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## Montreal Stock Market.

NOT MUCH DOING AT OLD PRICES—STREET WEAKER—MINES WERE STRONG BUT LESS ACTIVE—ON LONDON WEAKNESS PACIFIC LOWER.

Montreal, March 20.

Most of the stocks this forenoon, if compared in prices with their values in the immediately preceding sessions, would be found lower, though quite a number had values today which were far above what they were some months ago. General tendencies are towards augmented values and as such are apt to be forgotten, while noticing that for the one day or for some successive days, recessions have to some extent affected prices.

Although Street for instance at 303 closed 8 points lower than the previous closing, this price is well over 294 of just one month ago. Street was not inactive today and, beginning with 308, developed weakness.

Pacific was also weaker closing at 95, which was ½ lower than yesterday's closing price. This stock, however, has fallen short of expectation and of what its real worth ought to secure for it. On Wall Street yesterday it secured 95½.

The following securities in small lots today sold at previous prices: Royal Electric, Republic, Bell Telephone, Merchants Bank, Bank of Montreal and Montreal Telegraph.

At 120¼ Dominion Coal Bonds to the amount of \$1,000 went at this, the highest price of the year.

Closing high yesterday, Virtue closed 1 higher today at 99. The 182 closing price of War Eagle was 1 point higher, but its register still is about as low as it has been, since the collapse. On the high of last week R. & O. gained ¼ today. Toronto sold 1 point lower. Payne was ½ higher. Eastern Townships Bank was 1 lower. The new stock of Montreal Street made its first appearance today and sold at 270.

Intimation has been given, that the Gas Company will hold a meeting for appointment of Directors on April 4th.

London today closed very weak.

### MORNING SALES.

Can. Pac.—5, 96½, 200, 95¼; 100, 95½; 300, 95.  
Royal Electric—25, 194.  
Mont. St. Ry.—25, 308; 15, 302½; 25, 301½; 150, 302; 141, 302¼.  
Tor. Ry.—10, 99½; 100, 100.  
War Eagle—2,000, 131; 1,500, 132.  
Virtue Con.—500, 98; 4,500, 99.  
R. & O.—25, 109¼.  
Republic—3,000, 110.  
Bell Tel.—4, 180¼.  
Mont. St. Ry. New—25, 270.  
East. Townships Bnk—58, 157.  
Payne Con.—500, 131½.  
Nchts. Bnk.—2, 160.  
Dom. Coal Bds.—1,000, 110¼.  
Bnk of Mont.—2, 257¼.  
Mont. Teleg.—10, 169.

### AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—100, 95; 150, 94¾.  
Mont. St. Ry.—25, 302; 25, 301½; 100, 301½.  
Mont. Gas—10, 193; 100, 191.  
Virtue—500, 98¾; 1,500, 98; 6,000 98¼; 2,600, 99.  
Mont. Cot.—15, 141¼.  
Republic—500, 108.  
Payne Co.—1,000, 132.  
Can. Col. Cot.—2½, 80.  
Mont. Telegraph—3, 105.  
Nchts Bnk.—3, 109.  
Cable Bonds—\$2,700, 108¼.

### STRAWS.

Canadian Pacific wants American lines to be fair with it, but as they have refused to agree to the Pacific terms, the proposed transcontinental passenger rates are as far from being settled as ever.

Proportion of revenue to liability of the Bank of England 38.32 per cent. against last week 42.25; March 1, 43.66, and February 22, 45.19.

A meeting of the Montreal Gas Company will be held at 11 Place D'Armes on April 4th, at 12 o'clock noon, when directors will be appointed and other business transacted.

Assessment, says the "World" of New York properties under the franchise tax law, will be placed generally at 2½ per

cent. on capital stock. Eight properties will be assessed as follows:—

Metropolitan.....	\$1,875,000
Manhattan.....	1,500,000
Third Avenue.....	300,000
Brooklyn R. Transit.....	1,200,000
Consolidated Gas.....	2,424,657
Union Ferry.....	22,500
New Amsterd. Gas.....	557,750
Standard Gas.....	125,000
	<b>\$8,004,907</b>

### LONDON AND PARIS.

Mar., 20 1900.

