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Montreal Stock Market.

MARKET DULL BUT STRONG—
DULUTH STILL RISING.

Of the 12 stocks traded in to-day, six were at advanced prices, three at the same price, two at lower valuations and one at 105, a good start after long absence. Payne and Republic gained, the one 5 and the other three points, showing that the good reports of rich developments and rectification of labor troubles are having their due effects on the market. The favorable report about Duluth has not been contradicted, and so this stock rose $\frac{1}{4}$ on yesterday. Canadian Pacific gained here in sympathy with the very high London quotation and its reported success in nursing to self-support the Duluth line. Bell Telephone and Dominion Cotton, though not of the same class of security, each advanced 1 point on previous quotations. How Street Ry. and Quebec Bank lost, the first 1-2 and the other three points, and how Gas, Toronto Ry and Montreal-London remained unchanged, was probably because the market to-day was, though generally steady and even strong, duller than it has been of late.

Canadian Pacific advanced more than 1 point, following high London quotation. 77 shares sold from 98 to 99. Offer 98 wanted 98 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Montreal Street Ry lost 1-2 to day. 150 shares sold. Closing offer: 321 $\frac{1}{2}$, demand 322 1-2.

Gas—At same price, 203. Closing offer 202 $\frac{1}{2}$, wanted 205.

Toronto Ry—At same price, 116 Closing offer 116 $\frac{1}{2}$, demand 116 $\frac{3}{4}$.

Republic—At between 2 and 3 advance 1200 shares sold. Closing offer 122, wanted 128.

Duluth pfd. gained $\frac{1}{4}$ on the highest of yesterday.

Montreal-London—At the same price. 42

offered for more, the demand rising to 45.

Dominion Cotton rose 1 point on a sale of 55 shares. Closing offer 107 $\frac{1}{4}$, and demand 108 1-2.

Payne advanced 5 points. 149 $\frac{1}{2}$ offered for more, but sellers held out for 140.

Quebec Bank fell off 3 points from its price a fortnight ago. Closing offer a little less, 125 1-8, the demand being 130.

Bell Telephone gained 1 point on its already high price. 190 was final offer, 195 being asked.

Corporation 4 p.c. Bonds—\$1500 of these sold to-day.

MORNING SALES.

Canadian Pacific—25. 98. 25, 98 $\frac{1}{2}$. 2, 99. 25, 98 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Montreal Street Railway—50, 322 $\frac{1}{2}$. 100, 322.

Montreal Gas—4, 203.

Toronto Railway—175, 116.

Republic—200, 124. 1000, 123.

Duluth pfd.—25 13 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Montreal-London—500, 42.

Dom. Cotton—55, 108.

Payne Mining Co. x 2—2000, 140.

Quebec Bank—3, 125 $\frac{1}{2}$.

Bell Tel.—24, 192.

Corp. 4 p.c. Bds—\$1000, 105. 500, 105.

LONDON AND PARIS.

Aug. 10, 1899.

Bank of England rate.....	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Open discount rate.....	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{4}$
Paris Rentes.....	99-97 $\frac{1}{2}$
French Exchange.....	25f. 24
Consols, money.....	105 $\frac{1}{2}$
Canadian Pacific.....	102 $\frac{1}{2}$
New York Central.....	142 $\frac{1}{2}$
St. Paul.....	135 $\frac{1}{2}$
Union Pacific.....	80

TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Total for July.....	\$116,824.94	Inc.	\$12,522.02
Aug. 1, \$3,663.18.....	Inc.	\$299.44	
" 2, 3,855.80.....	"	270.73	
" 3, 3,820.16.....	"	474.20	
" 4, 3,789.23.....	"	419.03	
" 5, 5,142.52.....	"	830.10	
" 6, 1,996.74.....	"	461.75	

STRAWS.

The American Electric Heating Corporation of Boston defaults on its Bonds. Stock \$10,000,000, Bonds \$1,000,000. Electrical heating is in the experimental stage its ultimate success is said to be sure.

The Erie Telephone Co. owns 56 lots of land in 32 cities. Value of Real Estate \$1,200,000. Six more town lots are to be bought when 62 buildings will be erected. The Company will operate in the Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Cleveland, Ohio, Arkansas and Texas.

Anaconda Copper Mining Co. is acquiring more property.

A good many loans have been made at 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ p.c. borrowers being unable to do better.

The New Lowry press compresses a bale of hay weighing 305 lbs. to a density of 60 lbs. to the cubic foot. After 20 days green grass thus treated becomes fully cured hay of splendid quality. This machine will revolutionize the hay business.

C. P.R. is longing to buy Boston & Maine it is said. The buying of late has been for control, as large stockholders have been approached about the sale of their holdings. Other lines are mentioned as buyers.

Coke is being used on Boston & Maine, and will be used soon on other railways, tenders being heightened for coke to run 150 miles.

LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....	91 $\frac{1}{2}$
" 1st preference.....	81 $\frac{1}{2}$
" 2nd ".....	55 $\frac{1}{2}$
" 3rd ".....	22 $\frac{1}{2}$

G. T.R. Com.....
O. P. R..... 100 $\frac{1}{2}$

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

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MONTREAL-LONDON AND SLOCAN SOVEREIGN STRONG — GENERAL FEELING STEADY.

Buyers and sellers are getting to close quarters in many directions, showing an outside interest in the market which has been lacking for some time. Many have come to the conclusion that they will not buy on much more favorable terms, than at present, by waiting. They have consequently advanced their bids slightly. Round lots of stocks are offered and bid for within half a cent. Which side will give in remains to be seen. The demand for shares has been a dragging one for two months and the turn has about come. On all concessions we think the market is a purchase.

The dividend payers were not largely dealt in. Republic was sold to the extent of 500 shares at 122 and Montreal-London brought 44.

Big Throe was offered at 14½ in round lots with 14 bid for 5000 shares.

California could be bought at 12 to the extent of 5000 shares. It sold at 12½ and 12 in 500 share lots.

Slocan Sovereign was in demand at 28 at which price 1000 shares changed hands. More wanted.

Other business was unimportant, Golden Star and Virginia, were slightly easier. As regards the former the meeting which takes place in Toronto this afternoon should throw some light on the affairs of the Company.

SALES.

- Republic—500, 122.
- California—500, 12. 500, 12½. 500, 11½.
- Knob Hill—200, 93.
- Montreal-London—500, 44.
- Montreal Gold Fields—500, 14½.
- Slocan Sovereign—1000, 25.

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

August 8, 1899.

Capital.	Par Value.	Bid.	Asked
2,500,000	\$1.00 Battle Mt'n.....	.31½	.32½
2,000,000	1.00 Columb-Victor ....	....	....
1,250,000	1.00 Dante.....	....	....
2,000,000	1.00 Damon.....	....	....
1,250,000	1.00 Elkton.....	....	....
1,250,000	1.00 Findly .....	....	....
1,000,000	1.00 Gold Coin .....	....	....
1,000,000	1.00 Gould.....	.23	.23½
1,225,000	1.00 Independ. T. & M... .	.68½	.69
2,250,000	1.00 Isabella.....	.87½	.88½
1,250,000	1.00 Jack Pot.....	.44½	.44½
1,000,000	1.00 Matos.....	.33	.33½
800,000	1.00 Moon Anchor.....	1.09	1.10
3,000,000	1.00 Portland.....	1.96	1.98
1,500,000	1.00 Work.....	.25½	.26

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	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	Aug. 7.		Aug. 8.		Aug. 9.		August 10.	
\$1.00 * Payne rd.....	1.87	1.34	1.87	1.95	1.88	1.38	1.40½	1.89½
1.00 War Eagle rd.....	3.67½	3.59	3.65	3.60	3.63	3.59	3.65	3.61
1.00 Republic rd.....	1.21	1.20	1.22	1.21	1.25	1.20	1.23	1.21
1.00 Virtue.....	.48	.45	.48	.44	.50	.44	.49	.43
.24 Montreal-London rd.....	.41	.38	.41	.40	.45	.41	.44	.42½
1.00 Big Throe.....	.15	.14	.15	.13½	.14	.14	.14½	.13½
1.00 Brandon & Gold'n Crown	.81	.27	.80	.27	.30	.27	.30	.27
1.00 California.....	.12½	.11	.13	.11	.13	.11	.11½	.11
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.08	.07	.08	.06½	.08½	.05½	.08	.08½
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	1.50	1.45	1.51	1.46	1.51	1.45	1.51	1.45
1.00 City of Paris.....	.68	....	.68	....	.68	....	.68	....
1.00 Evening Star.....	.10½	.09	.10½	.09	.10½	.09	.10½	.09
.25 Fern.....	.32	.25	.32	.25	.32	.25	.32	.26
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.06½	.04½	.06½	.04	.06	.04	.06½	.05
1.00 Iron Colt.....	.11	.10	.12	.10	.12	.10	.12½	.10
1.00 Iron Mask.....	....	.65	....	....	....	.05	....	.60
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.93	.80	.92½	.85	.93	.90	.93	.92
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.09	.07	.09½	.08	.09½	.08	.10	.07½
.25 Montreal Gold Fields.....	.15½	.14	.15	.12	.15	.13½	.15	.14
1.00 Noble Five.....	.22	.19	.22	.18½	.22½	.16	.22½	.18
.10 Novelty.....	.04	.02	.04	.02	.04	.02	.04	.02
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.10	1.00	1.09	1.00	1.09	1.00	1.10	1.00
1.00 Virginia.....	.22	.16	.22	.18	.24	.21½	.22½	.18
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.40	.32½	.34	.32	.33	.25	.33	.31
1.00 Bullion.....	....	....	.60	....	.60	....	.60	....
.10 Summit.....	.04	.02	.04	.02½	.04	.02	.04	.02½
1.00 St. Elmo.....	.07	.04½	.08½	.04	.08½	.03	.08½	.04½
1.00 Barley.....	.12	.02	.10	.05	.12	.05	.11	.05
1.00 Decca.....	.31	.25	.31	.26	.33	.25	.32	.20
1.00 Morrison.....	.14	.10	.15	....	.15	.10	.15	.10
1.00 Golden Star.....	.49½	.47½	.49	.47	.47	.46	.48½	.45
1.00 Slocan Sov.....	.28	.26½	.28	.26	.28	.24	.28½	.26½
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	.18	.12	.18	.12	.18	.12	.18	.12

