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Montreal Stock Market.

STRONG LONDON QUOTATIONS INFUSE NEW LIFE INTO C. P. R. DEALINGS HERE -- CONTINUED STRENGTH IN MINES.

There was considerable activity displayed in the transactions at this morning's session. The volume of business was heavier than for some time past. Canadian Pacific was the star attraction, the stock scoring an advance of 1 p.c. on quite heavy trading. The impetus was given by higher prices in London and New York, the stock selling at 100½ on the former, and at 98½ on the latter board. London seems to be taking hold in Americans, possibly by reason of Continental shares being so subject to internal troubles in France, and the complications in the Transvaal. The mines were a strong feature and good business was done at advancing figures. Payne old stock was merged into new at a parity of \$1, on a basis of 2½ shares of the new for 1 share of the old. Republic jumped out of the rut of narrow range in which it has been running for the past week or so, and advanced sharply on good buying. Speculation has turned for the better in mines.

Canadian Pacific—In response to a sharp advance in London and New York quotations, this stock opened up to 98 for the first sale, a rise of 1 p.c. as compared with the previous quotation Friday. 1250 shares were transacted at 97½ and 98, at which latter figure it closed. Buyers were offering 97½ at the close with 98 wanted.

Toronto Ry.—500 shares of this security were dealt in at 116½, being no change from Friday's closing quotation. A small block of 10 shares went at 11¼ near the close, but this bore no significance, as the bid was strong at 116½ with 116¼ asked.

Montreal Gas—Sales of 100 shares were made in this stock, all being at 201, which

is a slight concession from the previous sale. The stock is very inactive and rather heavy. 200½ was bid at the close with 201 wanted.

Bank of Montreal—One transaction of 2 shares was made in this security at the figure that has prevailed for weeks past, namely, 251½. Buyers were offering 250 at the close, but there was none for sale.

Republic—On large purchases this stock advanced sharply 5 p.c. The opening sale was at 125, a rise of 1 p.c. from Friday's figures, and on transactions amounting to 10,000 shares climbed to 129 at the close. The buying has in no wise exhausted itself as shown by the bid which is 129½ with 129¼ wanted.

War Eagle—This stock on its opening quotations showed an advance of 7½ p.c. over the previous sale Friday, and at this figure nearly all the transactions, amounting to 4,500 shares, were made. 371 was bid and 372 wanted at the close.

Payne opened on its new basis this morning at 145, and 4,250 shares changed hands at 144 and 145, which was the last sale of the session. 143 was bid and 146 asked at the close.

No change in Montreal-London though 3,100 shares were disposed of at from 50 to 51. The buyers are holding off in this stock, only offering 48, whilst 51 is wanted.

MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—175, 98. 175, 97½. 625, 98. 25, 97½. 25, 97½. 225, 98.
 Mont. Gas.—100, 201.
 Tor Ry. x d.—500, 116½. 10, 116½
 War Eagle—500, 371½. 500, 371. 3000, 371½. 500, 371½.
 Republic—500, 125, 1500. 126. 5000, 129. 2000, 129½. 1000, 129.
 Payne Mine—200, 145. 2250, 145. 1500, 144. 250, 145.
 Bank of Montreal—2, 251½.
 Montreal-London—2600, 50. 500, 51.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Canada Pac.—500, 98.
 Montreal St. Ry.—50, 330.
 Ric. & Ont.—3, 109
 Royal Electric x d.—50, 185. 25, 184½. 25, 185.

New Montreal St.—25, 328½. 15, 328½. 75, 328.
 Payne Mining Co.—200, 145.
 War Eagle—500, 372. 500, 371. 500, 370
 Republic.—100, 130. 1000, 129. 1000, 129½. 100, 130. 5000, 129½. 1000, 129½.
 Com. Cable—25, 186.
 Dom. Cotton—25, 110. 10, 111.
 Montreal-London—200, 50. 1500, 50.
 Bell Telephone—30, 183.
 Can. Col. Cotton Bonds—\$1000, 101½
 Merchants Bank—3, 170.

STRAWS.

