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Montreal Stock Market.

DULUTH ADVANCED THIS SESSION — VIRTUE KEPT TO PREVIOUS VALUE — ALL OTHER STOCKS HAD RECESSIONS OF NO SIGNIFICANCE— CONSOLS UP $\frac{1}{8}$.

Montreal, Feb. 19.
If not a very pronounced characteristic of the forenoon session, Duluth stocks both common and preferred in their advance, the one $\frac{1}{2}$ the other $\frac{1}{4}$, were at least a feature more prominent than any other. There was considerable activity, there being 1025 shares of this stock which changed hands to-day. The closing was steady.

With the lowered London quotation of 101 cabled, the local price of Pacific could not be expected to advance. It declined $\frac{1}{4}$ and at 98 $\frac{1}{2}$ is pretty close to the local equivalent for London. The closing demand and offer showed steadiness and no more. All-American stock was steady on the London market till late in the day, when additional favorable war news was reported. This was said to have carried up prices of American stock somewhat and may in later sessions affect C. P. R. values here.

Small recessions of $\frac{1}{2}$ each marked the trading in Gas, Dominion Cotton, Richelieu and Ontario and Bank of Montreal. About these there is nothing significant as a dull market tends to lower values. There was perhaps no more significance in the decline of 1 point in Montreal London, and of 3 points in War Eagle. The War Eagle mine, however, having no development work ready, is in no position yet for getting its stock price advanced. Selling down to-day was on no grounds traceable to anything else than the general depression of the market.

Closing at 68 Virtue kept up its previous price. Shares to the number of nearly 8,000 were put through this forenoon, no prices falling below 67.

Dominion Coal Bonds at 111 made no new mark, but sold at previous value, and the broken lots of Cable (old) and (new) were 2 and 3 points above the lowest prices of the year.

The prosperity of the country is being claimed both by Liberals and Conservatives as due to them. There is no doubt about the prosperity and the market operations fairly represent them, though some of our stocks would bear advancement.

MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—25, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$. 1, 99 $\frac{1}{4}$. 150, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$
50, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$.
Dul. Com.—100, 5 $\frac{1}{2}$. 700, 5 $\frac{1}{2}$.
Mont. Gas—100, 191.
Dul. pf—225, 15 $\frac{1}{4}$.
R. & O.—75, 113. 50, 118 $\frac{1}{4}$.
War Eagle—750, 157. 4500, 156. 1000,
155.
Virtue—7500, 68. 400, 67. 50, 70.
Dom. Cotton—225, 104. 5, 108 $\frac{1}{4}$. 10,
103 $\frac{1}{4}$.
Montreal London—1000, 26.
Com. Cable (new)—21, 168 $\frac{1}{4}$.
Com. Cable (old)—6, 169 $\frac{1}{4}$.
Dom. Coal Bonds—\$2000, 111.
B. of Mont.—2, 25 $\frac{1}{4}$.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—50, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$. 75, 98 $\frac{1}{4}$. 625, 99.
R. & O.—50, 118 $\frac{1}{4}$. 25, 113.
Com. Cable (new)—20, 168.
Dom. Cotton xd—10, 104.
Virtue—1000, 68 $\frac{1}{4}$. 1000, 69 $\frac{1}{4}$. 6500,
70. 5850. 68.
Payne—250, 117. 250, 119. 8500, 121.
War Eagle—500, 154.

STRAWS.

Condition of rates east of Chicago is very bad. Officers of the road are meeting to consider several serious violations of rate agreements. Packing house products and grain are being given the heaviest concessions.

HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY

For week ending Compared with previous year.
Jan. 7.....2,133.81.....Inc. 60.36
" 14.....2,277.08....." 325.39
" 21.....3,033.52....." 1,055.25
" 28.....2,948.94....." 1,026.52
Total for month...\$11,474.26..Inc. \$2,861.15
Feb. 4.....2,377.47.....Inc. 507.09
" 11.....2,247.54....." 328.10

LONDON AND PARIS

Feb. 19, 1900.

Bank of England rate	4
Open discount rate.....	32
Paris Rentes	100-75
French Exchange	25f. 20
Consols, money	100
Canadian Pacific	100
New York Central	137
St. Pauli	126
Union Pacific.....	73

LONDON CABLE.

O. Meredith & Co.'s Cable gives the following London quotations:
Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....94
" 1st preference91 $\frac{1}{2}$
" 2nd "6 $\frac{1}{2}$
" 3rd "25 $\frac{1}{2}$
G. T. R. Com.....
O. P. R100 $\frac{1}{2}$

MONTRAL STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Jan.....	\$136,086.33	Inc. \$10,810.29
Feb. 10, 4,698.32	.....	Inc. 341.96
" 11, 3,810.32	.....	476.33
" 12, 4,722.59	.....	573.91
" 13, 4,321.97	.....	141.70
" 14, 4,624.24	.....	653.32
" 15, 4,748.87	.....	447.86
" 16, 4, 38,54	.....	486.68
" 17, 4,752.78	.....	215.99
" 18, 2,679.77	.....	313.44

TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Feb. 8, 4,116.13	.....	Inc. 822.80
" 9, 4,000.08	.....	405.23
" 10, 4,379.21	.....	421.31
" 11, 1,657.62	.....	439.97
" 12, 3,788.91	.....	323.18
" 13, 3,941.39	.....	324.63
" 14, 3,816.77	.....	438.16
" 15, 4,017.8	.....	507.57

TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

Total for Jan...\$217,252.45 ...Inc....\$29,916.76
For week ending
Feb. 7, \$49,845.10.....Inc., \$7,353.80

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

PRICES OPEN STEADY — SLOCAN STOCKS IN GOOD DEMAND—DECNA SELLS AT 7 CENTS — VIRTUE STRONG.

There was a fairly steady tone to the market this morning, prices remaining in most cases unchanged from last Saturday's closing prices. With few exceptions these mines are now on a sound trading basis, and although there is nothing just at present of a nature whereon to boom the stocks, yet the surrounding atmosphere is becoming easily clearer and circumstances from this on will likely add to their strength and betterment.

The Slocan news has greatly helped all the stocks in that locality. There was not the boom in the Slocan issues to-day which was so marked at the close of last week's proceedings. Yet in most cases the late prices were well maintained.