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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.	REST.	Next div. pbl.	Value shares.	Last y. div.	STOCKS.	Aug. 3.		Aug. 4.		Aug. 7.		Aug. 8.		Aug. 9.		Aug. 10.		
						Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	
BANKS.																		
12,000,000	6,300,000	Dec.	200	5	Bank of Montreal .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	260	.....	261½	.....	262	.....
6,000,000	3,300,000	"	100	3½	Merchants B'k of Can	170	.....	172	.....	172	.....	172	.....	172	105	172	165
6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3½	Canadian B'k of Com	150	149½	152	.....	152	.....	.....	.....	151½	15½	149½	.....
4,868,688	1,460,000	Oct.	50	2½	British North America.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,500,000	700,000	Dec.	100	3	Quebec Bank .....	.....	.....	130	125	185	125	.....	125	.....	125	130	125½
2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	241½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,000,000	1,500,000	Oct.	50	4	Molsons Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	202	.....	202	220	206	220	205
2,000,000	1,300,000	Dec.	100	4	Imperial Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	225	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,500,000	1,170,000	"	100	4	Ottawa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,593,800	1,889,980	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia..	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....
1,543,300	1,424,262	"	100	3½	Merch'ts Bk. of Halifax.	.....	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....	180
1,998,490	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,500,000	1,500,000	Aug.	50	3q	Dominion Bank.. .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	115	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,500,000	850,000	Dec.	50	3½	Eastern Townships Bk	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155
1,470,900	1,000,000	Aug.	100	4	Hamilton .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,200,000	130,000	Nov.	30	3	Banque Nationale	98	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,247,610	565,000	Dec.	100	3½	Hochelaga Bank	150	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....
1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2½	Ontario Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
397,739	118,000	"	100	3½	Western Bk of Can.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
500,000	265,000	"	25	8	Jacques Cartier Bank.	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	.....	95	85	.....	.....	.....	.....
479,229	10,000	"	100	3	Banque Ville Marie....	100	90	.....	.....	100	90	100	90	.....	.....	.....	.....
MISCELLANEOUS																		
65,000,000	Oct.	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry....	98	97½	97½	97½	98½	98	98	97½	97½	97½	97½	98½	98
12,000,000	100	Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	4½	3½	4½	3½	4½	3½	4½	5½	5½	5½	5½	5	5
10,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS.&Atlantic pr	12	10	13	10	12	10	12½	10	15	13½	14½	13½
10,000,000	2,638,329	July.	100	1½q	Commercial Cable.....	187½	182	187½	185	187½	184½	187½	184	186	184½	186½	184	
2,000,000	.....	"	40	2q	Montreal Telegraph....	172	170½	172	170	172	170	172	170	172	170	172	170
1,350,000	.....	Nov.	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co ..	108	107½	108	107½	110	109½	110	109½	111	109½	111	110½
4,800,000	334,247	Aug.	50	2½q	Montreal Street Ry Co.	320½	320	324	322	326	323½	323½	322½	324	322½	322½	321½	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	New Montreal Street....	320	.....	324	322	325	322½	325	320	325	321	323	.....
15,010,000	.....	Jan.	100	1	Twin City	66	65½	65½	65	67	65½	66	65½	67	65	67	64
2,997,704	.....	Oct.	40	5	Montreal Gas Co.....	203	202	206	202	205	202½	202½	201½	205	202½	205	202½
1,750,000	.....	.....	1	1½m	War Eagle.....	368	363	365	361	364	361½	361½	361	362	360	365	360
100	.....	.....	.....	1½m	Mont. & London M.Co.	42	.....	41	39	40	38	43	40	45	42	45	42
1	.....	.....	1	1m	Cariboo Mng. M. & S.Co	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	122	115	.....	.....
2,500,000	.....	.....	1.00	1m	Payne Mining Co.....	140	135	135	130	140	130	140	133	140	139	140	139½
3,168,000	910,000	July.	100	2q	Bell Tele. one Co	200	191	200	191	200	191	200	191	195	190	195	190	
1,500,000	.....	"	100	2q	Royal Electric	178	176½	178	176	178	175	176½	176	179	176	178	176½
6,000,000	814,254	July	100	1q	Toronto Street Ry	115½	115	116	115½	116½	115½	116	115½	116	115½	116½	116½	
800,000	.....	"	100	1½q	Halifax Tram Co.....	110	104½	110	105	110	104½	110	104½	110	108	110	106
100,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Cornwall Street Ry .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
700,000	.....	.....	100	.....	People's Heat & Light..	25	20½	24	21	26	22½	25	24	24½	24	25	24
3,500,000	.....	July.	100	1m	Republic.....	120½	119	123	115	120½	119½	125	121	126	122	123	122
500,000	.....	Sept.	100	1½q	St. John Railway Co...	150	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....
350,000	.....	July.	40	2q	London Street Ry .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5,642,925	.....	.....	100	.....	Can. N. W. Land Pld..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,467,684	.....	.....	.....	.....	" " Com.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Dominion Coal Co	55	50	53	50	53	51	55	52	55	53	60	55
2,000,000	.....	July.	100	4	Dominion Coal Co. pr..	.....	.....	118	115	118	115	119	116	120	117	120	116
500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6pa	Windsor Hotel.....	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	105	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	.....
500,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Intercolonial Coal Co..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
250,000	.....	.....	100	7pa	Do. prof. stock.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,650,000	.....	Sept.	100	2q	Montreal Cotton Co...	162	155	162½	150	158	.....	158	.....	158	154½	160	.....
2,750,000	.....	"	100	1q	Colored Cotton Co	70	60	68	.....	61	50	65	55	65	60	65	60
800,000	.....	Aug.	100	4	Merchants Cotton Co..	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3,100,000	.....	Sept.	100	1½q	Dominion Cotton Co ...	105	104	106	105	107	106	107	106	109	107	109½	107½
500,000	350,000	"	25	3½	Mont. Loan & Mort Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,814,800	.....	Oct.	50	3½	Western Loan & Tr....	100	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	100	.....

