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Montreal Stock Market.

MARKET GENERALLY DECLINED, BUT C. P. R. AND PAYNE ADVANCED — MONEY EASIER AND EXCHANGE HIGHER.

Montreal, Oct. 16.

It was hoped that when suspense was ended and war actually begun the market would resume activity, now the precise moment for its activity is being transferred forward to the landing of the full British force in South Africa. Actual hostilities have not altered the market one whit, and they will not elevate or lower it unless they stiffen money rates by the blowing up of the gold mines.

Some of the co-existing contradictory factors in the general situation will give way soon. The falling market will yield to general prosperity and money scarcity to higher exchange and lower rates. November also generally brings a steady return flow of money. This morning's session was fairly representative of opposite forces contending the one successful in one part of the market and the other the victor in another section. Canadian Pacific and Payne were examples of bullish reaction advancing prices a little, while all the other stocks transferred this forenoon showed the continued downward pressure of bearish forces. Cable quotation of C.P.R. was 94, the equivalent of which on this side is about 91½. This cable was an advance on Saturday's, and the local market prices are all above last day's. At present C.P.R. is above its highest of last year, 90½, and is likely to advance. This stock for the last three years has gained from 10 to 8 points per annum. To-day's price was still attractively low and caused buying of all that was offered.

Labor trouble at the mine had probably much to do with the 15,300 shares of Payne being thrown on the market today, but the buying was even stronger than the selling. Payne sold on Friday down to 102½ and today secured 104 as price. It is still as valuable a property and as fit for active operations as ever, and will resume activity in no very long time at the very furthest. The buyers today knew this and are to be congratulated on their purchase as late general recessions have made this and all good

stock's price a bargain. The afternoon selling of Payne was on a break, 88 being the lowest price reached.

Royal Electric and Montreal Cotton declined one point. Republic fell off to 115, one point lower. Dominion Cotton was also 2 below last price. Bank of Commerce sold ¼ lower. Montreal Telegraph on a small transaction was at 172, lower two points than last sale.

In Toronto Ry. there was much activity which by bearish selling ran down the stock price 2 points. At 108, for which it was sold, it was a profitable deal to the purchaser. At Toronto on Saturday it sold a. 110, at which price it is well worth taking hold of.

If War Eagle 5500 shares were sold this forenoon, the last 500 of which sold down to 293, 3 lower than last price. More could have been had at this figure, but the bid did not come beyond 290½.

MORNING SALES

Can. Pac.—50, 91½. 25, 91½, 25, 91½.
 Roy. Elcc., new stock—25, 155.
 Mont. Cotton—15, 141.
 Tor Ry.—25, 109½, 35, 109, 200, 108½, 125, 108½, 125, 108.
 War Eagle—1000, 297, 2000, 296, 2000, 295, 500, 293.
 Republic—1000, 115, 1000, 116.
 Dom. Cotton—50, 98.
 Payne—8500, 102½, 300, 104, 5500, 102½, 1000, 103.
 B. of Com.—50, 150.
 Mont. Telog.—18, 172.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—50, 91½, 5, 91½.
 Mont Gas—25, 190½, 50, 190½.
 Mont St Ry r-d—200, 307½.
 Tor Ry—75, 108, 25, 107½, 75, 107½.
 War Eagle—1000, 288, 1000, 287, 1000, 284.
 Republic—1000, 114, 2000, 112.
 Payne—500, 94, 750, 90, 2000, 88.
 Twin City—50, 81.
 Dom. Cot.—25, 97½, 75, 96.

GOLDEN STAR.

Toronto, October 15—Golden Star directors have issued a report which is now regarded very favorably in mining circles here. Receipts from August 2 to September 30 include \$8,200 cash, balance on hand, and \$9,200, proceeds of gold bullion. Bay Streets at the mine for the same period were \$9,300, or more than the total proceeds of the gold bullion.

CENTRE STAR.

The privilege accorded War Eagle shareholders, to subscribe for Centre Star at \$1.50 on a capitalization of \$3,500,000, or on a basis of \$5,250,000 for a mine which cost the present sellers \$2,000,000 a few weeks ago, is in our opinion of unproved value. War Eagle shareholders and non-shareholders can find as good privileges in other directions. Centre Sta. may prove a grand success, so may a score of other mining ventures.

STRAWS.

The Flemington Coal and Coke Stock has been listed on the Montreal Stock Exchange.

The Cramp Shipbuilding Co., has declined to receive the president of the International Machinists' Union. President Cramp will have nothing to do with the director of the strikers in the company's yards. It was but the other day the C.P.R. Co. acted similarly.

PAYNE HAS PASSED ITS MONTHLY DIVIDEND.

LONDON AND PARIS,

Oct 16, 1899.

