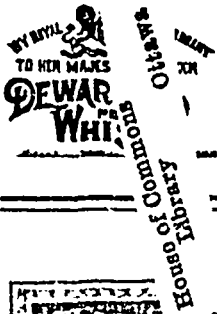


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## Montreal Stock Market.

VICTORY LINGERS AND THE MARKET WAITS.—SOME ADVANCES POINT TO UNDER CURRENT OF STRENGTH—LOCAL MONEY TIGHT—CONSOLS ABOVE PAR.

Montreal, Jan. 17.

The length of time that has elapsed since hopes began, of hearing about a decisive British victory, gives complete justification to the waiting and the discounting that has occurred in the market occasionally. It proves that the waiting attitude, continued again to-day, is the only one appropriate to the circumstances. Less agreeable than a stirring market, all concerned seem satisfied about its prudence. Buying orders are very few and indicate that the public are getting as unwilling to start in buying as victory is to lean to either side. Feeling grows stronger but wants an opportunity.

CANADIAN PACIFIC at 93 was unchanged. Its 210 shares marketed this forenoon was the largest business done during the session. It closed strong with 93 1/4 wanted. More than once these few days this stock of all the American list has been the strongest on the London market.

TWIN CITY advancing 1/4 to around 65 is despite conditions rather unfavorable to price advance beginning to have in higher prices the result of its 14 per cent increase in yearly earnings.

COMMERCIAL CABLE secured a high price for two broken lots, as also did MONTREAL TELEGRAPH on the sale of two shares. These prices while not making quotations are probably signs of a strong market under current.

TORONTO RAILWAY keeping steady at 102 lost 1/4, while ROYAL ELECTRIC around 186 gained 2 and CAN. COL. COTTON secured 5 points advance on the previous sale in December. The closing demand and offer were 75 and 68.

MONTREAL-LONDON declining 1 point was sold at a price which is not a quotation.

WAR EAGLE gaining 2 points sold at 245.

BANK OF TORONTO sold 4 under last quotation.

ONTARIO BANK at 1/8 under the previous bid.

BANK OF MONTREAL was unchanged.

MERCHANTS BANK was 1 lower.

BANK OF COMMERCE 1/2 higher, while BELL TELEPHONE RIGHTS receded 1/2 point.

Local money rates are unchanged, but money is tight.

### MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—210, 93.  
Twin City—25, 64 1/4, 50, 64 1/2, 15, 65 1/2.  
Com. Cable—2, 190, 12, 192 1/2.  
Tor. Ry.—75, 102.  
Mont.-London—300, 3 1/2, 200, 35.  
War Eagle—500, 245.  
Roy. Elec.—25, 185 1/2, 59, 186.  
Bell Tel. Rights—3 1/2, 69, 11, 68, 1/4, 68 1/2, 1/4, 68 1/2, 3, 68.  
Can. Col. Cotton—25, 70.  
B. of Toronto—1, 241.  
Mont. Teleg.—2, 172 1/2.  
B. of Mont.—1, 256.  
Merchants Bank—12, 162.  
B. of Com.—4, 14 1/4.  
Ont. Bank—10, 127 1/2.

### AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—225, 93 1/4.  
Com. Cable—1, 191.  
Roy. Elec.—56, 186.  
Tor. Ry.—50, 101 1/4.  
Mont. St. Ry.—50, 272, 25, 272 1/2.  
Payne—500, 104.  
War Eagle—500, 247.  
Bell Tel. Rights—17 1/2, 68, 23 1/4, 68.  
Ont. Bank—10, 127 1/2, 10, 126 1/2.

### STRAWS.

B. R. T. earnings the first thirteen days of January increased \$40,045 over the same time last year.

Mr. Havemeyer is reported to have told a friend that he would give \$500,000 if he could stop the trading in Sugar stock. He claimed that speculation in the stock did as much as anything to start opposition companies and prevent the Sugar Co.

from getting the protection from foreign competitors.

Grand Trunk's east bound tonnage being three times as large as usual, viz., 16.3 p. c., it is suspected by competitors of rate cutting. No specific case has been discovered, however.

## LONDON AND PARIS.

Jan. 17, 1900.