Noble Five sold at 8½, which is at a considerable advance from what it has sold of late. There were no sales in Slocan Sovereign, the price being a little soft after its late too rapid advance, 8½ was freely bid, it sold on Saturday at 36.

Deer Trail Con. was in fairly good demand at 9½ cents, and sold to the amount of 2,500 shares. It appears to be cheap at these low figures.

Virtue was quiet on sales taking place at 68, 500 shares changing hands. The last sale on Saturday was at 67, 68 was bid at the close.

Payne was steady at the decline, 500 shares sold at 120. The demand round these figures seems to be good. We do not look for any further reaction.

Montreal G. Fields sold to the amount of 1500 shares at 7 cents, and Montreal-London was unchanged at 26½-27, 2369 shares being sold.

Decna showed signs of recovering some of its lost ground, 2000 shares sold at 7 cents. It should be a first class buy round these low prices.

There was a sale of White Bear at 4 cts, 1000 shares being sold with more enquiry at the same figure.

MORNING SALES.

Montreal G. F.—1500, 7.
Payne—500, 120.
Montreal London—1000, 26½. 1800, 27.
Virtue—500, 68.
Deer Trail Cons.—2500, 9½.
Decna—2000, 7.
Noble Five—500, 8½.
White Bear—1000, 4.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Golden Star—1500, 20½.
Virtue—800, 67. 1000, 70.
Monte Christo—2500, 4.
Payne—400, 121. 5000, 120½. 8000,
120.

C. P. R. EARNINGS.

Week ending Feb. 14, 1900 ..	\$501,000
Week ending Feb. 14, 1899 ..	446,000
Increase	\$ 55,000

GRAND TRUNK EARNINGS.

Week ending Feb. 14, 1900 ..	\$369,744
Week ending Feb. 14, 1899 ..	323,811
Increase....	\$ 45,933

DULUTH S. S. & ATLANTIC EARNINGS.

Week ending Jan. 31 1900 ..	\$58,998
Week ending Jan. 31 1899 ..	48,982
Increase	\$ 10,016
From Jan. 1	\$167,147
Increase	15,091

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	Feb. 15.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.	Feb. 17.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 19.
1.00 Payne	1.07½	1.05	1.27	1.26	1.24	1.21	1.20½	1.20
1.00 War Eagle xd..	1.70	1.50	1.70	1.65	1.63	1.60	1.60	1.40
1.00 Republic xd	1.00½	.97½	1.00	.97	.99	.97	1.00	.98
1.00 Virtue.....	.72	.69	.70	.68	.68	.67	.71	.69
.24 Montreal-London xd....	.27	.20	.27	.27	.27	.25	.27	.26
1.00 Big Three.....	.08½	.06	.08½	.06	.06½	.06	.07½	.06
1.00 Brandon & Gold Crown .....	.74	...	.25	...	.25	.16	.25	.15
1.00 California.....	.03	.10	.11	.10	.11	.10	.10½	.09
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.07	.06	.06½	.06	.06½	.06	.07½	.06
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	...	.95	.63	...	...	...	...	...
1.00 Evering Star.....	.10	.07	.08½	.7½	.08½	.07½	.08½	...
.25 Fern.....	.06	...	.06	.02	.05	.02	.06	.02
1.00 Gold Hills Developing ...	.06	.04½	.06	.04½	.06	.04½	.06	.04½
1.00 Iron Colt .....	.10	...	.10	...	.10	...	.16	...
1.00 Knob Hill.....	.00	...	.90	...	.80	...	.80	.40
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.04½	.03	.05	.03	.04	.03	.05	.04
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.07½	.07	.07½	.7	.07½	.07	.07½	.08½
1.00 Noble Five.....	.10	...	.15	.6	.10	.04	...	.08
1 Novelty .....	.2	.1	.2	.1	.0	.01	.3	.1
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	...	.95	.25	.7½	.50	.97½	.50	...
1.00 Virginia.....	.06	.02	.04½	.02	.06	.02	.5	.2
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	...	...	...	.45	...	...	...	...
1.00 Bullion .....	.50	...	.40	.20	.50	.45	.50	.34
1.00 Decca.....	.08½	.06	.06½	.06	.07	.06½	.9	.03
1.00 Morrison .....	.04	.03	.06	.03	.04	.03	.5	.3
1.00 Golden Star .....	.91	.19½	.20	.19	.20	.19	.20½	.19½
1.00 Slocan Sov .....	.27	.26	.33	.31½	.35½	.34½	.32	.31
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.05	.04½	.5	.4½	.05½	.05	.06½	.04½
1.00 Winnipeg .....	.22½	...	.25	...	.24½	.21	.23½	.21
1.00 Dardanelles.....	...	...	.10	.4	.10	.05	.9	.4
1.00 Deer Trail Cons.....	.69	.3½	.9	.8½	.09½	.08½	.10	.09
1.00 North Star.....	1.20	1.07	1.11	1.09	...	1.07
1.00 Kenneth

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CLOSING PRICES.