Stock Exchange will adjourn from July 1st to 4th inclusive.

Payne sells at 145, equal to 362½ on the old basis.

City of Boston will until June 28th receive proposal for an issue of \$1,711,000 of 3½ p.c. registered bonds.

London a buyer of Americans and Can. Pac. Latter sells at 100½ in that market.

Coal and crop situation both improving in the United States.

Boom in standard shares in New York this morning, led by the Vanderbilt's.

Much better feeling in mining share circles.

MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

June 22, \$3,744.69	Inc.	\$ 2,039.95
" 23, 5,109.19	"	575.33
" 24, 5,815.77	"	793.33
" 25, 5,736.72	"	1,450.85

TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

For month of May...	104,806.62	Inc.	12,138.27
June 19, \$3,555.77	Inc.	\$631.83	
" 20, 3,598.50	"	575.04	
" 21, 3,600.80	"	573.16	
" 22, 3,276.50	"	173.49	

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The ups and down in Virtue were the only interesting features of the Exchange. The stock was bid up to 40, and looked like going higher, but one sale of 500 shares appeared to fill the buyers up. The next sale was at 39½, after which it was offered at 39. Black Tail was strong, in sympathy with the Western strong-feeling. Sun Consolidated was the most active stock on the list, but it has not so far been taken up generally by the trading community. Payne sold at 144½, which is equal to 361½ on the old basis. Our firm feeling in this security was well taken. It has now had an advance of over 50 points, and though inconsiderable reactions may be witnessed from time to time, it will be a purchase on all such. Republic is now the cheapest stock on the list.

MORNING SALES

Republic—500, 125½. 500, 126½.
Payne Mining Co.—1000, 144½.
Virtue—500, 40. 500, 39½.
Montreal Gold Fields—350, 18.
Sun Consolidated—7000, 10½.
Golden Star—1500, 61½.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Republic—500, 129½.
Sun Consolidated—2500, 10½.
Montreal-London—500, 51.
Big Three—500, 18½.

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

June 24, 1899.

	Bid.	Asked.
Anchoria-Leland .....	.....	.....
Battle Mt'n .....	.27½	.29
Columb-Victor.....	.16½	.17½
Damon .....	.....	.....
Elkton.....	.89½	.90½
Gold Coin	1.93	1.99½
Gold King.....	.....	.....
Independent T. & M.....	.56½	.57
Isabella79	.80
Jack Pot.....	.35½	.38
Matoa.....	.33	.34
Moon Anchor	1.16	1.19
Portland.....	1.90	1.92
Work.....22½