Bank of England rate.....	4
Open discount rate.....	4
Paris Rentes.....	101—52½
French Exchange.....	25f. 20
Consols, money.....	102½
Canadian Pacific.....	93½
New York Central.....	133½
St. Paul.....	157
Union Pacific.....	77½

### LONDON CABLE.

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

Grand Trunk, guaranteed 4 p.c.....	94
" 1st preference.....	93
" 2nd ".....	68
" 3rd ".....	27
G. T. R. Com.....	.....
O. P. R. rd.....	97½

### TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

Total for Feb.....	\$197,365.75.....Inc.....	\$28,252.00
For week ending		Compared with last year
Feb. 14,	\$47,763.85.....Inc.,	\$ 5,841.95
" 21,	49,332.35.....	5,300.40
" 28,	50,418.15.....	7,755.87
Mar. 7,	48,908.80.....	6,137.20
" 14,	49,718.20.....	12,853.05

### HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

Month of February.....	\$3,932.41.....Inc.....	\$1,450.86
Light and RR. Receipts., Feb.....	\$17,012.64	
Increase.....	\$2,893.45	
For week ending		Compared with previous year.
March 7.....	2,070.63.....Inc.	157.00
" 14.....	2,174.63.....	222.15

**MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.**

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STOCKS IRREGULAR-DEER TRAIL AND DECCA FIRMER-PAYNE, REPUBLIC, WAR EAGLE, WEAKER.

Montreal, March 20.

The market was quite active and broad today, more so than it has been for several weeks past. 27,900 shares changed hands.

One of the most active stocks was Deer Trail Cons., which sold repeatedly at 11 to 11 1/2 cents, there seemed to be a fair demand mostly from the West.

The closing quotations were 11 1/2 to 11, buyers being plentiful round 11 cents.

Slocan-Sov. was in better demand, although no sales transpired. The stock was offered as low as 8 1/2 and closed in active demand at 8 1/2.

Giant sold to the amount of 5,000 shares at 2 1/2, which is the lowest price at which it has sold locally.

The annual report of the Decca shows that a good deal of development work has been done during the year. The assays from the working at different depths show that the ore has averaged up very satisfactory. The following directors were elected: Messrs. W. F. Borland, J. Hyde, C. C. Cornille, J. N. McKim and Bannell Sawyer. The stock was actively traded in at 8 cents; 7,000 shares being sold. It closed strong at 6 bid, to 6 1/2 asked.

Big Three was quiet at 9c; 1,000 shares being sold. Sellers were asking 9 cents at the close.

Shipments for this year so far from the War Eagle have amounted to 10,608 tons, and from the Center Star 7,017. In Toronto yesterday the latter sold at 182. War Eagle was offered at the same figure without any sales being made. This morning the latter sold at 132 1/2.

News from the North Star mine is most satisfactory. The aerial tramway from the mine to the railway is now complete, and in future over 100 tons a day will pass over it. At present the ore goes to Trail, but it is to be smelted at Omaha and Great Falls as the former has plenty of lead on hand.

Virtue remains strong and is as big a favorite as ever.

Knob Hill is depressed, and is selling at 50 cents. 2,500 shares changing hands.

Montreal-London is quiet at 80 cents.

**MORNING SALES.**

Big Three-1,000, 9.  
Knob Hill-2,500, 50.  
Payne-1,000, 131; 1,000, 130 1/2.  
Decca-7,000, 6.  
Deer Trail Cons.-2,000, 11; 2,000, 11 1/2.  
Virtue-1,000, 98; 1,500, 98; 200, 97 1/2; 150, 98.  
War Eagle-500, 132 1/2.  
Montreal-London-800, 80.  
Giant-5,000, 2 1/2.  
Okanogan-1,000, 8.

**AFTERNOON SALES.**

Knob Hill-2000, 50.  
Montreal-London-1000, 80.  
Deer Trail, con-1000, 11 1/2. 7000, 12, b 10.  
2000, 12, b 7. 500, 12, a 10.  
Virtue-1000, 99. 1500, \$1.00.  
Republic-500, 1.08 1/2.  
Can. G. Fields-10,000, 6 1/2.