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

Range, for Year 1900	Cap. PAID-UP.	Rest.	Next div. pbl.	Value shares.	Last div. div.	STOCKS.	Feb. 14.		Feb. 15.		Feb. 16.		Feb. 17.		Feb. 19.		
							Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	
High	Low.	\$	\$			BANKS.											
263	256	12,000,000	6,000,000	June	\$200	5	Bank of Montreal	260	260	255	260	255	250
163	160	6,000,000	2,600,000	"	100	3 ¹ / ₂	MERCHANT'S B'K OF CAN	162	....	162	155	162	155	162	155	159
148	140	6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3 ¹ / ₂	Canadian B'k of Com	147	144	147	145
122	1,360,000	1,460,000	April	£50	2 ¹ / ₂	British North America	124	122	124	122
123	126	2,500,000	700,000	June	\$100	3	Quebec Bank	125	....	125	....	....	....	....	....	125
243	241	2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto	245	236	....	245	238	....	....	....	238
193	193	2,000,000	1,025,000	April	50	*4	Molsons Bank	194	....	190	....	190	195	190	....	*9
....	....	2,283,385	1,485,500	June	100	*4	Imperial Bank	210	....	210	....	210	....	210	....	210
....	....	1,560,680	1,215,510	"	100	4	Ottawa .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard	198	196	....	194	197	....	....	....	197
....	....	1,752,280	2,005,601	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia	225	210	....	227	220	225	220	225	220
....	....	1,933,520	1,577,492	"	100	3 ¹ / ₂	Merch't B'k of Halifax .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
111	109	2,000,000	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank of Canada	112	....	112	....	112	....	112	....	....
....	....	1,500,000	1,500,000	Feb.	50	3 ¹ / ₂	Dominion Bank	269	260	272	....	269	267	....	269	267
....	....	1,600,000	850,000	June	50	3 ¹ / ₂	Eastern Townships B'k	167	....	167	....	160	....	157	....	157
....	....	1,498,850	1,000,000	Feb.	100	4	Hamilton	186	....	....	187	....	....	....	....	186
140	129	1,433,560	685,000	May	30	8	Banque Nationale	146	130	146	....	140	135	146	....	....
128	124	1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2 ¹ / ₂	Hochelaga Bank	127	....	....	127	....	....	....	....	127
....	....	398,239	118,000	"	100	3 ¹ / ₂	Ontario Bank .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	500,000	265,000	"	25	....	Western B'k of Can .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	829,820	10,000	....	....	....	Jacques Cartier Bank .....	....	111	....	111	....	....	....	....	111
....	....	560,010	600,000	....	....	....	Traders .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	180,000	140,000	....	....	....	Bank of New Bruns'k .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	200,000	45,000	....	....	....	People's B'k do .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	2,919,998	486,668	....	....	....	St. Stephen's B'k .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	488,686	18,000	....	....	....	B'k of British Columbia .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	200,020	65,000	....	....	....	Summerside Bank .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	Merchants B'k of P.F.I. .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

SURPLUS.

MISCELLANEOUS

100	90	65,000,000	.....	April	\$100	3	Canadian Pacific Ry	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99
5	5	12,000,000	.....	.....	100	....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic	5	5	5	5	6	5	6	5	5
15	14	10,000,000	.....	.....	100	....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr	16	14	16	14	16	14	16	14	16
192	166	10,000,000	2,608,329	May	100	*1 ³ / ₄	Commercial Cable	170	169	170	169	170	169	169	169	168
173	170	2,000,000	.....	.....	40	2 ¹ / ₂	Montreal Telegraph	175	170	175	170	171	171	173	171	175
138	138	1,000,000	.....	.....	.....	1 ¹ / ₂	Dom Telegraph Co	130	....	130	....	130	....	130	....	130
115	104	1,350,000	.....	May	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co	114	113	113	113	113	113	113	113	113
297	269	4,800,000	334,217	Feb.	50	2 ¹ / ₂	Montreal Street Ry Co	294	293	294	294	297	294	294	295	294
67	62	15,010,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	New Montreal Street .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
194	185	2,897,704	.....	April	100	5	Twin City	62	62	63	62	65	64	63	65	63
275	180	1,750,000	.....	.....	100	1 ¹ / ₂ m	Montreal Gas Co	189	189	190	189	192	189	191	190	192
36	25	452,000	.....	.....	24	1 ¹ / ₂ m	War Eagle	169	165	163	160	168	158	160	158	153
70	49	2,000,00	.....	.....	100	....	Mont. & London M.C.	25	30	....	27	25	27	26	26	26
107	92	2,500,000	.....	.....	1.00	....	Virtue Consolidated	65	64	73	72	69	68	69	68	70
180	171	3,164,000	910,600	May	100	2q	Payne Mining Co	105	103	110	108	131	130	120	117	125
197	183	1,550,000	.....	.....	100	2q	Bell Telephone Co	185	177	....	177	181	179	185	179	187
104	100	6,000,000	814,254	"	100	1q	Royal Electric	195	193	195	193	195	193	195	193	193
99	94	800,000	.....	.....	100	1 ¹ / ₂ q	Toronto Street Ry	104	103	104	103	103	103	103	103	102
....	....	700,000	.....	.....	100	....	Halifax Tram Co	100	95	99	95	100	90	98	94	94
108	89	3,500,000	.....	.....	100	1m	People's Heat & Light .....	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	10
....	....	500,000	.....	.....	100	1 ¹ / ₂ q	Republic	99	97	100	97	97	98	97	98	9
....	....	350,000	.....	A. ril.	40	2q	St. John Railway Co	160	125	....	142	120	148	120	148	12
....	....	5,642,925	.....	.....	100	....	London Street Ry	169	....	....	170	....	....	....	....	170
....	....	1,467,684	.....	.....	.....	....	Can. N. W. Land Pfd.	59	52	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	15,000,000	.....	.....	100	....	“ “ Com. .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
116	....	2,000,000	.....	April	100	4	Dominion Coal Co .....	....	40	....	....	....	....	40	....	40
....	....	500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6 pa	Dominion Coal Co. pr .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	500,000	.....	.....	100	....	Windsor Hotel .....	....	....	100	90	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	250,000	.....	.....	100	7 pa	Intercolonial Coal Co	50	28	50	28	50	28	50	28	28
146	142	1,650,000	.....	June	100	2q	Do. pref. stock	100	50	100	50	100	50	100	50	50
75	70	2,750,000	.....	.....	100	1q	Montreal Cotton Co	160	147	160	150	176	147	160	148	160
....	....	800,000	.....	Feb.	100	4	Colored Cotton Co	75	70	82	75	80	76	80	75	75
105	90</															

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

FEB. 10, 1900.