*And 1 p. c. bonus.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

AUG 10, 1899.

Range for Year 1899.		Outstanding Capital Stock.	Last Div. P. C.	CLOSING PRICES FROM AUG. 3 TO AUGUST 9						TO-DAY'S PRICES			
High.	Low.			3	4	5	7	8	9	Open's	Highest	Lowest	Close
227½	.....	5,000,000	.....	Air Brake .....	.....	.....	195	198	.....	.....	.....	190
43½	33½	20,237,000	3-	Amer. Cotton Oil Co.....	49	42	41½	42	42	.....	.....	41½
182	123½	38,968,000	3	" Sugar	162½	162½	160½	159½	162½	162½	162½	163½	
15½	10½	27,864,300	.....	" Spirits Mfg. Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
72	46	21,000,000	.....	" S. W. Co.....	58½	59	57½	57½	59	58½	58½	60½
52½	35	28,000,000	.....	" Tin Plate.....	42½	42½	42	41	41	.....	.....	42½
117	83½	21,000,000	1½	" Tobacco	112½	115½	115	113½	113½	115½	116½	116	
65½	37½	28,000,000	.....	Anaconda Copper.....	55½	55½	55½	56½	57½	57½	58½	57½
24½	17	120,000,000	.....	Atch. T. & S. Fe.....	21	20½	20½	20½	20½	21	21	20½
67	50½	114,190,500	1	" " pfd	63½	62½	62½	62½	63½	64	64½	64½	
74½	66½	25,000,000	2	Baltimore & Ohio .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	50,000,000	.....	Bay State Gas .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
137	77½	29,500,000	.....	Brooklyn Rap. Tran.....	115½	115½	114½	114½	115½	114½	114½	115
63½	42½	28,000,000	1½	C. C. C. & St. L.....	57½	57½	57½	57	57½	.....	.....	58½
99½	84½	65,000,000	2	Canadian Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	97½	.....	.....	.....	.....
70	53	15,000,000	1	Canada Southern.....	54½	54	.....	54	.....	.....	.....	.....
31½	24	60,533,400	.....	Chesapeake & Ohio.....	27½	28½	27½	27½	28	.....	.....	28½
20½	13	21,282,500	.....	Chicago & Great Western..	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½
149½	124½	90,282,900	1½	" B. & O.....	137½	136½	135½	136	136½	137½	137½	137½	
133½	120½	46,732,600	2½	" Mill. & St. P.....	132	131½	130½	131½	131½	131½	132½	132½	
122½	107½	50,000,000	1½	" R. I. & Pacific	118½	118½	117½	117½	118½	118½	.....	119½
166	141½	29,116,300	2½	" & Northwest.....	160	161	160½	.....	160½	161½	.....	161½
194½	188	22,396,600	1½	" " pfd .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
53½	41	65,370,000	.....	Central Pacific .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
223½	165½	39,078,000	2½	Consolidated Gas	180	176½	175	174	178½	181	180	179½	
65½	37½	30,000,000	.....	Continental Tobacco.....	44½	47½	47½	45½	46	46½	47½	46½
125½	106½	35,000,000	1½	Delaware & Hudson.....	123½	123	122½	123	123½	124½	.....	124½
181	157	28,200,000	1½	Del. Lack. & Western.....	178½	178	173	175½	177½	177½	.....	177
76	.....	38,000,000	.....	Denver & Rio Grand pfd....	.....	.....	76½	.....	74½	.....	.....	74½
.....	.....	.....	.....	Duluth com. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	" pfd .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16½	12½	112,232,700	.....	Erie	13½	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
125½	95½	18,278,000	.....	General Electric.....	124½	124	.....	123	124	.....	124½	124½
76½	62½	24,027,300	1½	Glucose.....	65½	65½	65½	66	66	60	.....	67
75	46½	46,484,300	1½	Red. Steel Com.....	59½	60	59½	59½	59½	59½	59½	60½	