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	Asked. Bid.		Asked. Bid.		Asked. Bid.		Asked. Bid.	
	June 21.		June 22.		June 23.		June 26.	
\$2.50 • Payne	3.26	3.34	3.28	3.27	3.60	3.55	1.46	1.35
1.00 War Eagle xd	3.70	3.60	3.65	3.55	3.70	3.60	3.80	3.70
1.00 Republic x d.....	1.24	1.22½	1.23½	1.23	1.25	1.23½	1.29½	1.26
1.00 Virtue.....	.32	.30	.32½	.30½	.38	.37	.40	.39
.21 Montreal-London x d.....	.55	.49½	.52	.40	.52	.48	.53	.51½
1.00 Big Three .....	.18½	.18	.18½	.18	.18	.17½	.19	.18
1.00 Brandon & G'ld'n Crown	.25	.20	.27	.20	.27	.20	.27	.20
1.00 California .....	.09½	.08½	.09½	.08	.10	.08½	.10	.09½
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.07½	.06½	.07½	.06½	.08	.06	.08½	.06
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	1.45	1.39	1.42	1.40½	1.45	1.40	1.45	1.38
1.00 City of Paris .....	.67	.....	.66	.70	.67	.....	.67	.58
1.00 Evening Star.....	.12	.10½	.11½	.11	.11½	.10	.12	.10½
.25 Fern .....	.35	.....	.45	.25	.35	.....	.35	.25
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.08½	.04	.08½	.05	.06½	.05	.06½	.04
1.00 Iron Colt .....	.14	.11	.13½	.12½	.14	.12	.14	.11
1.00 Iron Mask.....	.....	.....	.70	.60	.....	.60	.75	.60
1.00 Knob Hill .....	.98	.88	.98	.92	.98	.92½	1.00	.92
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.07½	.07	.07½	.06	.09	.....	.08	.06
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.18½	.18	.19	.16	.19	.17½	.20	.18
1.00 Noble Five.....	.30	.....	.27	.20	.28	.....	.28	.20
.10 Novelty .....	.04½	.02½	.04½	.02½	.04½	.02	.04½	.02
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	.....	.....	1.16	1.08	1.15	1.07½	1.16	1.08
1.00 Virginia.....	.19	.14	.19	.12½	.19	.15	.19	.10
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.33	.29	.32	.29	.32	.29	.33	.30
1.00 Bullion .....	.....	.40½	.60	.52	.75	.50½	.52	.....
.10 Summit .....	.04	.02	.03	.02	.04	.02½	.04	.02½
1.00 St. Elmo .....	.08	.04	.08	.05	.08	.05	.08	.05
1.00 Burley .....	.15½	.10	.15	.12	.15½	.10	.15½	.10
1.00 Decca .....	.35	.25	.31	.25	.32	.....	.35	.25
1.00 Morr on .....	.16	.10	.16	.12	.16	.12	.16	.12
1.00 Golden Star xd.....	.66	.65	.64½	.63½	.61½	.60½	.62½	.61
1.00 Slocan Sov26	.23	.30	.20	.27	.20	.26
1.00 Fontenay G. M. Co.....	.18	.17	.18	.14	.18	.14

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*Ex-Div. May 16. †Ex-D. May.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

MARKET CONTINUES STRONG— VANDERBILT ISSUES AGAIN THE FEATURE.

New York, June 26.

The appearance of the bank statement on Saturday was followed by some buying, upon the theory doubtless that it was better than expected. This was particularly noticeable in the Vanderbilts, the buying of which bears all the ear-marks of inside inspiration. This is particularly true of O. M., and it is regarded as a very cheap stock. The strength of Vanderbilts is explained further by the announcement this morning that the New York Central has arranged a lease of the Boston & Albany. While there is no official confirmation of this rumor, it is generally believed that the details of it will be given to the public inside ten days. This combination would form another link in the transcontinental chain. The London market is reported to be from $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 p.c. higher and there is every evidence in that quarter that foreign investors and speculators will promptly follow the lead received from us, looking toward higher prices.

NEWS OF THE MINES.

RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE CALIFORNIA GOLD MINING CO. OF ROSSLAND.

Messrs. A. L. White & Co., of this city, have succeeded in securing the control of stock of the above company for well known capitalists in this province and Boston, who have made arrangements to furnish ample funds to develop the mine thoroughly. As is well known, work had ceased some time ago on the property, owing to the want of development funds, although the mine is adjacent to the West Le Roi and Josie and is but 1500 feet distant from the famous Le Roi mine. The control of the company is now in the hands of a syndicate headed by Mr. S. H. C. Miner, of Granby, the well known capitalist, whose success in the handling of the Knob Hill and Old Ironsides properties has been so phenomenal.

The officers of the re-organized company are: S. H. C. Miner, of Granby, President; J. P. Graves, Vice-President and Western Manager; and Geo. W. Wooster, Secretary and Treasurer.

Machinery consisting of a ten-drill compressor plant and the necessary sinking pumps will be ordered at once and the manager has been advised to push the work and draw on Messrs White & Co. for the necessary funds. It is expected that active operations will be begun early in August as the ground has already been prepared and it will be only necessary to install the plant and go to work. The fact of the re-organization and the resumption of active operation must be welcome news to the shareholders, and that more especially as the control being in the hands of Mr. Miner and his associates, they know that no means will be left untried to make success absolutely certain.

ROSSLAND MINES.

Rossland, B. C., June 24.