Range for Year 1900	Range for Year 1899	Outstanding Am. Div. P. C.	CLOSING PRICES FROM FEB 10 TO FEB. 17							TO-DAY'S PRICE			
			10	13	14	15	16	17	Open's	Highest	Lowest	Closing	
.....	230	112	5,000,000	.....	Air Brake.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
35	33	48	30	20,237,000	4	Am. Cotton Oil Co.....	1	.....	.....	34	34	34
137	108	182	114	38,288,000	3	" Sugar.....	110	112	111	113	113	113	
.....	15	4	27,384,300	.....	" Nitrite Mfg. Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
52	45	72	32	21,800,000	.....	" V. Co.....	67	58	58	59	58	57
84	27	62	20	26,000,000	.....	" in Plate.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
111	95	129	78	21,000,000	1	" Tobacco.....	107	100	110	110	109	105	
46	38	70	31	28,000,000	.....	Anaconda Copper.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	18	24	17	120,000,000	.....	Atch. T. & S. Fe.....	20	21	21	21	20	20
61	58	68	50	114,190,500	1	" " pfd.....	62	63	63	63	63	62	
79	73	61	43	25,000,000	2	Baltimore & Ohio.....	76	78	78	79	78	79	
.....	2	2	60,000,000	.....	Bay State Gas.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
77	66	137	61	29,500,000	.....	Brooklyn Rap. Tran.....	72	74	74	74	72	73
65	60	64	42	28,096,000	1	C. O. & St. L.....	60	61	61	61	60	60	
90	93	99	84	65,000,000	2	Canadian Pacific.....	.....	99	99	99	99	99
50	48	70	48	15,000,000	1	Canada Southern.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
31	28	31	23	60,633,400	1	Chesapeake & Ohio.....	20	24	20	20	20	20	
14	11	29	16	21,392,500	5	Chicago & Great Western.....	14	13	14	13	13	14	
127	119	149	114	90,282,900	1	" B. & Q.....	124	125	125	125	124	125	
125	115	138	112	46,732,600	2	" Mill. & St. P.....	121	123	123	123	122	123	
111	104	122	89	50,000,000	1	" R. I. & Pacific.....	108	109	109	108	108	107	
163	153	173	141	39,118,300	3	" & Northwest.....	.....	162	.....	.....	162	162
.....	194	188	22	22,396,600	1	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	60	41	65,370,000	.....	Central Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
189	187	223	163	39,078,000	2	Consolidated Gas.....	193	193	193	193	194	193	
38	30	65	20	30,000,000	.....	Continental Tobacco.....	34	34	33	33	32	32
119	113	125	106	35,000,000	1	Delaware & Hudson.....	116	.....	115	.....	116	.....
180	173	194	167	28,200,000	1	Del. Lack. & Western.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
73	68	80	63	38,000,000	.....	Denver & Rio Grand pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Duluth com.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	" pfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	11	16	10	112,232,700	.....	Erie.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
129	120	132	95	18,276,000	.....	General Electric.....	.....	127	127	123	127	127
68	49	76	37	24,027,300	1	Glucose.....	57	57	57	57	54	54	
57	48	75	30	46,184,300	1	Fed. Steel Com.....	54	56	55	55	55	55	
77	71	93	67	63,243,500	1	" " pfd.....	75	76	76	73	74	74	
25	23	69	17	.....	Internat. Paper Co., Com.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70	67	95	62	.....	" " " lfd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	208	186	98	98,277,500	Lake Shore.....
82	77	88	63	62,800,000	4	Louisville & Nashville.....	80	81	81	81	80	81	
101	91	133	85	48,000,000	1	Manhattan con.....	97	100	99	99	98	97	
182	163	269	147	40,000,000	1	Met. Street Ry. Co.....	178	181	180	178	170	177	
34	31	45	28	13,000,000	.....	Missouri, Kan. & Tex pfd.....	33	34	33	33	32	33
47	38	52	33	47,507,000	1	" Pacific.....	45	46	46	46	46	46	
28	24	40	22	14,905,400	1	Nat. Lead.....	27	.....	25	24	24	.....
119	115	126	97	22,619,000	1	New Jersey Central.....	117	.....	116	.....	.....	.....
138	131	144	120	115,000,000	1	New York Central.....	.....	135	135	135	134	134
54	60	57	42	80,000,000	1	Northern Pacific.....	62	53	53	53	53	52	
78	72	81	68	75,000,000	1	" " pfd.....	75	75	74	74	74	74	
120	126	91	18	18,549,153	5	Omaha.....	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	21	28	18	58,113,800	.....	Ontario & Western.....	23	24	24	24	23	24
47	36	65	36	20,000,000	1	Pacific Mail.....	40	41	39	37	36	35	
138	128	142	122	129,303,250	2	Pennsylvania R. R.....	132	134	136	135	134	134	
109	101	128	90	28,668,800	1	P. O. Gas L. & Coke Co.....	107	107	108	108	104	104	
68	56	61	43	12,500,000	.....	Pressed Steel.....	55	.....	56	57	.....	.....
88	86	91	75	12,500,000	1	" " pfd.....	.....	.....	87	.....	.....	.....
.....	207	156	54	64,000,000	1	Pullman Palace Car Co.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	17	25	15	69,900,000	1	Reading.....	.....	18	18	18	18	18
58	49	68	42	28,000,000	.....	" 1st pfd.....	56	56	56	56	x54	54
40	35	44	27	10,232,016	.....	Southern Pacific.....	38	39	39	39	38	39
57	51	68	40	57,280,400	1	Southern Railroad pfd.....	50	56	56	57	57	57	
.....	69	.....	15,010,000	1	Twin City.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	14	25	12	38,710,900	.....	Texas Pacific.....	103	.....	17	16	16	17
104	73	126	36	20,000,000	1	Tenn. Coal & Iron.....	96	98	100	99	98	98	
.....	242	186	12	12,000,000	1	Third Avenue R. R.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	98	98
51	44	51	38	86,338,000	.....	Union Pacific.....	49	50	50	50	50	49
77	73	84	66	75,000,000	14	" pfd.....	70	76	76	76	76	76	
44	31	67	42	23,808,000	2	U. S. Rubber.....	.....	.....	31	.....	.....	.....
.....	121	111	23	23,525,600	2	" " pfd.....	38	.....	.....	82	34	33
19	14	40	5	61,509,000	.....	U. S. Leather.....	101	171	171	170	16	16
77	73	84	64	60,309,000	12	" " pfd.....	76	76	75	75	75	75	
7	6	8	6	28,000,000	.....	Wabash.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	19	25	19	24,000,000	.....	" pfd.....	20	20	21	20	20	20
88	83	99	62	97,370,000	.....	W.U. Telegraph.....	83	83	84	84	84	83

*Ex-Div. 1 p.c. †Ex-Div. 2 p.c. ‡Ex-D. 3 p.c. §On new basis. ¶Ex-D. 2 p.c. *Ex-D. xEx-D. 1 p.c. ¶Ex-D. 1 p.c. " Ex-D. 3 p.c. \$Ex-D. 1 p.c.