Bank of England rate.....	5
Open discount rate	4½-½
Paris Rentes	100-30
French Exchange.....	25f. 29½
Consols, money	103½
Canadian Pacific.....	93½
New York Central.....	137
St. Paul.....	127½
Union Pacific.....	77½

LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....	94
" 1st preference.....	84½
" 2nd "	53½
" 3rd "	22
G. T.R. Com.....	
O. P. R	94

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

CENTRE STAR STOCK IS FLOATED AMONGST THE SHAREHOLDERS OF WAR EAGLE — MARKET REMAINS STEADY.

Montreal, Oct. 16.

There was a lull on 'Change again this forenoon. Stocks were dull, the dividend-payers again heavy, and out of sympathy the whole list was lifeless.

Great things had been expected from the Centre Star flotation, but somehow the general public, although knowing it to be a good thing, cannot quite understand why they should be asked to pay so much for it. To all the present shareholders of War Eagle stock, is offered the opportunity to subscribe for the 1,320,000 shares of Centre Star stock at \$1.50 per share, payable in instalments. The company propose to commence paying dividends at the rate of one per cent per share per month in next January. Even under the present working facilities this can easily be done, although it involves the output of 100 tons a day and embraces the sum of \$420,000 per annum, but the Centre Star even with the present small plant, owing to its being a Virgin mine with such immense ore bodies, can ship 200 tons of ore per day without any difficulty. A prominent engineer says that the "Centre Star ore bodies are greater in length than the combined Le Roi and War Eagle."

Only 203 was bid for War Eagle this morning, it was offered at 298.

Payne sold at 102 to the amount of 1500 shares; it was offered at the close at 103. There is to be a meeting of the directors this afternoon at which the usual dividend is expected to be declared.

California was dealt in to the amount of 1000 at 13, 12½ was freely bid in several quarters, but there was no stock offering under 13.

Mr. J. P. Graves, who is at present staying in the city, brings good news from the Boundary district, he speaks in the highest terms of Old Ironsides, Knob Hill and Granby smelter.

Montreal Gold Fields was fairly active, selling at 12½ and 12, 3000 shares changing hands.

In other issues the market remains firm round bottom prices; we look for an upturn at any moment and advise buying.

MORNING SALES.

Payne—1500, 102.
California—1000, 13.
Fern—400, 12.
Iron Colt—500, 3½. 500, 4.
Mont. G. F.—500, 12½. 2000, 12.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Payne—1000, 100. 500, 95.
Deer Trail No. 2—2500, 21½.
Republic—1300, 114.

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	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	Oct. 12.		Oct. 13.		Oct. 14.		Oct. 16.	
\$1.00 Payne xd.....	1.06	1.01	1.04	1.00	1.05	1.00	.90	.87½
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	3.10	2.90	3.10	2.98	3.05	2.90	3.05	2.75
1.00 Republic x d.....	1.17½	1.16½	1.18½	1.16	1.17	1.16	1.10	1.11
1.00 Virtue.....	.45	.35	.39½	.38½	.41	.37	.41	.51
.24 Montreal-London x d.....	.40	.45	.47½	.45	.48	.47	.48	.45
1.00 Big Three.....	.15½	.15	.16	.14½	.15½	.14½	.10½	.14
1.00 Brandon & G'd'n Crown	.20	.25	.20	.25	.20	.25	.20	.25
1.00 California.....	.13	.12½	.13½	.12½	.13	.12½	.18½	.12½
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.07	.05	.07½	.05	.08½	.5	.09½	.05½
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	1.43	.....	.....	.....	1.42	1.30	1.43	1.23
1.00 Evening Star.....	.08½	.07	.08½	.07	.09	.07	.08½	.05
.25 Fern.....	.20	.10	.20	.....	.18	.12	.20	.12
1.00 Gold Hills Dove'oping...	.07	.05	.07	.....	.07	.5½	.07	.05
1.00 Iron Colt.....	.09½	.05	.07	.04	.4½	.04	.04	.08
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.90	.85	.....	.....	.90	.80	.88	.75
1.00 Monte Christo Un.....	.06½	.04½	.....	.04	.05½	.04	.05½	.04
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.14	.18½	.18	.12	.12½	.12	.12½	.12
1.00 Noble Five.....	.25	.20	.20½	.....	.26½	.18	.25	.15
.10 Novelty.....	.03½	.03	.03	.09½	.08	.09½	.03	.02½
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.14	1.00	.....	.....	1.14	1.10	1.14	1.00
1.00 Virginia.....	.10	.07	.08½	.07½	.10	.07½	.0	.07
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.49	.43	.45	.44½	.46	.44	.40½	.45½
1.00 Buillon.....	.60	.49	.59	.50	.60	.45	.60	.45
1.00 Decca.....	.25	.18	.25	.19	.25	.20	.25	.20
1.00 Morrison.....	.18	.12	.18	.12	.15	.12	.15½	.12
1.00 Golden Star.....	.30	.28½	.32	.27½	.32½	.29	.32½	.28½
1.00 Slocan Sav.....	.34½	.35	.34½	.34	.36	.34	.37	.30
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	.18	.08	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.08½	.07	.09	.....	.09	.08	.09	.07
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.30	.24	.....	.27½	.32½	.30	.31	.25
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.14	.10½	.12	.11	.12	.10	.12½	.10
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2.....	.22	.21	.22½	.21½	.21½	.21	.22	.21½