The mines of Rossland sent out 2,641 tons for week ending 24th June. Absence of regular ore cars on Columbia and Western caused a falling off. No ore was sent to Trall on 17th, 18th and 19th. The new cars are now in use and this coming week the tonnage should go up again. The following is a detailed statement of ore shipments for the week ending June 24th and year to date:

	Tons for week.	Tons for year.
Le Roi.....	1,920	39,923
War Eagle.....	396	18,950
Iron Mask.....	75	1,375
Evening Star.....	.....	36
Deer Park.....	.....	18
Centre Star.....	25	1,195
Total.....	2,641	61,397

Rossland, B.C., June 25.—Because some of the later smelter returns of the Le Roi show a lower percentage in values there has been a drop in the London market of the Le Roi stock, and it has been seriously asked if the values showed signs of petering out with increased depth.

E. B. Carlyle, the general superintendent of all the B. A. C. properties, stated his whole policy in regard to the Le Roi to the representative of the Miner yesterday. Mr. Carlyle is quoted as saying:

"We desire to keep up with the Northport smelter, and are shipping about 300 tons of ore per day, but outside of this no effort is being made to increase the shipments. Our main purpose is to properly develop the property, and in order to do that upon the scale indicated in the Miner last month, we are proceeding steadily and shipping all pay ore encountered, irrespective of values, so long as it is smelter ore. Consequently the value of the weekly returns for ore shipped fluctuate considerably, but just so long as the ore shipped pays we are not concerned for the moment if the values vary. There is no truth whatever in the suggestion that the values decreased with depth in the Le Roi; on the contrary, the average values hold their own very well. There is practically no change in them."

Mr. Carlyle added that in development work alone 13 drills were now hard at work. The lowest depth attained is 850 feet, and still lower sinking is going on. Work is also proceeding on the five, six and seven, and eight hundred foot levels, and the Black Bear shaft is being pushed down so that shortly all the men and the materials for use in the mine will go up and down this way by the new ships, and the ladders now in use will only be required in case of emergency. Work upon the big tunnel into the head of what will be the giant shaft, starting in on Black Bear ground, is also being pushed as rapidly as the circumstances will permit. In every section of the Le Roi the development work, as outlined by the management, is being vigorously proceeded with, and at the same time the weekly ore shipments are being kept up to the necessary average in order to keep the Northport Smelter going.

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NEWS OF THE MINES.

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Vancouver, B.C., June 25.—Signs are multiplying that the mineral resources of British Columbia are at length attracting attention in London, and that the possibilities of profitable mining investments in this province are now among the things which enter into the calculations of investors and speculators in the capital of empire. Though the Imperial Limited Vancouver and the whole of the great Kootenay districts are now brought within ten days of London, a journey too that can be accomplished with the greatest comfort and luxury. The traveller can ride in a Pullman car from his port of arrival right to Rossland and the sites of the great mines.

Comparing the little area of the Rand with the 385,000 square miles comprised in this Province, it will be seen that with a very moderate realization of the opinions expressed by the most competent Mining Experts, British Columbia's future is assured beyond the possibility of doubt, and those who are sagacious enough to get in on 'the ground floor' will reap a golden harvest as the result.

Messrs. Lionel W. Harris and A. Ernest Baker, two members of the London, Eng., Stock Exchange, in company with Mr. Hector MacRae, of Rossland, spent a week on a tour of the various camps in the boundary country. After visiting California they will sail for home from New York. They purchased the controlling interest in the Gold Bug, a copper proposition in Providence camp from the Boundary Creek Mining and Milling Co., for the London and Canada Syndicate of which they are shareholders. Mr. Harris was the first London broker to exploit the merits of the Le Roi mine on the English market. "British Columbia," said he, "is becoming better known across the water. Once the English investing-public realize that mining out here is cheaper, easier, and more profitable than in Australia or in the Rand, capital will set in this way."