COTTON:

	Aug.	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May
Opening.....	8.62	.....	8.55
Closing.....	8.64	.....	8.68

NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

NORFOLK THE ONLY STRONG STOCK IN MORNING SESSION — DESPATCHES FROM LONDON TELL OF FAVORABLE WAR NEWS AND HIGHER PRICES — MARKET STEADY, BUT VERY DULL.

New York, Feb. 19.

The market for Americans in London is dull and prices are at about parity, in fact, all the London markets are dull, pending more definite news from Africa.

There is a report that Cronje with 7000 Boers have been captured, but War Office denies having any confirmation. Eventually, however, the feeling in England is decidedly more cheerful than at any time since the outbreak of war, and there is a very confident feeling that with generals Roberts and Kitchener in command, the campaign will be conducted to a successful conclusion.

The Herald publishes a story this forenoon saying that the recent fluctuations in Third Avenue have been the result of manipulation by Mr. Keene. That it was Mr. Keene's clever manipulation which gave the impression that Standard Oil interests were buying, while, as a matter of fact, Standard Oil people had no interest whatever in the company. The story does not say whether Mr. Keene still holds Third Avenue stock, rather intimates that he has sold out.

All the newspapers on Sunday and today comment on the increase in the loan item in bank statement, but beyond asserting vaguely that it was due to increased borrowing for commercial purposes there is no satisfactory explanation.

New York (noon), Feb. 19.

During the first half hour the market was heavy and dull. London houses did little or nothing.

Commission house business was at a standstill and traders were working on the bear side.

One of the weakest stocks was Third Avenue, owing to the uncertainty of its financial future.

There was some disposition to sell Pennsylvania on a report that labor difficulties were likely to occur.

The only strong stock on the list was Norfolk, which was heavily bought by one or two good houses. The buying was based on an article in yesterday's Tribune written over the signature of Cuthbert Mills, saying the bituminous coal trade was never in a better condition, that consequently stocks of the bituminous coal carrying roads, and more especially Norfolk & Western, were bound to sell at higher figures.

The traders found that there was little or no outside following of their selling movement, and that little or no liquidation was taking place, consequently when they attempted to cover the market advanced rather easily.

On the advance London houses were moderate sellers, but the selling did not last long, being brought to an abrupt conclusion by the receipt of despatches from the other side respecting higher prices in London in consequence of favorable war news.

One of the favorite short sales during last few days has been Rubber com. This forenoon it loaned flat and this induced some covering and a moderate advance. The market is now fairly steady and very dull.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Feb. 17.

SALES :
 Evening Star—500, 7½.
 King—2500, 17.
 Minnehaha—100, 10.
 Morrison—1000, 4½.
 Can. G. F. S.—1000, 6½.
 Dardanelles—2000, 5½.
 Deer Trail Con.—1450, 8½.
 Golden Star—1000, 19½. 500, 19½.
 Republic—500, 96½.
 Golden Star—500, 19½.

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Feb. 14.

SALES :
 B. C. G. Fields—2000, 3.
 Can. G. Fields—1000, 6½.
 Van Auda—4000, 5½. 1000, 5½.
 Gold Hills—5000, 4½.
 Big Three—1000, 5½.
 Golden Star—1000, 20½. 500, 20.
 Flag Hill (Rep.)—3500, 2½.
 White Bear—2000, 2½.
 Manitou—2000, 20. 500, 19½.
 Deer Trail—1500, 8½.

RQSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE.

Rossland, Feb. 17.

SALES :
 Okanagan—15,000, 4½. 1500, 4½.
 Peoria—4000, 1½.
 Tamarac—1000, 7. 2000, 7½.
 Rambler Cariboo—3000, 43½.
 Giant—500, 6. 1000, 5½. 2000, 6½. 700
 7.
 Winnipeg—1500, 21½.
 Payne—100, 115.

ORIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Feb. 17, 1900.

Capital.	Par Value.	Astkd	
1,600,000	\$1.00	Acacia.....	.37½
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n.....	.35
900,000	1.00	Fen Hur.....	...
		Flack Belle.....	...
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee.....	.66½
2,000,000	1.00	Croesus.....	...
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor .....	.20½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. Cons.....	.17½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. & M.....	.14
1,250,000	1.00	Dante.....	.16
2,000,000	1.00	Damon.....	.27½
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton.....	...
1,500,000	1.00	Flower.....	.04
1,250,000	1.00	Findley .....	.14
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin .....	...
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign.....	.11½
2,000,000	1.00	Gold Stone.....	...
1,000,000	1.00	Gould.....	...
		Hart.....	.20½
		Hayden.....	.02½
1,225,000	1.00	Indepen. T. & M.....	.60
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella.....	1.32
500,000	1.00	Ida May.....	...
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot.....	.61½
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone.....	.18½
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly.....	.11
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington.....	.22
1,000,000	1.00	Mator.....	.26½
600,000	1.00	Moon Anchor .....	.67
1,250,000	1.00	Magnet.....	.4½
1,250,000	1.00	Maria A.....	.04½
		Midway.....	...
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n Beauty.....	.10½
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget.....	.21½
1,500,000	1.00	New Haven.....	.09
1,250,000	1.00	Oriole.....	.05½
2,000,000	1.00	Pappoose.....	.08½
3,000,000	1.00	Portland.....	2.39
1,000,000	1.00	Princess.....	.08
		Raven.....	.83½
1,250,000	1.00	Silver State.....	.02½
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle .....	...
1,000,000	1.00	Sacramento.....	...
		Tornado.....	.54½
		Union.....	.48½
1,500,000	1.00	Work.....	.35
		Zenobi.....	.20

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MINING NEWS.

THE MT. LION MILL.

James Croman, late superintendent of the Zella M. Sheridan camp, and a mining man of close observation and much experience in the milling of ores, has been out to see the new Mountain Lion reduction plant and has consented to give *The Miner* a statement of his impressions of the same. He spoke as follows :

"I went to the Mountain Lion mill expecting to find a large part of the machinery outside knowing the bad condition of the roads and the consequent delay in the transporting such heavy material.