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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.	Oct. 9.		Oct. 10.		Oct. 11.		Oct. 12.		Oct. 13.		Oct. 16.	
						Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.		
BANKS.																	
12,000,000	6,000,000	Dec.	200	8	Bank of Montreal .....	.....	255	.....	225	.....	.....	.....	255	.....	255	.....	255
6,000,000	2,600,000	"	100	3½	Merchants B'k of Can	165	.....	172	.....	172	.....	172	.....	164½	164½	164½	168
6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3½	Canadian B'k of Com	151	150	151	150	151	.....	152	.....	151	.....	150½	.....
4,860,666	1,460,000	Oct.	50	2½	British North America .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,500,000	700,000	Dec.	100	3	Quebec Bank .....	.....	128½	.....	128½	.....	128½	.....	128½	.....	128	.....	128½
2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,000,000	1,500,000	Oct.	50	4	Molson's Bank	225½	.....	.....	.....	.....	225	205	208	.....	208	.....	.....
2,000,000	1,300,000	Dec.	100	4	Imperial Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	221	217	.....	225	.....	.....	.....
1,500,000	1,170,000	"	100	4	Ottawa .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,029,400	1,869,980	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....	220	.....
1,782,350	1,424,262	"	100	3½	Merch'ta Bk. of Halifax	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....	180	.....
2,000,000	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank of Canada	120	.....	116	.....	.....	116	.....	.....	114	120	.....	.....
1,500,000	1,500,000	Aug.	50	3½	Dominion Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	115
1,500,000	850,000	Dec.	50	3½	Eastern Townships Bk .....	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155	.....	155
1,495,890	1,000,000	Aug.	100	4	Hamilton .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	193
1,200,000	150,000	Nov.	30	3	Banque Nationale .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,250,000	585,000	Dec.	100	3½	Hochelaga Bank	150	.....	150	135	150	135	150	.....	152	.....	.....	.....
1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2½	Ontario Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
837,739	118,000	"	100	3½	Western Bk of Can .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
500,000	265,000	"	25	3	Jacques Cartier Bank .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
479,820	10,000	"	100	3	Banque Ville Marie .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
500,000	600,000	.....	.....	4	Bank of New Brunsw'k .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
180,000	140,000	.....	.....	4	People's Bk do .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
200,000	45,000	.....	.....	2½	St. Stephen's Bk .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,919,996	489,860	.....	.....	2½	Bk of British Columbia .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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...	92½	92½	92½	92	92½	92	91½	90½	91½	90½	91½	91
12,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	5	.....	5	.....	5	.....	5	.....	4½	3	4½	4
10,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Duluth SS.&Atlantic pr	15	13	15	.....	15	.....	15	.....	15	10	15	.....
10,000,000	2,608,329	Oct.	100	1½q	Commercial Cable	183	181	185	181	183	150	184	180	183	179	184	179
2,000,000	.....	"	40	2q	Montreal Telegraph	174	172	175	172	175	172	175	172	175	.....	175	172
1,350,000	.....	Nov.	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co ..	118	110	112	111	112	111½	112	111½	112	111½	113	111½
4,800,000	334,247	Aug.	50	2½q	Montreal Street Ry Co ..	312½	311½	313	311	312	311½	311	310½	309½	307½	307½	307
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	New Montreal Street .....	.....	311½	308½	307	313	309	.....	.....	308½	307	.....	.....
15,010,000	.....	Jan.	100	1	Twin City	63	61	63½	61	62	61	61½	61½	61½	61	61	60
2,997,704	.....	Oct.	40	1½	Montreal Gas Co	193½	191½	193	192	190½	190½	190½	190	190	189½	191	180
1,750,000	.....	.....	1	1½m	War Eagle	310	300	306	303	300	300	300	299	290	295	287	283
462,000	.....	.....	.....	1½m	Mont. & London M.Co.	55	50	55	50	55	50	51	49	50	48	49	46
1,250,000	.....	.....	1	1m	Cariboo Mng. M. & S.Co	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,500,000	.....	.....	1.00	1m	Payne Mining Co	122	119	121½	120	121½	120	108	107	103	102½	90	86½
3,181,000	910,000	Oct.	100	2q	Bell Telephone Co	195	190	.....	190	.....	190	195	188	195	188	195	188
1,500,000	.....	"	100	2q	Royal Electric	166	165	164½	164½	168	162½	160	158	160	156	161	156
6,000,000	814,254	"	100	1q	Toronto Street Ry	111½	111½	111½	111½	111½	111½	111	110½	110	109½	107½	107½
800,000	.....	"	100	1½q	Halifax Tram Co	103	102	.....	101½	103	99	100	98	99	98	98	98
100,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Corwall Street Ry .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
700,000	.....	.....	100	.....	People's Heat & Light ..	27	.....	.....	19	27	19	27	19	27	.....	27	20
3,500,000	.....	Sept.	100	1m	Republic	122	120½	120	118	120	118½	116	115½	116	115	112	111
500,000	.....	Sept.	100	1½q	St. John Railway Co	150	.....	150	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	150	.....
350,000	.....	Oct.	40	2q	London Street Ry .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5,042,925	.....	.....	100	.....	Can. N. W. Land Pfd..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,467,634	.....	.....	.....	.....	" " Com .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15,000,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Dominion Coal Co	50	46	49	45	53	51	50	40	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,000,000	.....	Oct.	100	4	Dominion Coal Co. pr ..	.....	115	120	110	118	116	117½	.....	119	116	.....	116
500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6pa	Windsor Hotel .....	.....	106	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	105	.....	.....	.....
500,000	.....	.....	100	.....	Intercolonial Coal Co ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
250,000	.....	.....	100	7pa	Do. prof. stock .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1,650,000	.....	Sept.	100	2q	Montreal Cotton Co	148	.....	150	145	150	143	150	142½	145	142	145	142
2,750,000	.....	"	100	1q	Colorad Cotton Co	80	75	75	70	75	70	78	70	75	.....	73	70
800,000	.....	Aug.	100	4	Merchants Cotton Co ..	.....	138	.....	138	.....	138	.....	.....	.....	135	.....	135
3,100,000	.....	Sept.	100	1½q	Dominion Cotton Co ..	98	97½	101	99	100	99½	100	99½	.....	.....	98	95
500,000	350,000	"	25	3½	Mont. Loan & Mort Co	140
814,800	Oct.	50	3½	Western Loan & Tr	100	100	100	100