The regular monthly dividend of 1½ p.c. on \$1,750,000, or \$26,250, was paid by the War Eagle Consolidated Company last week making the total dividends paid to date \$335,250. Nelson is becoming famous for deals just now. On top of the acquiring of the Kelly properties and the flotation of the Granite mines Company, M. Rimon, representing an English syndicate has bonded the Terry Group comprising the Alta May, Terry, Miners Delight, and Keystone claims for \$6,000 cash and for \$25,000 worth of stock in a Company which is to be formed to operate them.

It is also stated that Mr. Croastiale, whether for himself or the Hall Mines, is not announced, has offered to buy the Flying Dutchman and Venus groups, lying between the Hall mines on Toad Mountain and the Fern Mine on Hull Creek for \$90,000 of which sum 10 p.c. is to be paid down and the balance is to come in payments in two, four and six months.

It is expected that work on the Enterprise mine in the Slovan will shortly be re-started under the London and British Columbia Gold fields. The Enterprise is to be considerably improved it being on the programme to spend \$60,000. This is to cover the putting in of air compressors, machine drills and the erection of a large concentrator.

For the past year, since the acquisition of the Ajax mine by the Ajax Mining and Developing Company of Sandon, a large amount of development work has been done. The stockholders in this concern are principally business men of London, Ontario, who have faith in the future of silver lead mining in the Slovan.

The Crows Nest Coal Company is finding a growing market in Montana for all its different products. Last week the Company exported 313 tons of coke to the United Smelting and Refining Co's smelter at Great Falls, which was valued at \$1,253. It also sent forward twenty four tons of coal to the Montana Brewing Company of the same city, which was valued at 121 and an experimental shipment of fifteen tons of blacksmiths coal was sent to Messrs. Tod & Kelly, also of Great Falls.

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S MINERAL EXHIBIT AT PARIS.

Revelstoke, B. C., June 25.—W. F. Robertson, Government mineralogist for British Columbia, has arrived for a conference with Gold Commissioner H. N. Coursier, on the subject of British Columbia's mineral exhibit for the Paris Exposition. The mining divisions under Commissioner Coursier's jurisdiction include Revelstoke, Illecillewaet, Lardeau, and Trout Lake, and it is expected the exhibit from these will be unusually rich. Mr. Robertson, who will continue his journey to Rossland, Nelson, the Boundary district, and other parts of the rich Kootenay country opened up by the Canadian Pacific Railway's Crow's Nest Pass division, said:

"British Columbia hopes to have its Paris exhibit ready for shipment in two months. It will be the most complete showing ever sent from miner lands. The collection will embrace gold, silver, copper and lead, in addition to coal from the Crow's Nest region, and the Vancouver Island mines. Of course, the mica exhibit will also be complete, and when the showing is ready, Colorado, Montana and the mineral producing states of the world will have to take a back seat. There will be a particularly fine collection of gold sands from Atlin and Omenica, and the Big Bond and General Cariboo district. The boards of trade of Kamloops, Revelstoke, and other distributing points are giving splendid assistance to the department which has arranged to inclose the exhibits in cases of British Columbia native woods. This province now enjoys distinction as one of the banner mineral countries of the world. Capital and men are flowing in as never before, and everybody is prosperous.

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REPUBLIC CONSOLIDATED GOLD-MINING COMPANY.

Dividend No. 4.

A dividend of one cent per share has been declared, payable on July 15th next, to shareholders of record of June 30th, 1899. By order.

CHARLES S. ELTINGE, Secretary.

PAYNE CONSOLIDATED MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

DIVIDEND No. 1.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Payne Consolidated Mining Company, Limited, held this day, a dividend of one per cent, for the month ending 30th June, has been declared, payable July 15th, 1899, to stockholders of record June 30th.

C. H. LOW, Secretary.
Montreal Street Railway Chambers,
Montreal, 20th June, 1899.

PAYNE CONSOLIDATED MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that shareholders of the Payne Mining Company of British Columbia, Limited, can have their certificates exchanged for certificates in this Company, on and after 20th June next, on presentation at the Office of the Company, 35 Street Railway Chambers, Montreal.