**GRAND TRUNK EARNINGS.**

Week ending Mar. 14, 1900..... \$428,093  
" Mar. 14, 1899..... 419,318  
Increase..... \$ 8,775

	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.	Bid.
	March 16.		March 17.		March 18.		Mar. 20.	
1.00 Payne .....	1.33	1.27	1.30	1.23	1.30 1/2	1.29	1.31	1.29
1.00 War Eagle xd.....	1.50 1/2	1.35	1.37 1/2	1.36 1/2	1.40	1.22	1.40	1.25
1.00 Republic xd .....	1.14	1.12	1.11 1/2	1.10 1/2	1.11	1.09	1.08 1/2	1.08
1.00 Virtue.....	1.01	.96	1.02	.93	.98	.97 1/2	1.00	.99 1/2
.25 Montreal-London xd.....	.32	.30 1/2	.32	.30 1/2	.31	.29 1/2	.31	.29 1/2
1.00 Big Three .....	.09 1/2	.09	.09 1/2	.08 1/2	.09 1/2	.09	.09 1/2	.08 1/2
1.00 Brandon & G'ld'n Crown	.27	.15	.27	.14	.27	.14	.27	.14
1.00 California .....	.10	.9	.10	.8	.9 1/2	.08 1/2	.9 1/2	.8 1/2
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn..	.08 1/2	.06	.08 1/2	.06	.08 1/2	.06	.07	.06 1/2
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulic.....	....	.96	....	.96	....	....	....	.95
1.00 Evening Star .....	.08 1/2	.07	.09	.5	.9	.7	.10	.07 1/2
.25 Fern .....	.06	.02	.06	.02	.06	.02	.06	.2
1.00 Gold Hills Developing...	.08	.04 1/2	.08	.05	.06	.4 1/2	.06	.04
1.00 Iron Colt .....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....	.12 1/2	....
1.00 Knob Hill .....	.70	.55	.70	.55	.55	.45	.50	.49 1/2
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.04 1/2	.02 1/2	.04 1/2	.03	.04 1/2	.03 1/2	.04 1/2	.03 1/2
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.07	.06	.07	.06	.08 1/2	.06	.07	.06
1.00 Noble Five.....	....	....	.12	.07	.10	.06	.10	.6
.1 Novelty .....	.2	.01	.2	.01	.2	.1	.2	.1
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	....	.70	.80	.70	.80	....	.75	.60
1.00 Virginia .....	.08	.02	.09	.02	.08	.02	.05	.2
1.00 Rambler Cariboo.....	.25	....	.5	.15	.25	.15	.25	.15
1.00 Bullion .....	.50	.35	....	....	.50	.80	.50	.35
1.00 Decca .....	.06	.05	.07	.06	.6	.6	.06 1/2	.06
1.00 Morrison .....	.04	.03	.04	.02	.4	.2	.5	.2
1.00 Golden Star .....	....	....	.20	.17 1/2	.19	.17 1/2	.20	.18
1.00 Slocan Sov .....	.19	....	.33	.30 1/2	.33	.31 1/2	.32 1/2	.31
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co. ....	.32	.30	....	....	....	....	....	....
1.00 Rathmullan.....	.5 1/2	.03 1/2	.5	.03 1/2	.05	.03 1/2	.06	.03 1/2
1.00 Winnipeg.....	.20	....	.29	.05	.18	.8	....	....
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.8 1/2	....	.5	.2	.5	.2	....	....
1.00 Deer Trail Cons.....	.11	.10 1/2	.11	.10 1/2	.11	.10 1/2	.12	.11 1/2
1.00 North Star.....	1.23	1.20	....	1.21	....	....	1.25	1.15
1.00 Kenneth.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

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# MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