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NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

MONEY AT 6 P. C. ... B. R. T. AGAIN ATTACKED AND AGAIN SUPPORTED — HEBREW HOUSE ACTIVE IN A. M. T. — LONDON MARKET UN-DISTURBED BY THE WAR.

New York, Oct. 10.

There is no definite news from the Transvaal and just as for the past few days the London market shows considerable steadiness and prices on the balance are a shade above our close on Saturday. Un. Pac. is $\frac{1}{2}$ higher, L.N. $\frac{1}{4}$, So. Pac. and St. Paul are also said to be strong.

There is no definite news from the Transvaal of a nature to affect securities seriously. It seems likely that the course of prices this week will be shaped very largely by the same influences that dominated fluctuations last week. The course of the money market and fluctuations in exchange will be watched very closely, and there does not seem to be any probability of an active market in shorts this week.

Saturday's statement, although showing a small increase in surplus reserve, was distinctly a disappointment to the Room, and upon its appearance traders took occasion to sell the entire list and the result was a heavy market the last half hour of business. It is thought that money may be a little stiffer today, but that it will work easier toward the end of the week and that from now on we may expect a moderate movement in money from the West to this quarter. It is thought that the position of the banks is really slightly better than Saturday's statement shows, for some money came in the latter part of the week which did not appear in the statement.

If anything, the movement in B.R.T. tended to increase the confidence of the Bears, and consequently enlarge the short interest in that stock. There is a fair borrowing demand for it, but in no case is the short interest in the market unwieldy and there are still a great many weak holders of B.R.T. who are willing to lend it at figures slightly above the call money rate.

New York (noon), Oct. 10.

Although the reports published in the newspapers in regard to the situation in the Transvaal are rather alarming, the London markets remain undisturbed.

Consols are steady at 101. The market for Americans fairly strong.

Our opening was steady, but extremely dull. Commission houses were practically without orders; activity was again centered in B.R.T., where the fight between the advocates of higher prices and the Keene element seems to go fairly on.

It is stated that desperate efforts are being made to induce the politicians in Brooklyn to compel the B.R.T. to put its wires under ground, but there is no definite information on the subject.

One of the strongest stocks at opening was So. Pac. which was $\frac{1}{2}$ higher than Saturday. The delivery of the new securities was begun to-day and will probably be completed in the near future.

The attacks of the bears became more vigorous after the first half hour, inducing declines, the most notable of which was in B. R. T.

Support developed, however, and at the moment this stock looks fairly strong.

Liquidation was said to be the explanation of decline in A.M.T. Hebrew houses were the principal sellers, their orders were thought to come from a Hebrew operator who bought the stock heavily some 2 weeks ago.

