	120 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2	120	119 1/2	119 1/2	120	119 1/2	120	120
60 1/2	12,500,000	.....	Pressed Steel.....	59	59 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	59 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
87 1/2	12,500,000	1 1/2	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
164 1/2	54,000,000	1 1/2	Pullman Palace Car Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	69,900,000	.....	Reading.....	23	23 1/2	22 1/2	.....	22 1/2	22	.....	22	.....	22	22
69 1/2	28,000,000	.....	" 1st pfd.....	62 1/2	63	62 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
44	108,232,000	.....	Southern Pacific.....	39 1/2	39 1/2	39	39 1/2	38 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	38 1/2	37 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
55	57,290,400	1	Southern Railroad pfd.....	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
69 1/2	15,010,000	1	Twin City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25 1/2	38,710,900	.....	Texas Pacific.....	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	22	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
99	20,000,000	1	Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	97	94 1/2	95 1/2	97 1/2	97	95 1/2	96	97	96	96	96
242	12,000,000	1 1/2	Third Avenue R. R.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
50 1/2	80,338,000	.....	Union Pacific.....	46 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
84 1/2	75,000,000	1 1/2	" " pfd.....	78 1/2	79	80	80	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2	80	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
57	23,660,000	2	U. S. Rubber.....	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	49 1/2	49	49	49
120	23,525,500	2	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	61,509,000	.....	U. S. Leather.....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	9 1/2	10 1/2	.....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
73	60,909,000	1 1/2	" " pfd.....	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
8 1/2	23,000,000	.....	Wabash.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25 1/2	24,000,000	.....	" " pfd.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
91 1/2	97,370,000	.....	W. U. Telegraph.....	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89	89 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2

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# NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

ADVANCE IN CONSOLS. — LARGE OPERATORS STILL KEEP ALOOF. — OTHERS BESIDES FLOWER ARE BUYING B. R. T. — MARKET DULL AT NOON.

New York, Aug. 30th.

The London market opened steady and has since become strong, Americans being well above our closing prices and Consols showing a gain of 1-16. The reason given for the change of feeling in London is the growing belief that the dispute between Great Britain and the Transvaal will be peaceably settled.

This will be a distinct disappointment to the Bears in our market, as their selling yesterday was based to a considerable extent on predictions that war was inevitable and that the financial situation both here and in London would consequently become serious. The argument used was that the Transvaal exported about 100 million dollars gold a year, and that any check to this supply would force the Bank of England to raise its rate and result in tight money not only in Europe but in this country.

However, apart from any arguments advanced by the bears, there was no doubt that the market was a distinctly disappointing one yesterday. Many traders thought that the declaration of a 2 p.c. dividend by Union Pacific on preferred would give the necessary stimulus to the market, and would attract considerable outside buying. Nothing of the sort occurred. In fact, it looked as if some people had been looking for the declaration of the dividend to sell stocks. The attempt to liquidate, however, was not successful and the market was not strong enough to absorb any considerable blocks.

The advance in B. R. T. is ascribed to a drive against short. There is no news in regard to the company except a vague rumor that Whitney may join the directors.

It is estimated that at least 30,000 shares of long stock came out in tobacco. Republic Steel was heavily bought by a prominent Broadway house. Sentiment on the floor in regard to the stock is decidedly bullish.

Higher prices from London to-day should result in a strong opening, but as long as outside buying remains as small as at present, any sustained upward movement is an impossibility.

New York (noon), Aug. 30th.

There was a fair display of activity at the opening owing to the fact that prices in London were higher, and the advance in Consols was thought to indicate that the Transvaal situation had undergone considerable improvement, and that the probabilities were that there would be no war.

Foreign houses were fairly large buyers, their operations being especially noticeable in S. Ry. and Nor. Pac. The trading element was inclined to follow the lead of London, but only to a moderate extent. The buying was mainly confined to the small fry, while the larger operators held aloof.

There was next to no business done by commission houses, the upward movement failing to create outside interest. Another drive was made by shorts in B.R.T., and some of the buying was supposed to be for good people not identified with Flower and Flower party.

Further liquidation made its appearance in Tobacco. There was also quite a little pressure on Cot. preferred. After the first hour the market became stagnant. London buying slackened off and the expectation of the room was that during the afternoon we should see lower prices.

## MINES.

The Mountain Lion mill will begin running on November 1.

In Morrison mine the tunnel encountered a large body of ore from which gold values of \$33 have been secured.

Advertisement of Canadian mineral wealth is now adequately made. This is the announcement of Mr. W. Lefroy, of London, editor of the British Columbia Mining Review, who is now in Toronto on a visit.