"I entered the mill through the boiler room and was surprised to see a large 5 by 16 or 18 foot boiler with 100 3-inch tubes in place. The workmen were just finishing the fire box. The twin boiler was up and the work of walling it in was also under way.

"The large Corliss engine I did not examine as there were too many busy men there for an outsider like myself to keep dodging. Passing them to the four batteries of five stamps each, I could look them over more carefully without being in the way of workmen, for they are almost finished.

Here, as in the boiler and engine room the economy of the best machinery and the best mechanical skill shows complete grasp of the work going forward.

"These batteries are models of their kind and their construction cannot be improved upon. Each five stamps is driven separately thus saving time when from any cause a battery must stop instead of each 10 stamps on one shaft as is the common custom. The cam shaft of each battery is the same diameter as that generally used for ten stamps, insuring them against spring or jar at the highest speed. These shafts are not weakened by the usual key seat for tightening the cams, but are smooth, the cams fitting the shaft by the very latest and best improvement.

They are self-tightening cams and there can be no slipping of belts as there are only five stamps to each belt. The slipping of cams and driving of keys to weaken them is entirely done away with as the cams cannot get loose.

"This insures more regular and even balances of all the batteries of five each on a shaft than it is possible to obtain where ten stamps are on one shaft. The last improved guides go with each battery. The batteries are the knee frame style, leaving the front of each clear, there being no braces to obstruct work in front of the batteries. The mortars are to do the work for years, being extra heavy in the wearing parts. The discharge of ore under the stamps is also the latest improvement, made heavy to stand wear, and projecting so as to protect the large inside electro-silver plates used for amalgamating inside of the mortar. These plates are set at a pitch between 40 and 50 degrees, and the ore is forced into them by the splash of the stamps, being washed off gradually by each successive splash, thus giving the gold time to catch and stick and not as usually placed almost vertical at a pitch of 70 to 80 degrees when the ore is splashed against it only. The large plates in front of the battery can be kept in the best condition being supplied with good light from the window above, thus showing any defect rising on them from any cause. So much room is left in front of the batteries, the operator has every facility afforded to do his work thoroughly.

"The ore or pulp passes to four Huntington mills and is ground still finer. The old Mexican arrasta is considered the very best saver of gold, but too slow for these times. The Huntington mill is the nearest approach to the arrasta and the best grinder in use for gold ore.

"The stock tank, fresh water tanks, leaching tanks and precipitating tanks are large and are of the most improved make and placed to do their work thoroughly and economically.

"The plant is a credit to the management. No expense has been spared to make it complete. Nothing has been spent for appearances." — Republic Miner.

THE FEELING AT ROSSLAND — SLOCAN STRIKE SETTLED — ROSSLAND SHIPMENTS.

Rossland, B. C., Feb. 17.—While ore shipments have fallen away to 750 tons for the past week, the general mining situation in the camp has decidedly improved. Over 400 men will find steady employment on the Le Roi, War Eagle and Centre Star mines until the present difficulties with machinery are over, when the staff employee will be larger than ever. Machinery for the War Eagle and Centre Star is already arriving, but that for the Le Roi will be delayed for at least three weeks longer. In mining circles it is felt there will be no further reductions of the force of men employed in the camp's mines and the situation from this on will continue to improve until the time is reached when shipping will be commenced once more.

The settlement in the Slocan of the labor troubles which have existed there since June last, and which were ended on Thursday, has helped to steady matters here, and the outlook already has brightened up. The men are going back at \$3.25 a day.

The smallpox scare appears to have nearly subsided. There were only two cases detected, which have been removed to the isolated hospital, are both progressing favorably, and no fresh cases have been reported.

Appended is a detailed statement of ore shipments from Rossland Camp (approximately) for the week ending February 17, and year to date :

	Week.	Year.
Le Roi	12,202	
War Eagle	213	10,603
Centre Star	213	7,017
Iron Mask	91	1,257
Evening Star	30	85
I. X. L.	50	148
Monte Christo		278
Giant		42
Total tons	751	31,627

THE TOM THUMB MINE.

Rich Ore Chute Traversed for Nearly 200 Feet.

Yesterday Lake D. Wolfard, president of the Tom Thumb Mining Company, who has been in town for several days, was asked

for a statement as to the mine. He consented to do so and the information is highly interesting. It shows that the Tom Thumb is probably a great mine. The statement is as follows :

"On the 100 foot level we ran the south drift 90 feet. We did not drift north on that level. In running the south drift we found the ore body of an average width of five to six feet. It improved both in appearance and grade as we went south. Where we stopped work in this drift the company got \$27 and some cents from a sample taken from over the entire face. I myself, in order to confirm this, took a similar sample and got \$26.80.

On the 150 foot level they have drifted 98 feet north of the crosscut and 140 feet south, making a total of 178 feet of drifting. In the north drift the ore body averaged from $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 feet in width. The highest general average we obtained from over the face was \$48.68. The entire north drift should average something over \$20. It was in this drift that we first encountered the black streaks in the quartz which carry high values. Several assays showed over \$100.

"In the south drift we encountered the black streaks and high grade ore. The black streaks first appeared within about fifteen feet of the crosscut although we had a good grade of ore previous to that. These black streaks have continued through the entire south drift and to-day they are in the face and more pronounced than ever. The ore body has run from five and a half to 15 feet in width and in value determined by general averages over the face exceeding \$20. There are places where for several feet the average runs much higher. From the face back for 40 feet or more the average has run over \$10. To-day by actual measurement the ore is six feet wide in the face. Our superintendent, Mr. Downey, says he has taken out over \$5,000 worth of ore in the last month in this drift alone, this covering a distance of 40 feet.

"Our present plan is to continue the south drift on the 150-foot level until the ore chute we are in is fully explored. We will continue our new working shaft, which is now down 75 feet to a point 100 feet below the 150-foot level on which we are now drifting. At this point we will run a crosscut out to the vein at the same time continuing the shaft down to the lower levels."