Pullman was notably strong. The advance was accompanied by reports of the cutting of a melon.

The story that gas war was at an end induced some buying of Con. Gas, which advanced easily.

The Grangers were neglected. There seems to be a little pressure on the Industrials.

Money quoted at 6 p.c. and is seemingly in rather smaller supply than last week.

Generally the market is extremely narrow and only attractive to the small traders.

CHICAGO MARKET.

(See page 8.)

Wheat in sight and on passage.			
Vis'ble sup- ply U.S. & Can'da.	1899.	1899.	1898.
Oct. 16,	Oct. 9,	Oct. 17,	
47,289,000	44,215,000	14,598,000	
On pass.			
to U.K.	15,920,000	15,760,000	11,680,000
On pass. to			
Cont'ent.	11,360,000	10,800,000	8,880,000

Total.....74,569,000 70,775,000 35,158,000

The total amount of wheat in sight and on passage shows an increase of 3,794,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 39,411,000 compared with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the United Kingdom shows an increase of 160,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 4,240,000 compared with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the Continent shows an increase of 560,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and an increase of 2,480,000 compared with a year ago.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN U. S. AND CANADA.

	Oct. 16, 1899.	Oct. 9, 1899.	Oct. 17, 1898.
Wheat	47,289,000	44,215,000	14,598,000
Corn..	15,065,000	14,750,000	24,562,000
Oats...	7,069,000	6,630,000	3,080,000
Barley	2,101,000	1,731,000	2,750,000
	On last week.	On last year.	
Wheat inc.....	3,074,000	Inc....	32,691,000
Corn inc.....	315,000	Dec...	9,497,000
Oats inc.....	439,000	Inc....	989,000
Barley inc.....	370,000	Dec ...	649,000

STRAWS.

Commercial Cable Co. announces: We are advised that the Cape Town Government has decided to at once suspend the acceptance, transmission and delivery of telegrams in code or cipher to, from or within Cape Colony except those emanating from the Government. Censorship is to be established.

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NEWS OF THE MINES.

Messrs. Gooderham and Blackstock have issued a circular to the War Eagle shareholders, offering them the opportunity to subscribe for 1,320,000 shares of Centre Star stock at \$1.50 per share, 25 cents to be paid on application, 25 cents on allotment, 25 cents on November 15th, 25 cents on December 15th, and the balance of 50 cents on January 15th, 1900. The company propose to commence the payment of a dividend at the rate of one per cent, per month in January. The Centre Star mine was located in 1890 by Oliver Durant, since which time the development work has been quietly pushed. Its owner, however, knowing that both the Le Roi and War Eagle veins dipped into the Centre Star, practically allowed the owners of the two former properties to prove his mine, which they have already done in the case of the Le Roi down to the 900-foot level. The Centre Star is known as a prior location, and can claim the right to all veins that outcrop within its boundaries. The mining expert, Mr. Barnard Macdonald, says in this connection: "The Centre Star is entitled to a large share of all the minerals that underlie Mt. Royal"; while another eminent mining engineer says: "The Centre Star ore bodies are greater in length than the combined Le Roi and War Eagle."

The payment of a twelve per cent. per annum dividend will require \$320,000 per annum, and a shipment of 100 tons of ore per day, or say 35,000 tons per year, with a profit of \$12 per ton, would provide this sum. The Centre Star, however, even with its present small plant, and owing to its being a virgin mine with such immense ore bodies, can ship 200 tons of ore per day or 70,000 tons per year. An enlarged plant is under construction, which will be completed by May next, when their shipments can be increased from 500 to 600 tons per day, or say 150,000 to 200,000 tons per year. The Centre Star Company is under contract to ship to the Trail Smelter by the first of July 1901, a minimum of 150,000 tons of ore. The Centre Star, Le Roi and War Eagle are the three great mines of the Rossland camp. The Le Roi is capitalized at £1,000,000, and is now selling on the London market on a basis of \$6,250,000, notwithstanding the fact that it has not paid a dividend since it passed into the hands of the British America Corporation, its present owners. Its high standing in the market is accounted for by the fact that Mr. Carlyle, the mining expert, states that the work so far done on that great property has been mainly development work, preparing the mine for the future, and that the time was approaching when more, and even larger dividends would be paid by that company, this, notwithstanding the fact that the mine has already shipped 200,000 tons of ore, and is now working on its 900 foot level. The Centre Star has only shipped such ore as it has been necessary to take out of the mine during the development work, and has, as might be stated, "its cash in the bank." Mr. George Gooderham, of Toronto, owns the entire capital stock of the Centre Star, and is its president.

THE SLOCAN.

The following items refer to Slocan mines:

The Rambler is driving a big upraise. When it is completed the present force of twenty-five men will be increased. The Roco has shut down for the winter.