93½	72½	53,253,500	1	" " pfd	82	82½	80½	81	81	.....	82	82
.....	.....	98,277,500	.....	Lake Shore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
75½	63	52,800,000	3½	Louisville & Nashville.....	74½	74½	74½	75	74½	74½	75	75½	
133½	97	48,000,000	1	Manhattan com.....	119	118½	117½	117½	117½	118	118	117½	
269	187½	40,000,000	1½	Met. Street Ry. Co.....	211½	210½	208½	208½	209	209½	210	209½	
44	30½	13,000,000	.....	Missouri, Kan. & Tex pfd..	36½	36	36½	.....	36½	37	37	37½
52½	39	47,507,000	1	" Pacific	48½	48½	48½	48	48½	48½	48½	49½	
40½	28	14,905,400	1	Nat. Lead.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32½
122½	97	22,519,000	1	New Jersey Central.....	117½	117	117	116½	118½	118½	.....	118½
144½	121½	100,000,000	1	New York Central.....	130½	139½	139½	138½	139½	139½	139½	139½	
55½	42½	80,000,000	1	Northern Pacific.....	52½	51½	51½	52½	53½	52½	63	53	
81½	70½	75,000,000	1	" " pfd	78	77½	77½	77½	77½	78	.....	.....
114	91	18,559,153	.....	Omaha.....	109½	111½	114	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28½	18	52,119,900	.....	Ontario & Western.....	26½	25	25½	26½	26½	.....	.....	26½
55	43½	20,000,000	1½	Pacific Mail.....	48½	47½	47½	46½	47	47	.....	47
142	122½	129,303,250	2½	Pennsylvania R. R.....	136½	136½	136½	135½	135½	136½	136½	136½	
129½	101	28,668,800	1½	Peo. Gas L. & Coke Co.....	120½	120½	119½	119½	120½	120½	121	122½	
59½	.....	12,500,000	.....	Pressed Steel.....	57	57½	57½	57	57½	58	.....	59½
87½	.....	12,500,000	1½	" " pfd .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
164½	156	54,000,000	1½	Pullman Palace Car Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	19½	69,900,000	.....	Reading	21½	.....	20½	.....	21½	21½	22½	21½
68½	51½	28,000,000	.....	" 1st pfd.....	60½	60½	59½	59½	60½	61½	61½	61½
44	27	108,232,006	.....	Southern Pacific.....	34½	34½	34	34½	34½	34½	35½	34½
55	40½	57,290,400	1	Southern Railroad pfd....	52½	52	51½	51½	52	52½	52½	52½	
69½	.....	15,010,000	1	Twin City .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25½	17½	39,710,900	.....	Texas Pacific .....	.....	21½	21½	22	22	.....	.....	22
80½	36	20,000,000	1	Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	78½	79½	79½	78	78½	79	79½	81½	
242	188½	12,000,000	1½	Third Avenue R. R.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
50½	38	86,336,000	.....	Union Pacific	44½	43½	43½	44½	44½	44½	45	44½
84½	72½	75,000,000	1½	" " pfd	77½	77	76½	77	77½	77½	77	77½	
57	42½	23,666,000	2	U. S. Rubber.....	51½	.....	.....	50½	51½	51½	.....	51½
120	111	23,525,500	2	" " pfd .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	6	61,509,000	.....	U. S. Leather.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
78	66½	60,909,000	1½	" " pfd	73½	73	72½	72½	72½	73½	74	73½	
8½	7½	28,000,000	.....	Wabash .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25½	19½	24,000,000	.....	" " pfd	23	.....	22½	22½	23	.....	.....	.....
91½	78½	87,370,000	1	W. U. Telegraph.....	90	90	89½	89½	89½	90	.....	90

*Ex-Div. 1 p.c. †Ex-Div. 2½. ‡Ex-D. 3 p.c. †On new basis. †Ex-D. 2 p.c. †Ex-D. †Ex-D. 1½ p.c. †Ex-D. 1½ p.c. †Ex-D. 3½ p.c. †Ex-D. 1½ p.c.