Lake Shore compressor was started on Thursday last.

Dr. Doolittle, of Toronto, is now owner of the Venus, having paid \$5,000 on it.

Silver King mine, Cook County, Oregon, has been sold for \$1,000,000.

Princess Maud, at the bottom of the winze has shown a wonderful ore shute which had made no surface appearance. In a few days it is said that this mine will become one of the biggest ore producers in the Republic Camp.

Olive is doing so very well with its ore body, and its mill now being enlarged and having 15 additional stamps, that the directors have resolved to issue no more stock at less than 25 cents a share.

The Randolph, next to Golden Star, is giving under development greater values, the quartz vein widening and the ore yielding higher assays.

## STRAWS.

While grading on Canadian Pacific extension in British Columbia, contractors have uncovered great ledges of ore running high in copper, gold and silver.

Britain has sent a gunboat up the Yangtse-Kiang to protect the rights of Britains against Russian aggression.

American firms have placed orders with Glasgow manufacturers for 50,000 tons of steel for warship construction.

From London comes word that Chamberlain's last speech has lowered all markets. Selling in Americans is very extensive. Reallizing sales are being made on continental bourses and Consols are off.

## Answers To Correspondence.

Skee.—Letter received also N. J. Not regularly reported \$25,000 ahead of last year. No prospects for larger dividends.

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**NEWS OF THE MINES.**

**Vancouver Island, First Galena Claim.**—A few days ago, according to a despatch of Aug. 26th, Mr. Baden found a ledge 40 feet wide carrying galena from wall to wall, \$137 of gold, and 113 oz. of silver to the ton. This is the first important discovery of a galena ledge in the Island. The ledge is situated 12 miles up Gordon river on the west coast and was rediscovered by Mr. Baden, accompanied by Mr. Keith Wilson. Twenty-four years ago when as yet gold mining did not interest Mr. Baden much, he came upon this ledge and brought home some samples which years afterwards he had assayed and found that they ran about \$2000 to the ton. The rediscovery of the ledge was a work of some difficulty, and not a little romance. This property will be economically worked as far as transportation goes, as there are plentiful, shipping facilities.

**Okonagan Country.**—All the copper claims in this country have been bought up by agents of Marcus Daly, the Montana Mining King, and bought up at very inconsiderable values. It was this Mr. Daly who developed the Anaconda mine on a gigantic scale and sold it for \$19,000,000 quite recently. Had the owners of these copper claims known what they know now, that the two poor miners who were looking for cheap copper claims were really agents of Mr. Daly, the deals would have been put through no doubt on a different basis. The purchases include Copper Mountain in Smilkameen County, an enormous quarry of copper gold ore. Quite a rush of prospectors towards this district has taken place and they have given the recorder no small difficulty in registering new finds. The authority for this statement is said to be Mr. J. F. Bledsoe, superintendent of the Fairview Corporation's properties, Okonagan.

**SYDNEY IRON WORKS.**

Mr. William McMaster, managing director of Montreal Rolling Mills Co., having been interviewed on his return from Cape Breton, said about the Dominion Steel and Iron Company that the site of the Mammoth works is twenty-five feet above tide water, extends to 500 acres, is connected with Sydney Louisburg Ry., and Intercolonial, has open harbors at hand or very near; that its officials are Mr. Julian Kennedy, of Pittsburg, the engineer, whose Sydney representatives are Mr. McClain and Mr. Wells; Riter-Conley Co., Pittsburg, contractors for blast furnaces, steel converters, steel billets, etc., who employ the 500 men mentioned yesterday in the Exchange News; that in 18 months the Dominion Steel & Iron Company will begin operations which will enable it to supply the Canadian markets and enter into competition with the greatest iron makers of the world; that there are 280,000,000 tons of iron ore in the Wabana de-

posits, Newfoundland, which property, bought by Nova Scotia Steel & Iron Co. for \$150,000, was sold to the Dominion Steel and Iron Company for \$1,000,000; that coal for delivery at the furnaces has been contracted for from the Dominion Coal Co. at \$1.20 per ton; that 1,000 tons per day of pig iron, steel slabs and billets will be the output, and that every other kind of property is booming at Cape Breton owing to this,—real estate, gas and coke, and also building. Branch banks, for example, are going to be set up by Merchants' Bank of Halifax, and it is said also by the Bank of Montreal.

**TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.**

Toronto, Aug. 29th.