Bank of England rate	5
Open discount rate	3 1/2
Paris Rentes	100-15
French Exchange	25f. 20
Consols, money	100 1/2
Canadian Pacific	95
New York Central	137 1/2
St. Paul	120 1/2
Union Pacific	76 1/2

## LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.	94
" 1st preference	85 1/2
" 2nd "	56 1/2
" 3rd "	20 1/2
G. T. R. Com.	
O. P. R.	95

## MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Dec.	\$137,681.19	Inc.	\$9,912.81
Jan. 10,	4,427.07	Inc.	657.23
" 11,	4,450.50	"	368.91
" 12,	4,157.76	"	343.62
" 13,	4,564.63	"	299.25
" 14,	3,676.05	"	219.02
" 15,	4,547.76	"	203.25

## HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY

For week ending	Compared with previous week
Dec. 3...	\$2,682.70.....Inc. \$63.70
" 10 .....	2,088.75....." 6.05
" 17.....	2,058.95.....Dec. 20.80
" 24.....	2,400.10.....Inc. 431.15
" 31.....	2,232.15.....Dec. 258.05
Receipts for 1899.....	\$119,053.92.....Inc. \$495.75

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.**

**DEER TRAIL THE FEATURE — WAR EAGLE SELLS AT LOWEST PRICE YET — MARKET MORE ACTIVE — PRICES AVERAGE.**

Montreal, Jan. 17.

Business was of a better character today, being more active and of a greater volume.

Interest centered itself in the Deer Trail transactions which were numerous, although of a small compass. No less than 12,500 shares changed hands within the small range of 1/2 a point. The opening sale was made at 12 1/2 cents and the remaining ones at 13. The stock closed strong with buyers offering 13 cents. The better feeling was no doubt created by the issuing of the official confirmation of the terms of the recent amalgamation of the Bonanza and Deer Trail properties. The stock was offered at the close at 13 1/2 cts.

War Eagle sold as low as 2.45, this is the low water mark for the stock during the present decline, 500 shares changed hands.

Slocan Sovereign — The demand for Slocan Sovereign was of a limited character, the price in consequence suffered to the extent of 1/2 a point, 200 shares sold at 35 and 1000 shares at 34.

Canadian Gold Fields remains unchanged selling at 8 cents for the amount of 1000 shares.

The vein on the Decca we are informed is eight feet in width. This is the best discovery yet made on the Decca property, and is a good showing. The stock remains quiet around 14 cents and looks like a purchase.

Payne is said to be working a full force again. No sales were made, the bid and asked being 102 and 105.

Virtue sold at 53 1/2, not quite so strong as yesterday when it sold at 54, 500 shares changed hands this morning at 53 1/2 which was bid at the close, the stock being offered at 55.

Big Three sold at 7 cents for 1000 shares, this is at an unchanged figure.

There was also a sale of Dominion Consolidated at 6 cents.

No sales in Golden Star, but 30 was freely bid, the stock being offered at 32 and 31 1/2.

**MORNING SALES.**

Deer Trail No. 2—500, 12 1/2, 12,000, 13.  
War Eagle—500, 2.45.  
Slocan Sov.—200, 35, 1000, 34.  
Can. G. Fields—1000, 8.  
Virtue—500, 53 1/2.  
Big Three—1000, 7.  
Dom. Consolidated—1000, 6.

**AFTERNOON SALES.**

Decca—500, 15, 500, 14 1/2.  
Mont.-London—500, 85, 100, 34.  
Deer Trail No. 2 x-d—1500, 13.  
Big Three—500, 7 1/2.  
North Star—1000, 106, 1000, 107.

**TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.**

Dec. earnings....	Inc....	Inc....
Jan. 5, 3,840.47.....	Inc.	685.30
" 6, 4,223.67.....	"	601.50
" 7, 1,473.67.....	"	371.58
" 8, 3,760.61.....	"	395.77
" 9, 3,911.14.....	"	633.26
" 10, 3,932.63.....	"	790.53
" 11, 3,632.46.....	"	3,807.
" 12, 3,947.71.....	"	631.39
" 13, 4,461.76.....	"	714.33
" 14, 1,504.08.....	"	191.99

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.**

	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	Jan. 13.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 16.	Jan. 17.	Jan. 18.	Jan. 19.	Jan. 20.	Jan. 21.
1.00 Payne.....	1.02	1.01	1.04	1.02	1.05	1.02	1.05	1.01
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	2.00	2.40	2.55	2.45	2.50	2.35	2.55	2.40
1.00 Republic xd.....	1.00	1.05	1.00	1.05	1.03	1.05	1.03	1.04
1.00 Virtue.....	.55	.54	.55	.53	.68	.54	.50	.53
.24 Montreal-London xd.....	.30	.35	.30	.35	.35	.30	.35	.33
1.00 Big Three.....	.07	.06	.07	.06	.07	.06	.08	.07
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.28	.15	.28	.15	.23	.14	.23	.15
1.00 California.....	.12	.11	.12	.11	.12	.11	.12	.11
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.08	.07	.09	.07	.09	.08	.08	.07
6.00 Cariboo Hydraulics.....	.09	....	.08	....	.08	....	.08	....
1.00 Evening Star.....	.08	.05	.08	.05	.08	.05	.08	.05
.25 Fern.....	.10	.02	.06	.01	.06	.01	.06	.02
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.06	.02	.05	.03	.06	.04	.05	.02
1.00 Iron Colt.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.85	.60	.85	.60	.85	.79	.85	.75
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.07	.05	.07	.05	.08	.06	.08	.06
.25 Montreal Gold Fields.....	.07	.06	.07	.07	.10	.07	.08	.07
1.00 Noble Five.....	.14	.12	.14	.12	.12	.11	.15	.10
.10 Novelty.....	.04	.02	.05	.02	.06	.01	.03	.01
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.00	....	1.00	....	1.00	....	1.00	....
1.00 Virginia.....	.08	.05	.08	.05	.08	.05	.08	.05
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1.00 Bullion.....	.50	....	.45	....	.55	....	.45	....
1.00 Decca.....	.10	.10	.10	.13	.15	.12	.15	.11
1.00 Morrison.....	.05	.05	.05	.05	.05	.05	.05	.05
1.00 Golden Star.....	.32	.31	.31	.30	.33	.30	.32	.30
1.00 Slocan Sov.....	.35	.34	.35	.34	.35	.34	.35	.33
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.08	.05	.08	.08	.07	.06	.08	.06
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.28	.21	.28	.20	.30	.20	.27	....
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.1	.07	.11	.06	.10	.05	.11	.06
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2.....	.10	.10	.11	.11	.13	.12	.13	.12
1.00 North Star.....	1.04	....	1.04	1.02	1.10	....	1.07	1.06
1.00 Kenneth.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

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# NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

**SENTIMENT MORE CHEERFUL—THIRD AVEN. SAVED FROM THE BEARS — LEATHER (COM.) ACTIVE AGAIN — CONSOLS ADVANCE ABOVE PAR.**

New York, Jan. 17.

The London market continues to be in a state of stagnation. Cables state that the tendency is rather towards improvement. Consols are selling above par, but no activity is likely to develop till some definite news is received from Africa.

To-day with the exception of a report of a successful skirmish to the south of the Orange Free State, there is absolutely no news. Attention is concentrated on developments in Natal, and at present the war office refuses to give out any information.

It is announced this morning that the Rapid Transit Commissioners have accepted Mr. McDonald's bid for building the underground railway. It is believed that the contract will be signed in a few weeks and that work will then be commenced. Possibly this may have some sympathetic bearing on Manhattan and Met., although there is a shrewd suspicion that Mr. McDonald's bid was made with the approval and concurrence of the M. R. Co.

Officials of A. B. W. state that so far four hundred men are on strike and that consequently the business is not being seriously affected.

The St. Paul earnings for second week in January are largest on record for any second week in January; this showing is extremely satisfactory, inasmuch as the grain has shown a heavy falling off.

There was rather heavy buying of A.M. T., during the last hour.

Unless we get some news from South Africa the market is likely to be as dull as it was yesterday.

New York, (noon), Jan. 17.

Just before the opening cables were received by London houses indicating an upward tendency in the foreign markets, consequently sentiment at opening was rather more cheerful than yesterday, and the room traders were disposed to espouse the long side.