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MINING STOCK LIST

NAME.	Morning Price. Asked.	Par Value.	Capital.	Divi- d'nd	When Payable	Description.	LOCATION.
B. C. Gold Fields	4	3	1 00	2,500,000	.....	Gold.	Trail Creek, B.C.
Big Three.....	7½	6	1 00	3,500,000	.....	Gold, Copper.	"
Deer Park.....	5	.....	100	1,250,000	.....	Gold.	do
Grand Prize.....	3	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Gold Hills.....	6	4½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	do	do
Homestake.....	4	3½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Iron Colt.....	15	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
St. Elmo.....	6	3	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Victory Triumph.....	6	4	1 00	1,000,000	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
White Bear.....	4	3	1 00	2,000,000	.....	Gold.	do
Butte.....	11	10	1 00	1,000,000	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.....	7	6	10	1,000,000	.....	Gold.	do
California.....	11	10	1 00	2,500,000	.....	do	do
Evening Star.....	8½	7	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Iron Mask.....	75	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	do	do
Monte Christo.....	4	3½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields.....	7½	6	25	800,000	.....	do	do
Novelty.....	2	1	1	150,000	.....	do	do
Virginia.....	8	2	1 00	50,000	.....	do	do
War Eagle x'd.....	1 50	1 50	1 00	1,750,000	1½ 21 paid.	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.C.
Cardanellie.....	9	4	1 00	100,000	.....	Gold.	Nelson, B.C.
Fern.....	5	2	25	200,000	5pc. One paid	Silver and Lead.	do
Noble Five.....	9	8½	1 00	1,200,000	.....	Gold.	Slocan, B.C.
Rambler Cariboo.....	.....	.....	1 00	1,250,000	Monthly	Silver and Lead.	do
Slocan Sovereign.....	32½	31½	1 00	1,500,000	.....	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.C.
Montreal-London x'd.....	27	26	24	452,000	1½% Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.C.
Cariboo McKinney.....	98	.....	1 00	800,000	1pc. Monthly.	do	do
Fentenoy.....	.....	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Minnehaha.....	15	12	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Waterloo.....	14	13	10	100,000	.....	do	do
Knob Hill.....	80	50	1 00	1,500,000	.....	do	Boundary, B.C.
Old Ironsides.....	1 03	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Pay Ore.....	8	.....	10	250,000	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Oro).....	27½	.....	1 00	2,000,000	.....	do	do
Rathmullen.....	6½	4½	1 00	2,600,000	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown.....	28	12½	1 00	1,600,000	.....	do	do
Alice A.....	12	9	1 00	1,200,000	.....	do	Seine River, Ont.
Olive.....	75	69	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
J. O. 41.....	4	2	1 00	600,000	.....	do	do
Decca.....	9	6	1 00	975,000	.....	do	do
Golden Star.....	21	19½	1 00	1,200,000	.....	do	do
Republic x'd.....	98	90	1 00	8,500,000	1pc. nthly.	do	Republic.
Jim Blaine.....	36	31	1	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Lone Pine.....	25	20	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Black Tail.....	17½	13	1 0	1,250,000	.....	do	do
Deer Trail Con.....	10	9	1 00	2,000,000	1pc. Monthly.	do	Spokane Co., Wash
Princess Maud.....	11	7½	10	1,000,000	.....	do	do
Smuggler.....	8½	6½	1 0	1,200,000	.....	do	Fairvi. w Camp, B.C.
Virtue.....	69½	68	1 00	2,000,000	.....	do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne.....	1 21	1 20½	1 00	3,00,000	.....	Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal.....	\$38 75	32 00	26 00	2,000,000	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic.....	.....	.....	5 00	5,000,000	.....	Gold.	Cariboo District.
Van Anda.....	9	7½	1 00	5,000,000	.....	do	Texada Island.
Carnes Creek Cons.....	10½	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	do	Revelstoke, B.C.

BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDEEMABLE.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	1924	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	" "	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do Stock.....	101½	1925.....	" "
7,080,000	3	" "	do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
136,700	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbor Bonds Currency....	116	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
874,260	5	" "	Toronto City do do	117-120	.....	Lloyds, Baileys & Bosanquet.
22,500	4	" "	do do do	101-106	1904, 1894.....	" "
940,000	5	April Oct.	Auer Light.....	100	.....	Bank of Montreal.
6	May Nov.	Bell Telephone.....	115	1925.....	" "	
2,000,000	6	2nd April Oct.	Canada Central R'y. ....	.....	1932 1st Nov....	Bank of Montreal.
3,423,000	5	1st April Oct.	Canada Colored Cotton Mills....	100	1902 April.....	" "
200,000	5	1st May Nov.	Canadian Pacific R'y. Land Grant...	110	1931.....	" "
{ 20,000,000	4	Ja. Ap. Ju. Oc.	Canadian Paper Co.	106½	1917	.....
			Commercial Cable Coupons. }	103	23½	.....
			do do Registered. }	.....	.....	.....
£300,000	4½	Jan. July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st Jan	Bank of Nova Scotia.
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	Halifax Electric Tramway.....	106	1916 Jan.....	Bank of Montreal.
350,000	5	1st Ap'l 1st Oct.	Intercolonial Coal Co.....	100	1918 April.....	" "
6	2nd Jan. July	Lk. Champlain & St. Lawrence Ja.	100	1910.....	.....
	5	" "	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	.....	.....
292,000	5	1st Moh 1st Sep.	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1908 1st Moh	Merchants Bank of Halifax.
681,333	4½	1st Feb. 1st Aug	do do .....	.....	1922 1st Aug	"
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	People's Heat & Light.....	69	1917 April.....	"
554,313	5	1st Mich Sep.	Richelieu & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mich	"
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric.....	.....	.....	.....
2,799,933	4½	" Mich Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	Bank of Montreal.
450,000	4½	1st Jan. July	Windsor Hotel.....	100	1912.....	Bank of Montreal.
			Dom. Coal Bonds.....	111	.....	.....

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

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO MARKET—February 19, 1900.

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

WHEAT AND CORN CLOSED AT THE HIGHEST OF THE DAY ON GOOD BUYING BY LOCAL CROWD — PROVISIONS DULL BUT STRONG.

Chicago, Feb. 19.

Liverpool morning cable, wheat shipments 6,500,000. Wheat dull, very little demand, $\frac{1}{4}$ lower.

Corn opened weak and so continues, $\frac{3}{8}$ lower.

Wheat opened March 5-10, May 5-9%, July 5-10%. Closed, March 5-10, May 5-9%. July 5-9%.

Paris wheat and flour 5 higher.

New York opened $\frac{1}{8}$ lower and dull.