COTTON:

	Oct.	Aug.	Jan.	Sept.	March	Dec.	May.
Opening.....	5.91	5.71	6.06	5.75	6.12	5.99	6.18
Closing	5.94	5.70	6.10	5.78	6.16	6.01	6.19

NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

LONDON, ON BETTER REPORTS OF ATCH., BUYS IN AGAIN--WESTERN CITIES SEND MONEY ON LOAN TO THE EAST.

New York, Aug. 10.

Early prices from London showed Americans fractionally lower than our close and very dull. Speculation was said to be awaiting the decision of the Bank of England governors in regard to the discount rate. When, contrary to expectations, it was announced that there would be no change, and the rate would remain at 3½, prices advanced fractionally throughout the list and Americans are now ½ to ¾ above our close.

London was a moderate seller of stocks in our own market yesterday. Their largest sales were in Atch. pfd. They are said to be buying this Atchison pfd. back now in anticipation of a good crop showing, which it is thought to-day's Government report will make.

While yesterday's market continued about as dull as its immediate predecessors, it was also very strong and prices for good stocks at the close were run up to the best of the day.

Atch. pfd. was one of the strongest and most active stocks in yesterday's market and people who watched the trading closely, said that the buying was of the best. A good deal of the buying is attributed to Standard Oil interests, while Houses with important Western connections were also large buyers.

Chicago and other cities in the West claim that they feel no apprehension in regard to the future of the money market. People there say that the supply of loanable funds in these Western cities at present is large and that some of their money is being loaned in New York.

The money market was slightly easier yesterday, most of the loans being effected at 3 and 3½ p.c.

Of the railroads reporting, St. Paul earnings, which were published after the close, show another large increase of \$137,559.

Leather stocks, both common and preferred, were forced to the front yesterday, both of them being active and advances considerably over the lowest prices. There was no news affecting their values, and the movement seemed to come from a prominent local operator who is said to be carrying a considerable block of Leather pfd.

The talk was of business prosperity and a better outlook in the trade, but the movement likely is manipulation pure and simple.

A.M.T. was stronger. There are rumors of a large short interest, which it is said already shows a material loss; but if there is such a short interest, it does not show in loan crowd.

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

July 29.....	\$17,900.67	Inc.	\$4,416.76
" 31.....	74,688.05	"	10,847.61
Year to date...	\$1,353,876.98	Inc.	\$164,160.15

New York, Noon, Aug. 10.

The fact that Bank of England rate discount, contrary to expectations, remained unchanged to-day, and the slightly higher quotations for Americans in that quarter, had the effect of causing considerable strength in our market at the opening. This strength was pretty well distributed through the list, although there was no general activity.

London, however, has done little or no business in to-day's market, probably selling a few 100 shares on balance.

As a class, the Iron and Steel stocks have been strong. The continued favorable trade conditions as reflected in the recent reports, are responsible for this strength, and in the main their prices have been well maintained.

Wire Pfd. scored an advance of 1½ p.c. It is expected that the Co.'s statement will make an extremely favorable showing, and the buying of both common and pfd, was based on this expectation.

Atch. Pfd. continued to hold its own in respect to strength and activity, although buying which was in evidence yesterday, has not as yet made its appearance to-day. Commission houses have been the principal buyers of the stock, their customers following in the wake of the so-called good buying of yesterday.

The movement in leather which started yesterday, continued to-day with even greater vigor. The buying of these stocks, especially the common, augurs that the movement is something more than mere manipulation as was at first thought. One commission house with very influential connections, was a buyer of some 10,000 shares of the common. The Street is full of tips to buy the stocks and rumors are current that the back dividends will be paid on the Pfd. Any return, however, to the common shareholders seems to be a long way off, but it also seems quite probable that it may be worked somewhat higher.

The Standard Ry. shares are extremely dull but hold the advance of the early trading in spite of this inactivity. Money on call has been around 3 and 3½.

THE TORONTO STREET RAILWAY RECEIPTS SHOW A STEADY GAIN.

The following are the July returns made by the Toronto Railway Co. to the City.

	Gross Receipts.	Percentage.
July, 1899.....	\$117,688 80	\$12,721 03
July, 1898.....	103,670 00	8,293 60
July, 1897.....	106,750 00	8,540 00
July, 1896.....	87,761 37	7,020 90

MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

	Inc.	
Aug. 1, \$5,263.37	Inc.	\$469.33
" 2, 4,713.67	"	311.95
" 3, 5,125.97	"	941.38
" 4, 5,099.00	"	878.71
" 5, 5,782.42	"	539.50
" 6, 5,767.34	"	855.57
" 7, 5,311.17	"	575.69
" 8, 4,275.27	"	418.17
" 9, 5,491.09	"	1,057.22

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Toronto, Aug 9.