## CLOSING PRICES.

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

Range for Year 1900	CAP. PAID-UP.	RST.	Next div. pbl.	Value shares.	Last 4-y. div.	STOCKS.	Mar. 15.		Mar. 16		Mar. 17		Mar. 19		Mar. 20.	
							Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Buyers.
<b>BANKS.</b>																
263	254½	12,000,000	6,000,000	June	\$200	5	Bank of Montreal	255½	256	260	256½	260	258	165	159	
163½	160	6,000,000	2,600,000	"	100	3½	Merchants B'k of Can	161	165	165	160	147½	147	147½	147½	
147	140	6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	2½	Canadian B'k of Com	147½	147	147	140	124	122½	121	117	
130	122	4,866,666	1,460,000	April	£50	2½	British North America	125½	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	
128½	126	2,500,000	700,000	June	\$100	3	Quebec Bank	125½	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	
243½	241	2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto	243	245	245	190	195	185	195	190	
195	190	2,000,000	1,625,000	April	50	*4	Molsons Bank	189	190	190	190	212	208½	212	209½	
		2,285,385	1,485,500	June	100	4	Imperial Bank	212	208	210	210	212	208½	212	209½	
		1,560,680	1,215,510	"	100	4	Ottawa									
		1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	196	
		1,752,280	2,005,601	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia	225	220	225	220	225	220	225	220	
		1,933,520	1,577,492	"	100	3½	Merch'ts Bk. of Halifax									
111	105	2,000,000	450,000	"	60	3	Union Bank of Canada	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	
		1,500,000	1,500,000	"	50	3q	Dominion Bank	269	267½	268	266½	268	265	268	267½	
168		1,500,000	850,000	June	50	3½	Eastern Townships Bk	158	156	158	156	158	156	158	156	
		1,498,650	1,000,000	"	100	4	Hamilton	185	187	187	187	187	187	187	187	
		1,200,000	150,000	May	30	3	Banque Nationale									
140	129	1,433,560	585,000	June	100	3½	Hochelaga Bank	140	136	146	130	140	145	135	146	
128½	124½	1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2½	Ontario Bank	127	127	127	127	127	127	127	127	
		388,239	118,000	"	100	3½	Western Bk of Can									
		500,000	285,000	"	25	.....	Jacques Cartier Bank									
		829,820	70,000	"	.....	.....	Traders	111	110½	111	111	112	112	112	112	
		500,000	600,000	"	.....	.....	Bank of New Brun'sk.									
		180,000	140,000	"	.....	.....	People's Bk do									
		200,000	45,000	"	.....	.....	St. Stephen's Bk									
		2,919,996	486,666	"	.....	.....	Bk of British Columbia									
		48,666	18,000	"	.....	.....	Summerside Bank									
		200,020	65,000	"	.....	.....	Merchants Bk of P.E.I.									
<b>SURPLUS.</b>																
100	90	65,000,000	.....	April	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry...	95½	95½	95½	95½	95½	95½	95	94½	
6	5	12,000,000	.....	"	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic..	6	5½	6	5½	6	5½	6	5½	