Leather common led in point of activity there being heavy buying by so-called inside interests. Subsequently realization caused a reaction and at the moment the stock has had a rally and looks strong.

With fairly good buying of Tobacco the Room believes that a consolidated exchange operator is heavily short of the stock and that inside interests may organize a squeeze at any moment.

Sugar was nervous, traders being mainly influential.

After the first half hour the local traction stocks became heavy under leadership of Third Ave. This stock declined 8 points below yesterday, the decline being accompanied by all sorts of rumors, the principal being that a new issue of \$25,000,000 new stock was in contemplation. The company is known to have a large floating debt and the earnings do not show increases in proportion to the increase of earnings on Met. St. Ry. The only deterrent to the bear campaign in the stock is the difficulty in borrowing it.

Met. St. Ry. and Manhattan both sold down on rather light transactions, but the former found considerable support around 103. During the last half hour the market has shown considerable strength on the receipt of cables from the other side saying that Consols had advanced 1/2 from the opening, still more recently Cable quote a further advance of 3-16 and re-

port that the American market closed strong at the best figures of the day. There is a feeling that the war office in London has some good news from South Africa, but is holding it back till fuller details are obtainable. Should this prove to be the case the whole market would have a very sharp rally, as the short interest in it is larger than for some time.

## STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Jan. 16.

Golden Star—500, 81.  
Fairview—1500, 2 1/4. 1000, 2.  
Monte Christo—1000, 6 1/4.  
Rathmullen—17,500, 6 1/4.  
Van Ande—3500, 5 1/4.  
Gold Hills—1000, 4 1/2.

## TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Jan. 16.

Bonanza—500, 8 1/4.  
C. G. F. S.—1000, 7 1/4.  
Monte Christo—3000, 6. 1000, 6 1/4.  
Fairview—500, 2 1/4.  
Rathmullen—1000, 6. 17,500, 6 1/4. 500, 6 1/2.  
White Bear—1000, 2 1/4.  
New London—1000, 86.  
Waterloo—500, 10 1/2.  
Evening Star—1000, 81. 500, 31 1/4.  
War Eagle—100, 251.  
Golden Star—500, 81. 1000, 31 1/4.  
Fairview—1500, 2 1/4.  
Rathmullen—17,500, 6 1/4.  
W. D., 2500, 31. 1500, 31 1/4.  
Noble Five—1000, 14.  
W.D., Rambler Cariboo — 500, 53 1/2.

## ROSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE.

Rossland, Jan. 16.

Rathmullen—2000, 6. 3000, 6 1/4. 5000, 6 1/4. 10,000, 6 1/4. 5000, 6 1/2. 6000, 7 1/2.  
Okanogan—3000, 5 1/4. 20,000 5 1/2. 26,000, 6 1/2. 2000, 6 1/4. 3000, 8-

## CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Jan. 16, 1900.

Capital.	Par Value.	Acacia	Asked.
1,500,000	\$1.00	Acacia	.42
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n	.35 1/2
900,000	1.00	Ben Hur	....
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee	.7 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	Croesus	....
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor	.20 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	C. C. Oons	.18 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	C. C. & M.	.15 1/2
1,250,000	1.00	Dar'e	.17
2,000,000	1.00	Damon	.29
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton	....
1,500,000	1.00	Flower	....
1,250,000	1.00	Findley	.15
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin	2.55
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign	.14 1/2
2,000,000	1.00	Gold Stone	....
1,000,000	1.00	Gould	....
1,225,000	1.00	Indepen. T. & M.	....
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella	1.38
500,000	1.00	Ida May	....
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot	.59
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone	.16 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly	.11 1/2
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington	.21 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Matco	.30
600,000	1.00	Moon Anchor	.73
1,250,000	1.00	Magnet	....
1,250,000	1.00	Maria A.	....
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n Beauty	.10 1/2
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget	....
1,500,000	1.00	New Haven	.08
1,250,000	1.00	Oriole	....
2,000,000	1.00	Pappoose	.9 1/2
3,000,000	1.00	Portland	....
1,000,000	1.00	Princess	....
1,250,000	1.00	Silver State	.3
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle	....
1,000,000	1.00	Sacramento	....
1,500,000	1.00	Work	.31

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## MINING NEWS.