Closing sales:

Fontenoy—1000, 16½.
Fairview Corp.—2000, 8½. 1500, 8½.
Rathmullen—3000, 7.
Dardanelles—500, 12½.
Rambler Cariboo—1000, 31½.
Republic—1000, 119. 100, 119½.
Van Anda—3000, 10½. 250, 11.
Deer Park—1000, 3.
Iron Horse—1000, 8½.
Golden Star—500, 4½. 2000, 46½. 200, 46½.
Deer Trail—1000, 25½.
Vict. Triumph—1000, 5½.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Aug. 9.

Sales:

Hammond Reef—500, 20.
Van Anda—500, 10½.
Northern Belle—500, 2½.
Rambler Cariboo—500, 32.
Deer Park—500, 3½.
Fairview Corp.—50, 10.
Minnehaba—150, 2½.
Golden Star—3500, 46½. 500, 46½. 25, 25,
100, 47½. 500, 46.
Gold Hills—500, 6.
Fairview—500, 8½.
Silver Roll—500, 500, 500, 1000, 3½. 500, 3½.
J. O. 41—5000, 4.

ROSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE!

Rossland, B. C., Aug. 8.

Sales:

Homestake—1000, 9. 2000, 9½. 2000,
1½. 1000, 500, 10½.
Winnipeg—1000, 10,000, 1000, 1000, 29.
Tamarac—1000, 11.
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NAME.	Asked.	Bid.	Par Value.	Capital.	Divi- d'nd	When Payable	Description.	LOCATION.
Baltimore.....	7½	7	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	Trail Creek, B. O.
Big Three.....	14½	13½	1 00	3,500,000	.....	.....	do do	do
Commander.....	10	5	1 00	50,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Door Park.....	5	3½	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Giant.....	5½	.....	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Grand Prize.....	8	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Gold Hills.....	6	4	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Homestake.....	4	3½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Colt.....	12½	10	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.....	6	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
R. E. Lee.....	2	.....	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
St. Elizabeth.....	6½	4½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Silverline.....	6	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Victory Triumph.....	9	7	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
White Bear.....	5½	8	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Butte.....	11	10	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.....	2½	6½	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Clifford.....	11½	11	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Evening Star.....	10½	09	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Master.....	.....	60	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Monte Christo.....	10	07½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields.....	15	14	25	800,000	.....	.....	do	do
Novelty.....	4	2	10	150,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virginia.....	22½	18	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
War Eagle.....	8 65	3 61	1 00	1,750,000	1½	Monthly.	do	do
Le Roi.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do	do
Dardanelles.....	12	10	1 00	100,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern.....	32	26	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	do
Noble Five.....	22½	18	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo.....	33	31	1 00	1,250,000	.....	Two paid...	Gold.	do
Slocan Sovereign.....	28½	26½	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London.....	44	42½	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	12	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Minnehaha.....	22	19½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Waterloo.....	9	6	10	100,000	.....	.....	do	do
Knob Hill.....	93	92	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides.....	1 10	1 00	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Pay Ore.....	8	.....	10	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Noro).....	.....	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Rathmullen.....	7	5	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown.....	30	27	1.00.	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Deca.....	32	20	1 00	975,000	.....	.....	do	Sénié River, Ont.
Golden Star.....	46½	46	1 00	1,000,000	1½%	Quarterly.	do	do
Butte and Boston.....	11	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Eureka District, Wash.
Republic.....	1 23	1 21	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	42	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne.....	1 40½	1 39½	1 00	3,000,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal.....	36 50	34 00	25 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic.....	1 51	1 45	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.....	" "
7,080,000	3	" "	do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
138,700	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbor Bonds Currency....	116	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
874,260	4	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Banetts & Bosanquets.
22,500	5	.....	Auer Light.....	100	1904, 1894.....	" "
940,000	5	April Oct.	Bell Telephone.....	117	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.	101½	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.	104	2397	" "
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	do do Registered. }.....	100	1916 1st Jan	" "
350,000	5	1st April 1st Oct.	Dominion Cotton.....	106	1916 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Halifax Electric Tramway.	100	1918 April	Bank of Montreal.
574,360	5	1st April Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1910.....	" "
2,799,933	4½	2nd Jan. July	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Jo.	.....	.....	" "
450,000	4½	1st Jan. July	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	.....	" "
681,333	4½	1st Feb. 1st Aug.	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1908 1st Mch	" "
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	do do	.....	1922 1st Aug	" "
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Peoples Heat & Light.	85	1917 April	Merchants Bank of Halifax.
574,360	5	1st April Oct.	Richelieu & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	" "
2,799,933	4½	1st Mch Sep.	Royal Electric.	108	1931 31st Aug	" "
450,000	4½	1st Jan. July	Toronto Railway.....	100	1912.....	Bank of Montreal.
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.

MOVEMENT IN GRAIN STEADY FROM OPENING SHOWING NO ADVANCE AND NO DECLINE.

Chicago, August 10.