161	14½	10,000,000	.....	"	100	.....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr	16½	16	16½	15	17	15	17	15	
192	166	10,000,000	2,608,329	May	100	*1½q	Commercial Cable.....	170	168	170	168	170	166½	169½	164½	
173	170	2,000,000	.....	"	40	2q	Montreal Telegraph...	170	178	178	165	170	165	173	170	
115	104	1,000,000	.....	"	.....	1½q	Dom. Telegraph Co....	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	129	
306½	289	1,350,000	.....	May	100	3	Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co..	109½	109	109½	109	109½	109	110	109	
		4,800,000	334,247	"	50	2½q	Montreal Street Ry Co.	3 3	302½	303	302½	305	304½	305	304	
		15,010,000	.....	Aug.	100	1½	New Montreal Street...									
67	62½	2,997,704	.....	April	40	5	Twin City	64½	64½	65	64	64½	64	64	65	
194	185½	1,750,000	.....	"	1 00	1½m	Montreal Gas Co.....	191	190½	192	190	192	190½	191½	190½	
275	130	452,000	.....	"	24	1½m	War Eagle.....	139	136½	137	130½	139	135	138	130½	
36	25	2,000 00	.....	"	1 00	.....	Mont. & London M.Co.	31	29	33	30½	35	30	32	29	
100	49	2,500,000	.....	"	1 00	.....	Virtue Consolidated...	98	97	100	99½	99½	99	99	99	
137	92	3,168,000	910,000	April	100	2q	Payne Mining Co.....	136	135	134	132	133	131	132	131	
180½	171	1,500,000	.....	"	100	2q	Bell Telephone Co.....	185	180½	185	180½	185	180½	190	180½	
197	183	6,000,000	814,254	"	100	1q	Royal Electric	194	193	194	193	194	193½	194½	193½	
104½	99½	800,000	.....	"	100	1½q	Toronto Street Ry.....	101½	101	101½	100½	100½	100½	101	100	
99	94½	700,000	.....	"	100	1½q	Halifax Tram Co.....	100	95	97	96	99	96½	99	97½	
115	89	3,500,000	.....	"	100	1m	People's Heat & Light..									
		509,000	.....	"	100	1½q	Republic.....	116	115½	113½	112	118	111½	112	110½	
		350,000	.....	April	40	2q	St. John Railway Co..	150	126	150	126	150	126	150	126	
		5,642,925	.....	"	100	.....	London Street Ry.....									
		1,467,684	.....	"	.....	.....	Can. N. W. Land Pfd..									
		15,000,000	.....	"	100	.....	" " Com..									
118	116	3,000,000	.....	April	100	4	Dominion Coal Co.....									
		500,000	.....	Dec.	100	6 pa	Dominion Coal Co. pr..									
		500,000	.....	"	100	.....	Windsor Hotel.....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
38		250,000	.....	"	100	7 pa	Intercolonial Coal Co..	50	28	50	28	50	28	50	28	
80½	142½	1,650,000	.....	June	100	2q	Do. pref. stock.....	100	50	100	50	100	50	100	50	
148	70	2,750,000	.....	"	100	1q	Montreal Cotton Co....	152	145	148	143	148	144½	148	144½	
77½		800,000	.....	"	100	4	Colored Cotton Co.....	80	75	80	75	90	77	90	77	
183	90	3,100,000	.....	June	100	1½q	Merchants Cotton Co..	126	133	137	133	137	133	140	133	
105		500,000	350,000	"	25	3½	Dominion Cotton Co...	104	102½	104½	103½	104½	103	104½	103	
140		814,800	.....	July	50	3	Mont. Loan & Mort Co.									
			.....	"	.....	.....	Western Loan & Tr...									
			.....	"	.....	.....	Flemington Coal Co									
			.....	"	.....	.....	Diamond Glass Co...									