Chicago on lower cables from Liverpool opened $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{3}{8}$ lower and at 67 $\frac{1}{2}$. Local crowd bought on higher French cables. Selling scattered. Z

Wheat on passage increases 2,520,000; Corn on passage increases 1,682,000.

As long as weather keeps favorable and export demand so dull, wheat will decline still further.

Corn opened $\frac{1}{8}$ lower, but sold $\frac{1}{4}$ higher after the opening and steady country acceptances of corn, fairly liberal. I look for further break before do to buy again. Foreign demand is small. Foreigners were moderate sellers of corn here.

Oats is dull at $\frac{1}{8}$ decline.

Provisions opened strong at an advance of 2 cents and strong now at \$1.1.

Lard and Ribs are better than last week's closing.

Hogs to-day 31,000; to-morrow, 28,000.

Primary receipts :

Last week holiday.

Last year 686,205; shipments 136,184.

Four ports last year 111,258, shipments 705,886.

Wheat in sight and on passage.

Vis'e's-p- 1900. 1900. 1899.
ply U.S. Feb. 19, Feb. 13, Feb. 18,
& Ca'da. 53,219,000 53,904,000 29,618,000
On pass.

to U.K. 18,320,000 15,920,000 20,480,000

On pass. to
C'n'tent. 7,520,000 6,720,000 9,760,000

Total..... 79,059,000 76,544,000 59,858,000

The total amount of wheat in sight and on passage shows an increase of 2,515,000 bushels compared with a week ago and an increase of 19,201,000 a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the United Kingdom shows an increase of 2,400,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and a decrease of 2,160,000 compared with a year ago.

The amount of wheat on passage to the Continent shows an increase of 300,000 bushels compared with a week ago, and a decrease of 2,240,000 bushels compared with a year ago.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF GRAIN U. S.
AND CANADA.

	Feb. 19,	Feb. 13,	Feb. 18,
	1900.	1900.	1899.
Wheat	53,219,000	53,904,000	29,618,000
Corn..	14,815,000	14,708,000	31,820,000
Oats ...	5,743,000	596,800	8,676,000
Barley	1,422,000	150,600	2,772,000

On last week. On last year.

Wheat dec.....	685,000	Inc....	23,601,000
Corn inc	107,000	Dec ...	17,005,000
Oats inc.....	5,146,200	Dec....	2,933,000
Barley dec....	1,272,000	Dec....	1,350,000

	CLOSING PRICES FEB. 13 TO FEB. 17.						TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	13	14	15	16	17	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing	
Wheat—										
Feb.	68 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	68 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	69 B	68 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	68 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	67 $\frac{1}{4}$	68 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	67 $\frac{1}{4}$	68 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	
May	69 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	69 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	69 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	69 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	68 $\frac{1}{4}$	68 $\frac{1}{4}$	69	68 $\frac{1}{4}$	69 B	
July										
Corn—										
Feb.	34 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	34 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	34 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	34 $\frac{1}{4}$	34 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	34 $\frac{1}{4}$	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	
May	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	35-35 $\frac{1}{4}$	35 $\frac{1}{4}$	35	35 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	
July										
Oats—										
Feb.										
May	23 $\frac{1}{4}$	23 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	24 A	23 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	23 $\frac{1}{4}$	23 $\frac{1}{4}$ -23 $\frac{1}{4}$	23 $\frac{1}{4}$	23 $\frac{1}{4}$	23 $\frac{1}{4}$	
July	22 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	22 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	23 A	22 $\frac{1}{4}$ A	22 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	22 $\frac{1}{4}$	22 $\frac{1}{4}$	22 $\frac{1}{4}$	22 $\frac{1}{4}$ B	
Pork—										
Feb.										
May	10 92 10 8-87B	11 00	10 95-97	10 92	10 95	11 00	10 92	11 00	11 00	
July	10 97 10 90-92B	11 02-510	97-11	10 97	10 97	11 00-2	10 95	11 00-2	11 00-2	
Lard—										
March										
May	6 07	6 05 A	6 07 B	6 05-7	6 05	6 07	6 05	6 17	6 17	
July	6 15 B	6 12 B	6 15-17	6 15	6 12-15	6 15	6 15-17	6 12-15	6 15-17	
Sht ribs—										
Feb.										
May	5 97 B	5 97 A	6 02-5	6 02 A	6 00	6 00-2	6 02-5	6 00	6 02 B	
July	6 00 B	6 00 A	6 05 B	6 02 B	6 00-2	6 02	6 02-5	6 00	6 02 B	

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares. Par Value	CAPITAL.		Div. per ct.	Buy- ers
		Paid up.	Rest as per Last Statement.		
MISCELLANEOUS.					
British America.....	50	750,000	\$79,381	34	122 $\frac{1}{2}$
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	1296,743	5	159 $\frac{1}{2}$
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	277 $\frac{1}{2}$
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	...	147
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr	215
Ontario and Qu'Appelle Land Co.....	40	400,000	.....	...	54
Victoria Rolling Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000	10	.....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100	1,400,000	.....	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	134 $\frac{1}{2}$
" " " New.....	.....	240,000	.....	14	134
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	179 $\frac{1}{2}$
" " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	.....	3	105
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000	1	80
LOAN and SAVINGS CO.					
British Canadian Ln & Inv't. Co.....	100	398,481	120,000	3	.....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	100,000	1	38
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,004,000	350,000	3	83 $\frac{1}{2}$
Canada Permanent Ln & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	125
" " 20 per cent.....	50	600,000	600,000	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr	122 $\frac{1}{2}$
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	112
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	360,000	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr	134
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	75 $\frac{1}{2}$
Freehold " " 20 per cent.....	100	476,100	300,000	3	70
Hamilton Provident & Inv't. Soc.....	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	.....
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	750,000	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	175
" " 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	.....	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	166
Imperial Loan & Inv't. Co.....	100	725,155	160,000	3	80
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000	3	100
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ qr	51
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	83,000	3	109
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	85
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	....	46
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533	5	.....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	121
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	599,429	40,000	...	25
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	61
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	600,000	105,000	3	126
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,020	200,000	1	88
Western Canada " " 25 per cent.....	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	98

* After deducting \$511,982 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$792,049 for reinsurance.
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