**SALES :**

Rambler Cariboo.—500, 42½.  
 Republic.—2,000, 2,000, 127.  
 Golden Star.—500, 46.  
 Rathmullen.—500, 8, 9,000, 7½.  
 Arthabasca.—500, 30.  
 Van Anda.—1,500, 10½, 11,500, 10½.  
 Big Three.—500, 15.  
 Iron Mask.—400, 68½.  
 Gold Hills.—500, 8½.  
 Dardanelles.—500, 13½.  
 Rambler Cariboo.—500, 42.  
 Minnehaha.—1,000, 16.  
 Rambler Cariboo.—1,000, 42.  
 Standard Mining sales :  
 Empress—500, 5, 1,000, 5½.  
 Golden Star—1,000, 46, 500, 46½.  
 White Bear.—500, 4½.  
 Rathmullen.—5,000, 7½, 1,300, 8.  
 Rambler Cariboo.—500, 42.  
 Minnehaha.—1,000, 16½.  
 Big Three.—1,000, 14½.  
 Van Anda.—3,000, 10½.  
 Gold Hills.—500, 8.  
 Big Three.—1,000, 15½, 1,500, 16.

**STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.**

Toronto, Aug. 29th.

**SALES :**

Empress—500, 5, 1000, 5½.  
 Golden Star—1000, 46, 500, 46½.  
 White Bear—500, 4½.  
 Rathmullen—6,000, 7½, 1,500, 8.  
 Rambler Cariboo.—500, 42.  
 Minnehaha.—1000, 16½.  
 Big Three—1000, 14½.  
 Van Anda.—3000, 10½.  
 Gold Hills—500, 8.  
 Big Three—1,000, 15½, 1,500, 16.  
 White Bear—7,000, 4½.  
 Gold Hills—500, 8½.  
 Deer Trail.—1,000, 25½.  
 Golden Star.—1,000, 46½, 1,000, 45½.

**RAILWAY EARNINGS.**

The Canadian Pacific Railway's statement for July is :

Gross earnings .....	\$2,385,625.47
Expenses .....	1,412,663.84

Net profits.....	\$ 972,961.63
Increase .....	242,272.84
Jan. 1st to July 31st, 1899 :	
Gross .....	\$15,073,988.59
Expenses .....	9,078,773.75

Net profits .....	\$ 5,995,214.84
Increase .....	1,110,894.22

**HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.**

Aug. 6.....	\$3,113.20.....Inc.	\$235.40
" 13.....	3,155.20....."	22.00
" 20.....	3,078.28.....Dec.	56.05
Rec'ts to date.....	\$8,851.45.....Dec.	\$82.05

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# MINING STOCK LIST

NAME	Asked.	Bid.	Par Value.	Capital.	Divid- d'nd	When Payable	Description.	LOCATION.
Baltimore.....	7½	7	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	Trail Creek, B. O.
Big Three.....	19	19½	1 00	3,500,000	.....	.....	do do	do
Commander.....	10	8	1 00	50,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Deer Park.....	5	3½	1 00	1,750,000	.....	.....	do	do
Giant.....	5½	.....	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Grand Prize.....	3	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Gold Hills.....	10	7½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Homestake.....	4	3½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Colt.....	9½	7½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Horse.....	15	11	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Jumbo.....	30	25	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Mayflower.....	8	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
R. E. Lee.....	2	.....	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
St. Elmo.....	6½	4	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Silverine.....	6	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Victory Triumph.....	9	7	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
White Bear.....	5½	3	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Butte.....	11	10	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.....	8½	7	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
California.....	12	11½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Evening Star.....	11½	09	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Mask.....	.....	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Monte Christo.....	06½	08	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields.....	18	17½	25	800,000	.....	.....	do	do
Novelty.....	3	2	10	150,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virginia.....	18	13	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
War Eagle.....	3 61	3 51	1 00	1,750,000	1½	Monthly.	do	do
Le Roi.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do	do
Dardanelles.....	15	13½	1 00	100,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern.....	30	25	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	do
Noble Five.....	20	19	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo.....	42½	41	1 00	1,250,000	.....	Two paid...	Gold.	do
Slocan Sovereign.....	49	39	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London.....	58	56	24	452,000	1½%	Monthly.	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.O.
Cariboo McKinney.....	1 25	1 14	1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.O.
Fontenoy.....	18	12½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Minnehaha.....	22	19½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Waterloo.....	9	8	10	100,000	.....	.....	do	do
Knob Hill.....	98	92	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do.	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides.....	1 16½	1 10	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Pay Ore.....	8	.....	10	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Noro).....	.....	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Rathmullen.....	08½	7½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown.....	29	25	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Decca.....	32½	25	1 00	875,000	.....	.....	do	Seine River, Ont.
Golden Star.....	45	44½	1 00	1,000,000	1½%	Quarterly.	do	do
Butte and Boston.....	11	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Eureka District, Wash.
Republic.....	1 28	1 25½	1 00	3,500,000	1pc	Monthly.	do	do
Smuggler.....	3½	2½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Fairview Camp, B.O.
Winchester.....	15	14	25	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virtue.....	49	48	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne.....	1 36	1 35	1 00	3,000,000	1pc	Monthly.	Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal.....	\$50 00	44 00	25 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic.....	1 51	1 47	5 00	5,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	Cariboo District.

## BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDEEMABLE.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	192½	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do Stock.....	106	1925.....	" "
7,050,000	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 & Bosanqueta
874,260	4	" "	do do do	101-106	.....	" "
22,500	6	.....	Aner 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. ....	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	1918 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
350,000	5	1st Ap'l 1st Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1918 April	Bank of Montreal.
	6	2nd Jan. July	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Jo.	100	1910.....	" "
	5	" "	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	.....	.....
292,000	5	1st Mch 1st Sep.	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1908 1st Mch	.....
681,333	4½	1st Feb. 1st Aug	do do	.....	1922 1st Aug	.....
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	Peoples Heat & Light. ....	85	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	4½	Mch 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.

# CHICAGO MARKET--August 30, 1899.

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

**GOOD OPENING - 720,000 SOLD FOR EXPORT - 1 CENT ADVANCE OF WHEAT IN 20 MINUTES.**

Chicago, Aug. 30th.

It is said that among the orders coming in from abroad there is a great scarcity of orders for wheat, yet in face of this bearish factor, there was very little depression in wheat prices this morning. Liverpool cable, in fact, quoted wheat as  $\frac{1}{4}$  higher, with fairly steady tendency and demand, and Chicago openings in the wheat market showed no decline except in September variety. Here there was a recession followed by a downward tendency, not indeed very marked, while in other varieties, the openings were on the same level as yesterday's close. Corn, which was unchanged on Liverpool market made a better showing at the opening, but further sales gathered no more vigor. Previous openings were in the majority of cases 2 or 3 cents off, and so far as could be learned from the earlier morning sales, indicate that their later movements would not be on any improved basis.

Northwest cars were received to the amount of 373; Minn. 143, Duluth 230. This is in excess of the 175 of last week.

Shortly after noon the market brightened and prices of wheat in 20 minutes leaped up 1 cent. On word of 90 car loads, (i.e.) 720,000 bushels having been sold for export

	CLOSING PRICES AUG. 24 TO AUG. 29.					TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	24	25	26	28	29	Openin.	Highest	Lowest	Closing
<b>Wheat--</b>									
May.....	77	76 $\frac{1}{2}$	75 $\frac{1}{2}$	75	75	75	75 $\frac{1}{2}$	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	75 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sept.....	71 $\frac{1}{2}$	71 $\frac{1}{2}$	70 $\frac{1}{2}$	70 $\frac{1}{2}$	70	70	70 $\frac{1}{2}$	69 $\frac{1}{2}$	70 $\frac{1}{2}$
Dec.....	73 $\frac{1}{2}$	73 $\frac{1}{2}$	72 $\frac{1}{2}$	72 B	72	72	72 $\frac{1}{2}$	71 $\frac{1}{2}$	72 $\frac{1}{2}$
<b>Corn--</b>									
May.....	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{4}$
Sept.....	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	32A	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 A	30 $\frac{1}{2}$	30 $\frac{1}{2}$	31	30 $\frac{1}{2}$	31
Dec.....	28 $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{4}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$ B	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{4}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$ A
<b>Oats--</b>									
May.....	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$ B	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$	21 $\frac{1}{2}$ B
Sept.....	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	20 $\frac{1}{2}$ A	20	20	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	20 $\frac{1}{2}$
Dec.....	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$
<b>Pork--</b>									
Jan.....	9 62	9 60	9 55	9 60	9 60	9 60	9 60	9 55	9 60
Sept.....	8 32	8 30	8 30	8 25	8 26A	8 22	8 25	8 17	8 20
Oct.....	8 40	8 37	8 37	8 35	8 32	8 30	8 30	8 25	8 27-30
<b>Lard--</b>									
Jan.....	5 47	5 47B	.....	5 47	5 47A	5 47	5 47	5 45	5 45B
Sept.....	5 22	5 22B	5 20	5 25	5 22	5 20	5 20	5 17	5 25
Oct.....	5 30	5 30B	5 27	5 32	5 30A	5 27	5 27	5 25	5 27
<b>Shrubs--</b>									
Jan.....	5 00	5 00	4 97	5 00	5 00A	5 00	5 00	4 97	5 00
Sept.....	5 15	5 20A	5 15	5 20	5 17	5 17	5 17	5 12	5 17
Oct.....	5 17	5 22A	5 17	5 25A	5 25	5 22	5 25	5 20	5 25