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# NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

MARCH 20, 1900.

Range for Year 1900		Range for Year 1899		Outstanding Capital Stock.	Last Div. P. C.	CLOSING PRICES FROM MAR. 13 TO MAR. 19						TO-DAY'S PRICES			
High.	Low.	High.	Low.			13	14	15	16	17	19	Open's.	Highest	Lowest	Closing
35 1/2	32 1/2	46	30	5,000,000	4										
137 1/2	96 1/2	182	114 1/2	20,237,000	3										
		15 1/2	4	36,968,000											
59 1/2	45 1/2	72	32	27,864,300											
38 1/2	27 1/2	52 1/2	20	21,600,000											
111 1/2	94 1/2	139 1/2	78 1/2	28,000,000	1 1/2										
49 1/2	38 1/2	70	31 1/2	21,000,000											
23 1/2	18 1/2	24 1/2	17 1/2	28,000,000											
69 1/2	58 1/2	68 1/2	50 1/2	120,000,000	1 1/2										
90 1/2	78 1/2	61 1/2	43 1/2	114,199,500	2 1/2										
		2 1/2	2 1/2	25,000,000											
77 1/2	63 1/2	137 1/2	61 1/2	50,000,000											
95 1/2	58 1/2	84 1/2	42 1/2	28,500,000	1 1/2										
99 1/2	95 1/2	99 1/2	84 1/2	29,000,000	2										
50 1/2	48 1/2	70	48 1/2	65,000,000	1										
31 1/2	28 1/2	31 1/2	23 1/2	15,000,000	1										
14 1/2	11 1/2	20 1/2	10 1/2	60,533,400	1										
127 1/2	119 1/2	149 1/2	114 1/2	21,232,500	5										
125 1/2	115 1/2	136 1/2	112 1/2	90,282,900	1 1/2										
111 1/2	104 1/2	122 1/2	99 1/2	46,782,600	2 1/2										
104 1/2	158 1/2	173 1/2	141 1/2	50,000,000	1 1/2										
		194 1/2	186 1/2	39,116,300	3										
		60 1/2	41 1/2	22,396,600	1 1/2										
199 1/2	175 1/2	223 1/2	163 1/2	50,000,000	2 1/2										
38 1/2	28 1/2	65 1/2	20 1/2	39,078,000	2 1/2										
119 1/2	113 1/2	125 1/2	106 1/2	30,000,000	1 1/2										
186 1/2	173 1/2	194 1/2	157 1/2	35,000,000	1 1/2										
73 1/2	66 1/2	80 1/2	63 1/2	28,200,000	1 1/2										
				38,000,000											
13 1/2	11 1/2	16 1/2	10 1/2	112,232,700											
129 1/2	120 1/2	132 1/2	95 1/2	18,276,000											
58 1/2	47 1/2	76 1/2	37 1/2	24,027,300	1 1/2										
57 1/2	48 1/2	75 1/2	39 1/2	46,184,300	1 1/2										
77 1/2	70 1/2	93 1/2	67 1/2	53,253,500	1										
25 1/2	20 1/2	68 1/2	17 1/2	17,442,900											
70 1/2	67 1/2	95 1/2	62 1/2		1 1/2										
		208 1/2	196 1/2	98,277,500											
83 1/2	77 1/2	88 1/2	63 1/2	52,900,000	4										
101 1/2	91 1/2	133 1/2	85 1/2	48,000,000	1										
182 1/2	155 1/2	269 1/2	147 1/2	40,000,000	1 1/2										
34 1/2	31 1/2	45 1/2	28 1/2	13,000,000											
47 1/2	38 1/2	52 1/2	33 1/2	47,507,000	1										
28 1/2	23 1/2	40 1/2	22 1/2	14,905,400	1										
119 1/2	115 1/2	126 1/2	97 1/2	22,519,000	1										
138 1/2	131 1/2	144 1/2	120 1/2	115,000,000	1 1/2										
54 1/2	50 1/2	57 1/2	42 1/2	80,000,000	1										
76 1/2	72 1/2	81 1/2	68 1/2	75,000,000	1										
120 1/2		126 1/2	91 1/2	18,559,153	5										
25 1/2	21 1/2	28 1/2	18 1/2	58,113,900											
47 1/2	35 1/2	55 1/2	35 1/2	20,000,000	1 1/2										
136 1/2	129 1/2	142 1/2	123 1/2	129,303,250	2 1/2										
100 1/2	92 1/2	129 1/2	90 1/2	28,668,800	1 1/2										
58 1/2	48 1/2	61 1/2	43 1/2	12,500,000											
98 1/2	85 1/2	91 1/2	75 1/2	12,500,000	1 1/2										
		207 1/2	156 1/2	54,000,000	1 1/2										
19 1/2	17 1/2	25 1/2	15 1/2	69,900,000											
60 1/2	49 1/2	68 1/2	42 1/2	28,000,000											
40 1/2	35 1/2	44 1/2	27 1/2	108,232,098											
59 1/2	51 1/2	59 1/2	40 1/2	57,290,400	1										
64 1/2	63 1/2	69 1/2		15,010,000	1										
17 1/2	14 1/2	25 1/2	12 1/2	38,710,900											
104 1/2	79 1/2	126 1/2	86 1/2	20,000,000	2										
102 1/2	45 1/2	242 1/2	166 1/2	12,300,000	1 1/2										
51 1/2	44 1/2	51 1/2	38 1/2	86,336,000											
77 1/2	73 1/2	84 1/2	66 1/2	75,000,000	1 1/2										
44 1/2	35 1/2	57 1/2	42 1/2	23,886,000	2										
		121 1/2	111 1/2	23,525,500	2										
19 1/2	10 1/2	40 1/2	5 1/2	61,509,000											
77 1/2	70 1/2	84 1/2	64 1/2	60,909,000	1 1/2										
7 1/2	6 1/2	8 1/2	6 1/2	28,000,000											
21 1/2	19 1/2	25 1/2	19 1/2	24,000,000											
88 1/2	80 1/2	95 1/2	82 1/2	67,370,000	1 1/2										