The first sale in the grain market this morning, and the openings generally, were identical with yesterday's close, and after this prices settled down into a steady course having little variation upwards or downwards. Dec. corn and oats appeared to be working lower.

Jan. pork opened 2c lower and tended lower still. Sept. pork opened 2c higher, Oct 2c lower with no tendency upwards. Jan. lard 2c lower, Oct. 2c higher. Opening in Short Ribs same as previous close. New York opened similarly with 74½ for Sept. wheat and 77½ for Dec.

At Chicago received to-day: Hogs, 22,000; Cattle, 15,000; Sheep, 1,400. At Kansas, hogs, 5,000; cattle, 8,500. At Omaha, hogs, 5,000; cattle, 25,000.

Grain received:

Wheat, Car lots 58, shipments 1,000

Corn " 328 " 411,811

Oats " 294 " 87,145

Primary receipts last week 658,174, shipments 352,688.

Curd wheat 69 to 69½.

Weather reports:—north and northwest, cloudy; 48° to 58°, rain; northwest, clear; 58° to 66°, showers; west and southwest, clear; 73° to 74°, showers; Davenport, Iowa, Nebraska, clear.

Liverpool cables told of wheat ½ higher with corn unchanged, and from Paris no alteration is reported. Weather is fine in Britain. Demand for wheat is good and price steady; Corn ½ lower, buyers mostly holding off.

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	CLOSING PRICES AUG. 4 TO AUG. 8.					TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	4	5	7	8	9	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat--									
May.....	.....	.....	74½	74½	74½	74½	74½	74½	74½
Sept.....	68½	69½	69	68½	69½	69½	69½	68½	68½
Dec.....	71½	71½	71½	70½	71½	71½	71½	71½	71½
Corn--									
May.....	30	.....	29½	29½	29½	29½	29½	29½	29½
Sept.....	30½	30½	30½	30½	31½	31½	31½	30½	30½
Dec.....	28	28½	28½	28½	28½	28½	28½	28½	28½
Oats--									
May.....	.....	.....	21	21½	21½	21½	21½	21½	21½
Sept.....	19½	19½	19½	19½	19½	20	20	19½	19½
Dec.....	19½	19½	19½	19½	19½	20	20	19½	19½
Pork--									
Jan.....	.....	.....	8 45	8 42	8 40	8 42	8 35	8 35	8 35
Sept.....	8 69	8 52	8 47	8 36	8 27	8 27	8 27	8 20	8 23
Oct.....	8 70	8 55	8 52	8 40	8 32	8 30	8 35	8 25	8 25
Lard--									
Jan.....	.....	.....	5 47	5 42	5 40	5 42	5 37	5 37	5 37
Sept.....	5 47	5 42	5 37	5 27	5 22	5 20	5 22	5 17	5 17
Oct.....	5 52	5 47	5 42	5 32	5 25	5 27	5 27	5 22	5 22
Shorts--									
Jan.....	.....	.....	.....	4 87	.....	4 92	4 85	4 87	4 87
Sept.....	5 20	5 12	5 10	5 02	5 02	5 00	5 02	4 95	4 87
Oct.....	5 29	5 15	5 12	5 07	5 05	5 05	5 07	5 00	5 00

Puts and Calls for Aug 11— Puts, Sept. Wheat.....69½ Puts, Sept. Corn.....81½
 Calls " " ".....69½ Calls, " " ".....81½
 Puts & C. for next week— Puts, Sept. Wheat.....67½ Puts Sept. Corn.....29½
 Calls, " " ".....74½ Calls " " ".....31½
 Corp.....69½

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Share, Par Value	CAPITAL.		Div. Stock.	Buy-ers
		Paid up.	Rest as per Last Statement.		
MISCELLANEOUS.					
British America.....	\$ 50	\$ 750,000	\$ 79,391	3½	125½
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	129,749	5	162½
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	.....
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7½	.....
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,811	7	153
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....	2¼qr	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	.....	1½	138
" " " New.....	.....	240,000	.....	1½	133
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	167
" " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	.....	3	105
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000	1	79½
LOAN and SAVINGS CO.					
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100	398,491	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
" " " 20 per cent.....	.....	600,000	.....	.....	111
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	112½
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	350,000	1¼qr	133
" " " 20 per cent.....	.....	325,000	.....	.....	.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	2½	75
Freehold " " ".....	100	470,100	300,000	3	87
" " " 20 per cent.....	.....	843,000	.....	3	.....
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	200	1,100,000	300,000	3	111½
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	725,455	160,000	3	.....
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000	3	111½
London & Can. En. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000	1¼qr	60
London Loan Co.....	50	431,500	93,000	3	108½
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	82
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	.....	45½
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3½	120
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,429	40,000	.....	.....
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	63
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	600,000	105,000	3	121
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,020	200,000	1	.....
Western Canada " " ".....	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	112
" " " 25 per cent.....	.....	500,000	.....	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.