C. H. LOW, Secretary.
Payne Consolidated Mining Company, Limited,
Montreal, 22nd June, 1899.

MINING STOCK LIST

NAME.	Asked.	Bid.	Par Value.	Capital.	Dividend	When Payable	Description.	LOCATION.
Baltimore.....	7½	7	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	Trail Creek, B. C.
Big Three.....	18½	18	1 00	3,500,000	.....	.....	do do	do
Commander.....	10	5	1 00	50,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Deer Park.....	5	3½	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Giant.....	5½	.....	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Grand Prize.....	3	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Gold Hills.....	6½	5	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
Jubilo.....	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. Elmo.....	8	5½	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	3	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Butte.....	11	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.....	7	5½	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Evening Star.....	12	10	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Mask.....	85	56	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Monte Christo.....	08½	07	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields.....	19½	18	25	800,000	.....	.....	do	do
Novelty.....	4	3½	10	150,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virginia.....	19	15	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
War Eagle.....	3 73	3 70	1 00	1,750,000	1½	Monthly.	do	do
Le Roi.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do	do
Dardanelles.....	15	13	1 00	100,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern.....	35	25	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	do
Noole Five.....	28	21½	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo.....	32	29	1 00	1,000,000	.....	Two paid...	Gold.	do
Slocan Sovereign.....	27	25	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London.....	52	51	24	452,000	1½%	Monthly.	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.O.
Cariboo McKinney.....	1 47	1 40	1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.O.
Minnehaha.....	28	25	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Waterloo.....	10	8½	10	100,000	.....	.....	do	do
Knob Hill.....	98	90	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides.....	1 15	1 08	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Pay Ore.....	8	.....	10	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Noro).....	14	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Rathmullen.....	7	5	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown.....	27	20	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Decca.....	33½	30	1 00	975,000	.....	.....	do	Seine River, Ont.
Golden Star.....	62	61	1 00	1,000,000	1pc.	Monthly.	do	do
J. O. 41.....	8	7	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Butte and Boston.....	11	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Eureka District, Wash.
Republic.....	1 28	1 29½	1 00	3,500,000	1pc.	Monthly.	do	do
Smuggler.....	4	3½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Fairview Camp, B.O.
Winchester.....	15	14	25	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virtue.....	40	39	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne.....	1 46	1 35	2 50	2,500,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal.....	38 00	35 00	25 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic.....	1 44	1 39½	1 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.	132½	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 do	100	Permanent.....	" "
136,790	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbor Bonds Currency....	116	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
874,200	4	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Banetts & Bosanquets.
22,500	6	" "	do do do	101-106	1904, 1894.....	" "
940,000	5	.....	Auer Light.....	107	.....	" "
.....	5	April Oct.	Bell Telephone.....	117	1925.....	Bank of Montreal.
.....	6	May Nov.	Canada Central R'y. ....	.....	1932 1st Nov.....	" "
2,000,000	8	2nd April Oct.	Canada Colored Cotton Mills.....	101½	1902 April.....	" "
3,423,000	5	1st April Oct.	Canadian Pacific R'y. Land Grant....	110	1931.....	" "
200,000	5	1st May Nov.	Canada Paper Co.....	106½	1917	" "
{ 20,000,000	4.	Ja. Ap. Ju. Oc	Commercial Cable Coupons.	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	do do Registered. }	104	2397	.....
£300,000	4½	Jan. July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st Jan	.....
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	Halifax Electric Tramway.....	106	1916 Jan.....	Bank of Nova Scotia.
350,000	5	1st Ap'l 1st Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1918 April.....	Bank of Montreal.
.....	6	2nd Jan. July	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Ja.	100	1910.....	" "
.....	5	" "	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	.....	" "
292,000	5	1st Mch 1st Sep.	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1908 1st Mch	.....
681,333	4½	1st Feb. 1st Aug	do do	.....	1923 1st Aug	.....
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	Peoples Heat & Light.....	78	1917 April.....	Merchants Bank of Halifax.
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Richelieu & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	.....
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric.....	.....	.....	.....
2,799,933	4½	1st Mch Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	.....
450,000	4½	1st Jan. July	Windsor Hotel.....	100	1912.....	Bank of Montreal.