The compressor plant for the Ivanhoe has arrived. Work on the long tunnel will continue all winter. Its completion will shorten the tram by about 2,000 feet.

THE EXCHANGES.

Toronto, Oct. 15.—Mining shares were weak on the Toronto Stock Exchange today. Republic sold at 110½ and 110.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Oct. 14.

SALES:

Winnipeg—3000, 29,
Noble Five—2000, 23½. 500, 23½.
Deer Trail—1000, 21. 2000, 21½.
Evening Star—500, 8. 1000, 8½.
Gold Quartz—2500, 12. 500, 4½.
White Bear—2000, 3½. 3000, 3½.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Oct. 14.

SALES:

Gold Quartz—1000, 5½.
Big Three—1500, 15½.
Evening Star—1000, 8½.
Victory Triumph—1500, 5½.
Republic—100, 110½.
White Bear—1500, 8½.
Dardanelles—1000, 11½. 500, 12.
Golden Star—3000, 39.
Fairview—1000, 6½. 1000, 6½.
L. Ammonite Reef—1500, 23½.
Can. G. F.—500, 6½.

ROSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE.

Rossland, Oct. 14.

SALES:

King—600, 23. 1000, 24½. 1000, 25.
Rathmullen, 500, 8. 500, 8½. 1500, 8½.
Jim Blaine—3600, 32½.
Waterloo—1000, 11.
Okanogan—1000, 13½.
Winnipeg—1500, 29½. 1000, 29½. 23,000, 30.
Flaghill—4500, 5.
Peoria Mines—3000, 1½. 5000, 12.
Deer Park, new—2000, 4½.
Virginia—500, 8½.
Rambler Cariboo—1000, 47½.
Boundary Creek M. and M.—500, 6.

ORIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Oct. 14, 1899.

Capital.	Par Value.		Bid.	Asked.
1,500,000	\$1.00	Acacia	.....	.26½
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n	.....	.32
		Bob Lee	.....	.....
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor	.....	.17
2,000,000	1.00	C. O. Cons	.....	.16
		C. O. & M.	.....	.17½
1,250,000	1.00	Dante	.....	.20
2,000,000	1.00	Damon	.....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton	.....	.....
1,250,000	1.00	Findly	.....	.16½
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin	.....	.10
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign	.....	.17½
1,000,000	1.00	Gould	.....	.31
1,225,000	1.00	Indepen. T. & M.	.....	.47½
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella	.....	.98½
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot	.....	.65
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington	.....	.23
1,000,000	1.00	Matoa	.....	.32
600,000	1.00	Moon Anchor	.....	.74½
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget	.....	.17½
2,000,000	1.00	Pappoose14½
8,000,000	1.00	Portland	2.45
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle
1,500,000	1.00	Work32½

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MINING STOCK LIST

NAME	Morning Prices		Par Value	Capital	Dividend	When Payable	Description	LOCATION
	Asked	Bid						
B. O. Gold Fields	4 1/2	3 1/2	1 00	2,500,000			Gold.	Trail Creek, B. O.
Big Three	15 1/2	14 1/2	1 00	3,500,000			Gold, Copper.	do
Deer Park	6	5 1/2	1 00	1,750,000			Gold.	do
Grand Prize	8	7 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Gold Hills	7	6 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Homestake	4	3 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Iron Colt	5 1/2	4 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
St. Elmo	6 1/2	4	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Victory Triumph	9	7	1 00	1,000,000			Gold, Copper.	do
White Bear	5 1/2	3	1 00	2,000,000			Gold.	do
Butte	11	10	1 00	1,000,000			Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.	8 1/2	8	10	1,000,000			Gold.	do
California	18	12 1/2	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Evening Star	8 1/2	5	1 00	1,500,000			do	do
Iron Mask			1 00	500,000			do	do
Monte Christo	5 1/2	4 1/2	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Montreal Gold Fields	12 1/2	12	25	800,000			do	do
Novelty	3	2 1/2	10	150,000			do	do
Virginia	11	7 1/2	1 00	500,000			do	do
War Eagle	2 98	2 03	1 00	1,750,000	1 1/2	Monthly.	do	do
Dardanelles	18	10	1 00	100,000			Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern	20	12	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	do
Noble Five	24	15	1 00	1,200,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo	47	45 1/2	1 00	1,250,000		Two paid...	Gold.	do
Slocan Sovereign	87	83	1 00	1,500,000			Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London	48	46 1/2	24	452,000	1 1/2	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			1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Minnehaha	22	19 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Waterloo	9	6	10	100,000			do	do
Knob Hill	88	80	1 00	1,500,000			do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides	1 14	1 30	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	9	7	1 00	2,500,000			do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown	30	28	1 00	1,500,000			do	do
Alice A.	12	10	1 00	1,000,000			do	Seine River, Ont.
Olive	80	75	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
J. O. 41	4	2	1 00	500,000			do	do
Deca	25	20	1 00	975,000			do	do
Gold Star	32	28	1 00	1,000,000	1 1/2	Quarterly.	do	do
Republic	1 18 1/2	1 14	1 00	3,500,000	1pc	Monthly.	do	Republic.
Jim Blaine	31 1/2	30 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Lone Pine	30	20	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Black Tail	16	11 1/2	1 00	1,250,000			do	do
Deer Trail	22	21	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Princess Maud	11	10	1 00	1,000,000			do	do
Smuggler	8 1/2	2 1/2	1 00	1,000,000			do	Fairview Camp, B.O.
Virtue	41	37	1 00	1,250,000			do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne	1 03	1 01	1 00	3,000,000	1pc	Monthly.	Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	43 50	41 00	25 00	2,000,000			Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic	1 41	1 21	5 00	5,000,000			Gold.	Cariboo District.
Van Anda	8	7	1 00	5,000,000			do	Texada Island.
Carnes Creek Cons.	12 1/2	9	1 00				do	do

BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDEEMABLE.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	182 1/2	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do Stock.....	108	1925.....	" "
7,080,000	3	" "	do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
126,700	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harour Bonds Currency....	116	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
874,260	4	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Banette & Bosauquet.
22,500	6	" "	do do do	101-106	1904, 1894.....	" "
940,000	5	April Oct.	Auer Light.....	100	.....	" "
	6	May Nov.	Bell Telephone.....	117	1925.....	Bank of Montreal.
2,000,000	6	2nd April Oct.	Canada Central R'y. ....	.....	1932 1st Nov	" "
423,000	5	1st April Oct.	Canada Colored Cotton Mills.	101 1/2	1902 April	" "
200,000	5	1st May Nov.	Canadian Pacific R'y. Land Grant...	110	1931.....	" "
{ 20,000,000	4	Jan. Ap. Ju. Oct.	Canada Paper Co.....	108 1/2	1917	" "
£300,000	4 1/2	Jan. July	Commercial Cable Coupons. } do do Registered. }	104	2397	" "
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st Jan	" "
350,000	5	1st April 1st Oct.	Halifax Electric Tramway.	106	1916 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
	6	2nd Jan. July	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1918 April	Bank of Montreal.
	5	" "	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Jc.	100	1910.....	" "
292,000	5	1st Mch 1st Sep.	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	1908 1st Mch	" "
681,333	4 1/2	1st Feb. 1st Aug	do do .....	.....	1922 1st Aug	" "
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	Peoples Heat & Light	80	1917 April	Merchants Bank of Halifax
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Richelien & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	" "
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric .....	.....	.....	" "
2,799,933	4 1/2	Mch Sep.	Toronto Railway	108	1931 31st Aug	" "
450,000	4 1/2	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.

WEAK MARKET — IS THE WAR A BEARISH FACTOR? — FARMERS STILL HOLD THEIR WHEAT.

Chicago, Oct. 16.

The grain market opened weak today on weaker cables. British prices are not advancing to cover extra freight transportation charges, but rather are showing a downward tendency. With the withdrawal of still more ocean line steamers for troop transport to South Africa, there has commenced a greater demand for transportation than there is supply just now to meet it. As a necessary consequence export charges are increasing and will increase. The anticipation of this, along with some disappointment that actual war did not push prices up caused liquidation which makes the tendency for the present a declining one. Buyers both home and foreign are not likely to have an active bullish influence till it has been seen whether the Transvaal war is going to be rather a bearish than a bullish factor in the market.

Liverpool—Shipments, 8,332,000. Wheat a lower, demand dull for all grades. Corn lower, steady.

Chicago—Provision receipts:

Hogs, 55,000, cattle, 17,000; sheep, 23,000.

World's shipments of corn are 5,150,000, against 3,500,000 last year. In New York there has been easiness in the market owing to these large world's shipments and to liquidation by those who had bought on hopes of a rise on war being declared. Commission houses there and in Chicago generally sellers. Looks like being a weak market today.

Grain receipts today:

Wheat, car lots, 243, shipments, 98,058.

Corn, car lots, 900, shipments, 101,455.

Oats, car lots, 475, shipments, none.

N. W. cars.—Minn. and Duluth 1083, last week 1541, last year 1672.

Chicago puts this week 70½, calls 73½.

Corn puts 31½, calls 33½.

Provisions open very weak. There are large quantities of ribs and pork for sale.

(See page 5.)

TOBONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Total earning, Sept. \$137,621.10 Dec. \$400.54	
Oct. 8, 1,605.56	.....Dec. 5.37
" 9, 3,769.48	.....Inc. 572.06
" 10, 3,541.59	....." 78.68
" 11, 3,487.53	....." 191.43
" 12, 3,565.63	....." 43.24

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

Sept. 7.....	\$72,545.59.....	Inc. 17,682.11
" 14.....	58,903.50.....	" 1,359.07
" 21.....	50,856.80.....	" 8,475.07
" 30.....	59,332.60.....	" 6,115.04
Month.....	241,638.40.....	" 33,631.29
Year to date...	\$1,815,588.18.....	Inc. \$221,274.38

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

Oct. 1.....	\$5,609.90.....	Inc. 2,652.95
" 8.....	2,419.60.....	Dec. 3,190.30
Rec'ts for Sept.....	\$14,831.65.....	Dec. \$890.75

MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Oct. 9, 4,781.90	.....Inc. 440.66
" 10, 4,943.69	....." 632.31
" 11, 4,848.77	....." 513.87
" 12, 4,836.74	....." 576.64
" 13, 4,729.12	....." 380.62
" 14, 5,279.54	....." 744.04
" 15, 4,561.08	....." 910.19

CHICAGO MARKET—October 16, 1899.

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

	—FUTURES PRICES OCT. 10 TO OCT. 14.—					—TO-DAY'S PRICES.—			
	10	11	12	13	14	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—									
May.....	75½	76½	75½ A	75½ A	75½-½	74½	74½	74½-½	74½-½
Oct.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dec.....	72½	73 A	72½	72½ B	72½	71½	71½	71½-½	71½ A
Corn —									
May.....	31-½	32½	32½ B	32½ B	32½-½	32	32½	31½-½	32 B
Oct.....	31½	31½	32½ A	31½	.....	.....	8½	30½	31½
Dec.....	30½	31½	31½ B	31½	31½	30½	31	30½-½	30½-½
Oats—									
May.....	24½	24½	24½	24½	24½	24½	24½	24	24½ B
Oct.....	22½ A	22½ B	22½ A	2½ A	.....	.....	.....	.....	2½
Dec.....	22½	23½	23½ A	23	23	22½	22½-½	22½	22½-½
Pork—									
Jan.....	9 07 B	9 07	9 55 B	9 55-57	9 55	9 43 47	9 47	9 40	9 10 B
Oct.....	8 17-20	8 15	8 0½	.....	.....	.....	7 87	7 85	7 85
Dec.....	8 27	8 25	8 10	8 10-12	8 10	8 05	8 05	7 95	7 97
Lard—									
Jan.....	5 55-57	5 52	5 45-7 A	5 45 B	5 45	5 40	5 40	5 35	5 35-7 A
Oct.....	5 37	5 35	5 27	5 27	.....	5 22	5 22	5 20	5 20
Dec.....	5 42 B	5 37-40	5 32 B	5 30-33	5 32	5 22	5 27	5 22	5 22 A
St ribs—									
Jan.....	5 07	5 05	5 00	5 00 A	5 00	4 92	4 92	4 80	4 00 B
Oct.....	5 07	5 05	4 95 A	4 92	.....	.....	4 80	.....	4 80 B
Dec.....	4 97	4 95	4 90	4 87 B	.....	4 82	4 85	4 77	4 77 A

Puts and Calls for Oct 17— Puts, Dec. Wheat.....71½-; Puts, May Corn.....32
 Calls " "71½-; Calls, " "32
 Urb Dec. Wheat.....71½-;

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares. Par Value	CAPITAL.		Div. per cent.	Buy- ers
		Paid up.	Ret as per Last Statement.		
MISCELLANEOUS.					
British America.....	50	\$ 750,000	\$ 70,381	3½	123½
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	1290,743	5	164
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7½	.....
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	.....	201
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....	2½	225
Ontario and Q ² Appelle Land Co.....	40	400,000	.....	.....	50
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100	1,400,000	.....	1½	134
" " " " " New.....	.....	240,000	.....	1½	182
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	160½
" " " " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	.....	3	106
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000	1	80
LOAN and SAVINGS CO.					
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100	398,481	130,000	3	.....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	100,000	1	.....
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,004,000	350,000	8	97
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	120½
" " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	600,000	.....	.....	108
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	118
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	380,000	1½qr	184
" " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	325,000	.....	.....	.....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	3½	75
Freehold.....	100	476,100	300,000	3	.....
" " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	843,000	.....	3	75
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100	100,000	300,000	3	112
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	750,000	4½	180
" " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	.....	4½	170
Imperial Loan & Inv't Co.....	100	725,155	160,000	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000	3	111½
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000	1½qr	57½
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	83,000	3	106½
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	85
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	.....	45
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debuture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3½	121½
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,429	40,000	.....	20
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	64
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	500,000	105,000	3	121½
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,020	200,000	1	88
Western Canada.....	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	100
" " " " " 25 per cent.....	.....	500,000	.....	3	95

* After deducting \$511,982 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$702,049 for reinsurance. This List is compiled from the fortnightly circular issued by the Secretary Toronto Stock Exchange.