### CROWN POINT MINE.

Work on this Mine has been rushed to Completion.

Rat Portage, Jan. 12.

Mr. E. A. Barton, of Montreal, the secretary-treasurer of the Crown Reefs Gold Mining Co., arrived in town on Tuesday night from the mine in the Shoal lake country, and expressed himself as greatly pleased with the results being obtained on the Crown Reef mine. He found that the five-stamp mill was ready to run and that the present state of development of the mine is far beyond what would be expected when the length of time the property has been operated is taken into consideration. It is less than five months since the work was begun, yet in that time there have been camps and shaft houses, an office, manager's residence and 5-stamp mill erected on the property. There are at present 28 men on the pay roll of the company. Shaft on No. 3 vein is 73 feet deep and nearly every blast brings out free gold. A mill run will be made by Mt. Ahn, of about 100 tons, which he expects to have completed by the 22nd. He will endeavor to run on picked ore. A mill run last fall at the Keewatin reduction works on everything from the shaft gave a return of \$1.07 to the ton. It is expected that the present run will average much higher. On the big contact vein, 110 feet in width, the shaft has reached a depth of 22 feet, and the showing is very good. The shafts on the property are 8x10, three compartments and collared. At one place there are five veins converging into the contact. The property has a number of veins all of which seem more or less valuable. The miners have so much faith in the property that they are investing in the stock of the company themselves. If the present favorable state of affairs continues and the results of tests with the 5-stamp mill are satisfactory the company will place a 60-stamp mill when the development will warrant it.—Rat Portage Miner.

### WORK ON THE MYSTERY GROUP.

Rosslund, Jan. 6.

Mr. Charles Willison, president of the Mystery Mining Co., which is operating the Mystery group in the Burnt Basin section, is in the city. The property is being developed by a series of tunnels. The lower tunnel is now in for a distance of 113 feet and it is anticipated that the ledge, toward which it is being driven, will be encountered in the next 100 feet. There are four claims in the group and four or five ledges run diagonally across the claims.

There is considerable galena on the surface, and it is thought this will turn into gold-copper ore with depth. The ore assays about \$20 to the ton. The footwall of the main ledge is of limestone and the hanging wall of dolomite. The ledges are wide and well defined on the surface. Mr. Willison says that the men have just returned to work, having been away spending the holidays. There has already been 400 feet of development work done on the group.

### THE HOMESTAKE MEETING.

Rosslund, Jan. 6.

The meeting of the shareholders of the Homestake Mines, Limited, was held at the office of the company this afternoon. The holders of 500,000 shares were represented; while all the shareholders who had been heard from were in favor of the re-organization of the company. There was some divergence of views in matters of detail among shareholders resident in Toronto and Ottawa.

As Mr. Bayne, the president of the company, is about to go east it was resolved to further adjourn the meeting until there was an opportunity of calling the eastern shareholders together and explaining matters to them personally. The meeting adjourned to the 9th of March.

### REPUBLIC NEWS.

ON THE LONE PINE.

SOME OF THE ORE OF THE NEW STRIKE RUNNING UP TO \$100.

The appearance of the new vein recently opened on the Lone Pine is improving every day. Drifts are now being run both east and west, and altogether about 25 feet of the ore body has been taken out. Little or no waste is being taken out, as the clean ore is as wide as the drift on the east side and wider than the drift on the west side. A large car is in use taking about a ton at a time, and this car takes out about twelve loads a day, so that the mine is now yielding that many tons of ore a day. A fine dump is being built up outside, alongside the old ore dump made by the ore taken from the first vein opened. There are now not less than 1,000 tons of good ore in the Lone Pine dumps.