* The accrued interest upon all Bonds, Debentures, Dominion Stock and Montreal Corporation Stock sold in this Market is payable by the purchaser in addition to market price.

CHICAGO MARKET.

NO CESSATION IN THE HAMMERING OF PRICES IN WHEAT—CORN AND OATS STRONG.

Chicago 26.

There has been no let up to the hammering process which wheat has been subject to for the past week. On a decline of from ½ to ⅝ p.c. in Liverpool cables, the options opened at a slight decline, July selling at 72½, September at 74½, and December at 75½. There were large quantities thrown over in the first hour, and prices fell off rapidly to 72 for July, with the others off in proportion. At these figures there was some disposition shown to pick up wheat, and a rally was effected to nearly the opening prices, but the effort to lift the market was short lived and toward the close the options settled down to about the lowest figures for the day.

Corn, though showing early fractional weakness in sympathy with wheat, later rallied and the loss in price on the day's business is unimportant.

Oats showed great buoyancy and actually advanced to figures over those of Saturday. This strength is in line with our predictions the past week.

Provisions were dull and firm considering liberal hog receipts.

Wheat—All European markets are lower and liquidation continues on a large scale. Northwest receipts still liberal being 913 cars against 110 last week and 32 last year. Seaboard clearances are 237,000 bushels. Primary receipts heavy 1,067,000 bushels against 731,000 last week and 116,000 last year. Broomhall estimates world's shipments at about six millions. Bradstreet reports coast exports 3,746,000 bushel. Cash demand poor with very little business done at declining figures.

Weather is generally favorable to the crops both here and in Europe. On this and heavy receipts prices are likely to work still lower. Corn rules firm despite the pronounced weakness in wheat. There is a good export demand, and country offerings are falling off. Under these circumstances and with any kind of a favorable market for the other cereals, corn should work higher.

Oats are easier in sympathy with the general weakness, but the cash demand rules strong, and offerings are light. There are no good reasons for lower prices.

Brokers were heavy buyers of provisions. Cash trade is reported large and shipments heavy. Chicago car receipts, wheat 155, corn 1691, oats 373, Hogs 33,000.

VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Wheat, inc	916,000
Corn, "	549,000
Oats, dec	1,371,000

LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.	90½
" 1st preference	81½
" 2nd	64½
" 3rd	22½
G. T. R. Com.	
O. P. R.	100½

CHICAGO MARKET—June 26, 1899.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

	CLOSING PRICES JUNY 20 TO 26.					TO-DAY'S PRICES				
	20	21	22	23	26	Opening.	H'chest.	Lowest.	Closing.	
Wheat—										
July.....	75½-1	74½-1	75½-1	74½	73½	72½-1	73½	72	72½-1	
Sept.....	76½	76½-1	76½	76½-1	75	74½-1	74½-1	73½	74½-1	
Dec.....	78½	77½-1	78½-1	77½	76½	75½	76	75½	76½-1	
Corn -										
July.....	34½	34½-1	34	34½	34½	33½-1	34½	33½	34	
Sept.....	34½	34½-1	34½	34½	34½	34	34½	33½	34½	
Dec.....	33½	33½	34	33½	.....	33½	33½	33½	33½
Oats—										
July.....	24½	24½-1	24½	24½	24½	24½	25	24½	24½	
Sept.....	21½	21½-1	22½-1	21½	21½	21½-1	21½	21½	21½-1	
Dec.....	22½	22½-1	22½	.....	.....	.....	22	21½	21½
Pork—										
July.....	8 22-258	22-5	8 15-17	8 10*12	8 12	8 10	8 12-15	8 07	8 12-15	
Sept.....	8 42	8 42	8 35	8 30	8 27	8 32	8 32	8 27	8 32	
Lard—										
July.....	5 02	5 05	5 00	97-5 00 4	5 02	5 00	5 00	97-5 00	5 09	
Sept.....	5 15-17	5 15	5 12	5 10-12	5 15	5 12	5 15	5 12	5 12-15	
Sht ribs—										
July.....	4 72	4 72	4 70	4 67	.....	4 67	4 70	4 67	4 70
Sept.....	4 85	4 85-7	4 82-5	4 80-82	.....	4 83	4 85	4 82	4 82-5
Puts and Calls for June 27 -										
					Puts, July	Wheat.....		Puts, July		Corn.....
					Calls, "	".....		Calls " "	
					Puts, Sep	".....73½		Puts Sept		".....34½
					Calls, "	".....74½		Calls " "		".....34½