Puts and Calls for Aug. 31— Puts, Sept. Wheat..... 70 Puts, Sept. Corn.....30 $\frac{1}{2}$   
Calls " " ..... 70 $\frac{1}{2}$  Calls, " " .....31 $\frac{1}{2}$

Puts & C. for this week - Curb Wheat ..... Dec. Wheat..... 7 $\frac{1}{2}$

## LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....	92 $\frac{1}{2}$
" " 1st preference.....	80 $\frac{1}{2}$
" " 2nd ".....	58 $\frac{1}{2}$
" " 3rd ".....	25 $\frac{1}{2}$
G. T. R. Com.....	.....
O. P. R.....	99 $\frac{1}{2}$

## LONDON AND PARIS.

Aug 30, 1899.

Bank of England rate.....	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Open discount rate.....	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Paris Rentes.....	100-35
French Exchange.....	25f. 24 $\frac{1}{2}$
Consols, money.....	105 $\frac{1}{2}$
Canadian Pacific.....	99
New York Central.....	141 $\frac{1}{2}$
St. Paul.....	137 $\frac{1}{2}$
Union Pacific.....	81 $\frac{1}{2}$

## MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Aug 24, 5,039.70	Inc.	519.40
" 25, 4,895.05	"	788.81
" 26, 5,528.98	"	723.71
" 27, 5,813.01	"	942.44
" 28, 5,437.68	"	948.87
" 29, 5,377.80	"	509.63

## TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Total for July.....	\$110,824.94	Inc.	\$12,522.02
Aug. 22, 3,069.56	"	"	114.04
" 23, 3,885.16	"	"	129.90
" 24, 4,067.40	"	"	467.42
" 25, 4,061.55	"	"	444.01
" 26, 5,158.08	"	"	438.16
" 27, 2,117.69	"	"	332.95

## TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

Aug. 7.....	\$48,470.70	Inc.	\$8,574.19
" 14.....	49,594.70	"	6,721.46
" 21.....	48,928.15	"	7,191.74

## TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares.	Par Value	CAPITAL.		Rest as per Last Statement.	Div. per cent.	Last half year.	Buy-ers
			Paid up.					
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>								
British America.....	50	\$	750,000	\$	*79,381	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	123	
Western Assurance.....	40		1,000,000		†296,743	5	164 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Canada Life.....	400		125,000		.....	10	.....	
Confederation Life Association.....	100		100,000		.....	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100		450,000		47,821	.....	152	
Consumers' Gas.....	50		1,700,000		.....	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr	230	
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40		400,000		.....	.....	.....	
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000		60,000		60,000	10	.....	
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100		1,400,000		.....	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	137	
" " New.....	.....		240,000		.....	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	134	
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100		900,000		40,000	4	175	
" " " " 20 p.c.....	100		300,000		.....	3	105 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100		250,000		60,000	1	80	
<b>LOAN and SAVINGS CO.</b>								
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100		398,481		120,000	3	.....	
Building and Loan Association.....	25		750,000		100,000	1	.....	
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	120 $\frac{1}{2}$	
" " 20 per cent.....	.....		600,000		.....	.....	111	
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50		734,175		220,000	3	113	
Central Canada Ln. & Sav'g Co.....	100		875,000		380,000	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr	133	
" " 20 per cent.....	.....		325,000		.....	.....	.....	
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50		930,627		10,000	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	75	
Freehold " ".....	100		475,100		300,000	3	.....	
" " 20 per cent.....	.....		843,000		.....	3	80	
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100		1,100,000		360,000	3	112	
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50		1,000,000		750,000	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	180	
" " 20 per cent.....	.....		400,000		.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	170	
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100		725,155		160,000	3	.....	
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100		700,000		160,000	3	111	
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50		700,000		210,000	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr	66	
London Loan Co.....	50		631,500		83,000	3	109	
London & Ontario Investment.....	100		550,000		100,000	3	.....	
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100		375,000		50,000	.....	48	
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10		730,000		418,533	5	.....	
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50		1,200,000		480,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	120 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50		509,429		40,000	.....	20	
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40		373,720		50,000	2	64	
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100		600,000		105,000	3	120	
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50		699,020		200,000	1	.....	
Western Canada " ".....	50		1,000,000		770,000	3	113 $\frac{1}{2}$	
" " 25 per cent.....	.....		500,000		.....	3	90	

\* 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.