The ore found in this last strike on the Lone Pine is as a whole the richest yet found on the property. Much of it will run \$100 per ton. So far the best ore has been found in the west drift, though every pound taken out of both drifts so far is of pay grade. While the vein is not so large as the first one cut, it is of better quality. Apparently the width is from five to seven feet, though when it was prospected on the surface it was found to be about twenty feet wide. The showing on the surface is enormous; and the vein below no doubt widens at some point. When it was cut the other day it was 200 feet below the surface on the dip and 160 feet below on a vertical line. This is a fine depth and gives great stoping ground. The possibilities of this vein are very great, for it runs from southwest to northeast in a sort of diagonal line across the Lone Pine ground, which gives it in Lone Pine limits a length of over 1,200 feet.

The air is now bad in the mine. The crosscut which tapped the new or No. 2 vein is over 500 feet long, and the ventilation is necessarily poor. After a shot it takes two hours for the smoke to clear out. In order to relieve the situation and at the same time open the ore body at an increased depth, work has been resumed on the old tunnel started in the Pearl ground on the west side of the Lone Pine hill two years ago. The purpose of this tunnel at the time it was started was to cut this very vein that has been opened by a cross-

cut from the south. The tunnel was put in something over 160 feet and abandoned. Now work in it has been started again, and it will be pushed along as rapidly as possible. It is now in 200 feet and is inside Lone Pine ground. It will cut the vein diagonally from the north side, and then a drift will be carried along on the vein till a point is reached 80 feet below the drift to the west on the 200-foot level, when a raise will be made and connection established between the two levels. This will be developing the mine, and will at the same time give a good circulation of air.

It is the purpose of the management to make the Pearl tunnel coming in from the west the working tunnel, and all ore stoped above it will be taken out that way and delivered on the road that runs up San Poil gulch.

The Lone Pine is now in a position, or will be in a month more, to introduce a great deal of ore, and could easily keep its own mill going. But for the present the Lone Pine-Surprise will have no mill, but will make a contract with the Republic Reduction Company for the treatment of ore. The management will wait to see the results from the three mills now being erected here—the Mountain Lion mill, the Republic Reduction Company's mill, and the Republic mine mill. The process that is the most successful will be adopted by the Lone Pine-Surprise people and a mill erected. In the meantime, however, a compressor will probably be put in, so as to expedite the work of development. In that case the force on the property will be greatly increased.—Republic Miner.

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# 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	7½	7	1 00	3,500,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Deer Park	5	.....	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Grand Prize	3	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Gold Hills	6	4½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Honestako	4	3½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Oolt	.....	.....	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
Ontario Gold Fields Syn	8	7½	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
California	12	11½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Evening Star	8½	5	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Mask	75	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Monte Christo	8	6	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields	8	7	25	800,000	.....	.....	do	do
Novelty	3	2	10	150,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virginia	8	5	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
War Eagle	2 50	2 41½	1 00	1,750,000	1½	Monthly.	do	do
Dardanelles	17	16	1 00	100,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern	6	2	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	Nelson, B.O.
Noble Five	13	11	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo	.....	.....	1 00	1,250,000	.....	Two paid...	Gold.	Slocan, B.O.
Siwash Sovereign	34½	30	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London	35½	34	24	452,000	1½%	Monthly.	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.O.
Cariboo McKinney	98	.....	1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.O.
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	95	75	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides	1 00	75	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Pay Ore	8	.....	10	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Noro)	.....	27½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Rathmullen	8	6	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crow	28	15½	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	15	13	1 00	975,000	.....	.....	do	do
Golden Star	32	30	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	do
Republic	1 07	1 04	1 00	3,500,000	1pc.	Monthly.	do	Republic.
Jim Blaine	36	31	1	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Lone Pine	25	20	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Black Tail	17½	13	1 0	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Deer Trail No. 2 rd.	13½	13	1 00	1,000,000	1pc.	Monthly.	do	Spokane Co., Wash
Princess Maud	11	7½	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Republic.
Smuggler	3½	2½	1 0	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	Fairview Camp, B.O.
Virtue	55	53½	1 0	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne	1 05	1 02	1 00	3,000,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	38 50	33 50	25 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic	98	.....	5 00	5,900,000	.....	.....	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.	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.....	101½	1925.....	" "
7,080,000	3	"	"	do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
138,700	5	Jan.	July	Montreal Harbor Bonds Currency...	116	1913 & 1914 & 1915	" "
874,260	4	"	"	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Barrets & Bosanquets.
22,500	6	.....	.....	Auer Light.....	100	1904, 1894.....	" "
940,000	5	April	Oct.	Bell Telephone.....	115	1925.....	Bank of Montreal.
2,000,000	6	May	Nov.	Canada Central R'y. ....	.....	1932 1st Nov.....	" "
3,423,000	5	2nd April	Oct.	Canada Colored Cotton Mills.....	100	1902 April.....	" "
200,000	5	1st April	Oct.	Canadian Pacific R'y. Land Grant...	110	1931.....	" "
20,000,000	4	1st May	Nov.	Canada Paper Co.....	106½	1917	.....
£300,000	4½	Jan.	July	Commercial Cable Coupons. } do do Registered. }	102	2397	.....
600,000	5	1st Jan.	July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st J	.....
850,000	5	1st April	Oct.	Halifax Electric Tramway.....	106	1918 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
700,000	5	1st April	Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1918 April.....	Bank of Montreal.
554,313	5	1st Mch	Sep.	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Jo.	100	1910.....	" "
674,360	5	1st Mch	Sep.	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	1908 1st Mch	.....
2,799,933	4½	1st Feb.	1st Aug	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1922 1st Aug	.....
450,000	4½	1st April	Oct.	do do	.....	1917 April.....	Merchants Bank of Halifax
.....	5	1st Mch	Sep.	Peoples Heat & Light.....	69	1915 1st Mch	.....
.....	5	1st Mch	Sep.	Richelien & Ont. Nav.....	100	.....	.....
.....	5	1st April	Oct.	Royal Electric.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	4½	1st Mch	Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	.....
.....	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—January 17, 1900.