SPECIALS.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, June 26

Morning sales:
 Fontenoy—500, 500, 16½. 500, 500, 16½.
 Fairview—500, 500, 500, 9½.
 Dardanelles—400, 100, 13.
 Van Anda—500, 500, 500, 9½.
 Iron Horse—1000, 1500, 3000, 10.
 Can. G. F.—1000, 10 0, 1000, 1000, 1000, 6½.
 Golden Star—500, 500, 62½.
 Virginia—1000, 500, 500, 19½.
 Hammond Reef—300, -5. 1000, 2½.
 War Eagle—1000, 369. 500, 370.
 Deer Trail—500, 200, 2000, 500, 1000, 25½.
 White Bear—1000, 4 1-2.
 Homestake—300, 3½.
 Smuggler—2000, 500, 500, 500, 3½.
 Insurgent—500, 8.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, June 24.

Morning sales:
 Alice A—500, 500, 500, 500, 25½.
 Bullion—1000, 57. 500, 59.
 Empress—500 500, 500, 500, 5½.
 Golden Star—500, 500, 59½. 500, 500, 60.
 B.C.G.F., 500, 4½.
 C.G.F.S.—500, 6. 1000, 6½.
 White Bear—500, 500, 500, 500, 4½.
 Rathmullen—1000, 7.
 Winnipeg, W.D.—500, 36.
 Alice A.—1000, 25 1-4.
 Golden Star—500, 60. 500, 500, 500, 500, 59½. 500, 500, 60. 400, 500, 500, 500, 60½. 500, 6½.
 Hammond Reef—1000, 24.
 J.O. 41—500, 500, 4.
 Rambler-Cariboo—500, 29½. 500, 30.
 Fairview Corporation—500, 500, 500, 9½.
 Dardanelles—1000, 13½. 750, 13½.
 Smuggler—1000, 1000, 5000, 1000, 3.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, June 26.

Sales:
 Golden Star—500, 500, 63. 500, 62½. 500, 62½. 1000, 500, 500, 500, 62½. 500, 62½. 300, 62. 100, 500, 62½.
 J. O. 41—100, 100, 4.
 Fairview—500, 500, 500, 9½.
 Van Anda—500, 500, 9½.
 Silver Bell—1000, 2½.
 Deer Trail No. 2—500, 25.
 Smuggler—500, 500, 500, 3½.

ROSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE.

Rossland, B.C., June 24.

Sales:
 St. Koverne—1000, 3000, 5000, 3½.
 Winnipeg—500, 2000, 32½. 5000, 32½.
 Iron Horse—1000, 2000, 2000, 11½.
 Virginia—500, 1000, 19½. 1000, 20.
 Van Anda—2500, 9. 2500, 9½.
 Homestake—400, 6½.

VANCOUVER MINING EXCHANGE.

Vancouver, June 26.

Closing sales:
 Rathmullen—500, 500, 500, 7.
 Dardanelles—1000, 1000, 500, 12½.
 Van Anda—1000, 500, 500, 8½. 1500, 1000, 2500, 1000, 8½. 1500, 1000, 9. 500, 500, 500, 9½.
 Athabasca—1000, 40.
 Camp McKinney—2000, 10.
 Iron Colt—500, 1500, 11½.

LONDON AND PARIS.

June 26, 1899.

Bank of England rate.....	3
Open discount rate.....	2½
Paris Rentee.....	101-15
French Exchange.....	25. 20
Consols, money.....	107½
Canadian Pacific.....	100
New York Central.....	140
St. Paul.....	131½
Union Pacific.....	77½