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

**WHEAT 2½D DOWN AT LIVERPOOL SINCE THE 8TH JANUARY —TIMID MARKET TO-DAY — PRES. HILL ON NEW MARKETS FOR WHEAT.**

Chicago, Jan. 17.

At Liverpool since Jan. 8th wheat has declined 2½d from 5-10½ to 5-7½, at which figure both March and May opened, the decline being ½d from yesterday's prices. Later cables announced that wheat had recovered ¼.

New York openings were ½ and ¼ higher at 78½ for March, 72½ for May and 72½ for July.

Chicago openings were in wheat ¼ to ¾ higher. Corn the same, oats ½ higher. The ½c fluctuation round the opening price during the first hour at least showed a timid market, and mainly professional with outside traders unwilling to enter.

Provision market at Chicago opened strong and advancing Pork prices 5 cents in the first hour allowed prices to relapse at that time to the opening figures. Lard and Ribs opening strong kept steady at the advance and neither in activity nor higher values displayed much inclination to vigor.

Provision receipts were : Hogs 36,000; cattle 18,000; sheep 15,000.

Grain receipts :

Wheat car lots 20, shipments 25,0981

Corn, 287, shipments 82,649.

Oats, 134, shipments none!

N. W. cars, Minn. and Duluth 231, last week 396, last year 417.

Some of the buying of wheat at the opening at Chicago was by foreigners. The unseasonable weather and very light country acceptances caused higher openings for corn. There was also good outside buying. President J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern Railway in an address to the Agricultural Society, Minnesota, said that more consumers of wheat were required to make prices profitable, and that China, Japan and the Straits Settlements would willingly absorb 50 million bushels annually at least. "Asiatic rice eaters are as fond of flour as the white race are ready to use it if they can get it at a fair price" Pres. Hill urges grain men to face this fact that with the Southern hemisphere a competitor America must get new markets and that Oriental peoples appear the most likely consumers.

Bartlett Frazier & Co. wire: "We cannot take any orders in privileges to-day. There is a meeting this afternoon of commission houses to decide what is to be done."

## DULUTH S. S. & ATLANTIC.

Week ending Dec. 31, 1899 .. .. \$59,478  
Week ending Dec. 31, 1898 .. .. 62,470

Decrease .. .. \$2,992  
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1899 .. .. \$2,407,439  
Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1898 .. .. 1,821,806

Increase for year .. .. \$ 585,633

## TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

Total for Nov. \$207,781.95.....Inc....\$31,068.21  
For week ending .. .. Compared with last year  
Jan. 7, \$49,572.01.....Inc., \$ 6,177.65

## CANADIAN PACIFIC EARNINGS.

Week ending 14 Jan. 1900 .. .. \$497,000  
Week ending 14 Jan. 1899 .. .. 416,000

Increase .. .. \$ 81,000

## —CLOSING PRICES JAN. 11 TO JAN. 16.

	11	12	13	15	16	TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
						Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
<b>Wheat—</b>									
Jan .....	64½N	64 N	64½	63½ N	62½ N	62½ B	62½	62½	62½ N
May .....	63B	67½	67½	66½ B	65½-½	65½	66½	65½	65½ A
July .....	68½	68½-½	68½	67½-½	66	66½	66½	66½-½	66½-½
<b>Corn—</b>									
Jan .....	30½ D	30½	30½	30½ D	31A	.....	31½	31½-½	31½ A
May .....	33½A	33½ B	33½	33½ A	33½-½B	33½	33½	33½	33½ B
July .....	34	34½ A	34½	33½-34	34B	34½	34½	34½	34½ B
<b>Oats—</b>									
Jan .....	22½	22½ N	22½	22½ B	22½ N	.....	.....	.....	22½ N
May .....	24	24	24½	23½	23½ N	24	24½	24	24½
July .....	.....	23	23½	23½	23½	.....	23½	.....	23½ B
<b>Pork—</b>									
Jan .....	10 05	10 75 N	.....	10 90 N	10 70 N	.....	10 70	10 65	10 70 N
May .....	10 95 B	11 05 A	11 02	11 12 15	10 95B	11 02	11 07	10 82	10 95
July .....	11 05	11 15 N	.....	11 22	11 05A	.....	11 03	11 00	11 02 3
<b>Lard—</b>									
Jan .....	5 37 B	5 80	.....	5 97 N	5 87	5 92	5 92	5 82	5 85 N
May .....	6 02	6 07 B	6 05-7	6 15 A	6 02B	6 05	6 07	5 97	6 02 A
July .....	6 2 N	6 17 N	6 15	6 22 N	6 10	6 12	6 15	6 07	6 07 B
<b>Shtrubs—</b>									
Jan .....	5 70 N	5 75 N	.....	5 77 A	5 70 N	5 72	5 75	5 67	5 70 N
May .....	5 80 B	5 85 A	5 82	5 87 90	5 80 A	5 80 82	5 85	5 76	5 77 80
July .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Putts and Calls for Jan. 18— Putts, May Wheat 65½  
Calls " " 60½-½ Putts, May Corn 33½  
Ourb. 65½ Calls, " " 33½

## TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Share. Par Value	CAPITAL.		Div. per cent.	Buy- ers
		Paid up.	Ret as per Last Statement.		
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>					
British America.....	\$ 50	\$ 750,000	\$ 79,381	3½	122½
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	†296,743	5	169
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7½	277½
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	.....	147
Consumers' Gas .....	50	1,700,300	.....	2¼q	220
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40	400,000	.....	.....	59
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old .....	100	1,400,000	.....	1½	134½
" " " " New.....	.....	240,000	.....	1½	133½
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	165
" " " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	.....	3	104½
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	38
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co .....	100	1,001,000	350,000	3	85
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co .....	.....	2,000,000	.....	3	120
" " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	600,000	1,200,000	3	117
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	112
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	.....	875,000	.....	.....	134
" " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	325,000	380,000	1¼qr	.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	2½	75
Freehold .....	.....	476,100	300,000	3	75
" " " " 20 per cent.....	100	843,000	.....	3	65
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc..	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	100
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co .....	50	1,000,000	766,000	4½	176
" " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	.....	4½	133
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100	725,155	160,000	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000	3	100
London & Can. n. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000	1¼qr	51
London Loan Co.....	50	631,590	83,000	3	104
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	84
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	.....	40
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3½	121
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,420	40,000	.....	26
Real Estate Loan Co .....	40	373,200	50,000	2	60
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	900,000	115,000	3	126
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	65,000	20,000	1	38
Western Canada .....	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	100
" " " " 25 per cent.....	.....	500,000	.....	3	98

\* 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.