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

## COTTON:

	Aug.	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May	July.
Opening.....								9.45	9.37
Closing.....								9.37	9.64

# NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

ATCHISON PFD. LEADING STRONG IN LONDON - THIRD AVENUE CONTROLLED NOW BY METROPOLITAN-HOW MET. CAN OPERATE TAV. ECONOMICALLY-NET GAINS 11 POINTS-NOT SAFE TO SELL TAV. SHORT.

New York, March 20.

The London markets are cheerful. All securities are advancing. Americans are decidedly strong under the lead of Atchison pfd.

The opinion in London seems to be growing that the end of the South African war is in sight, and that possibly Lord Wolseley's prediction that Lord Roberts will reach Pretoria will be carried out.

The passage of the Finance Bill has attracted the attention of many people in England to American securities who have hitherto held aloof from them owing to doubts as to the maintenance of the gold standard.

The formal announcement is made this morning that the Met. Co. has acquired a controlling interest in Third Avenue. Hereby the mystery surrounding the recent heavy buying of Third Avenue is explained. The story of Keene corner in the stock is exploded. Of course there are as yet no details as to the methods to be pursued by the Met. in rehabilitating the finances of Third Avenue, but one important point is made, and that is that it will cost very much less money to properly equip the Third Avenue now that the Met. turns up as owner than it would if the Third Avenue had been continued as an independent corporation.

The Met. already has an excess of power and in all probability the building of a new power house will not be necessary. However, the funded and the unfunded debt is so large that it is extremely improbable that any reorganization plan can be formulated which will make the payments of dividends on the stock in the near future possible or even which will obviate the levying of an assessment. The Street will welcome the settlement of the affairs of Third Avenue, as, for past two months they have been the principal disturbing element in the street.

Yesterday's advance in sugar was due to the advance which was made in the refined article. The Street appears to have overlooked the fact that the price of the refined article was advanced, because there was an advance in the raw. The difference in prices between the two articles has not varied.

The weakness of the Steel stocks is due to fears of further labor troubles in the West.

The settlement of the affairs in the Third Avenue may probably result in higher prices today.

## TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, March 19.

Deer Trail-2,500, 11.  
 Montreal-London-1,000, 31¼; 1,000, 31½; 300, 30.  
 Princess Naud-1,000, 7¼.  
 Gold Hills-17,500, 4½; 2,500, 4¼.  
 Gold Hills-1,000, 4¼; 15,000, 4¼.  
 B. C. G. F.-5,000, 3¼.  
 Athabasca-(W.D.) 1,000, 21; 500, 25.  
 Hammond Reef-1,000, 14; 4,000, 14¼.  
 War Eagle-250, 132¼.  
 Jim Blaine-1,000, 17½.  
 Knob Hill-500, 58.  
 Minnichaha-500, 5½.  
 Bathmullen-500, 4.  
 Van Arko-2,000, 4¼.

## STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, March 19.

Gold Hills-500, 4¼.  
 Deer Trail-3,500, 11.  
 Dardanelles-3,000, 3.  
 Republic-1,000, 109½.  
 Athabasca-3,000, 26¼; 3,000, 27.  
 Golden Star-2,500, 18¼; 500, 19.  
 Virtue-1,000, 90.  
 North Belle-1,000, 1¼.  
 Fairview Corp.-1,500, 4.

## ROSSLAND MINING EXCHANGE.

Rosslaad, March 19.

Peoria-4,000, 4¼.  
 Rambler-200, 21.

## MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Feb.....	\$122,509.64	Ino.	\$3,671.62
Mar. 10, 4,474.90.....		Ino.	147.48
" 11, 3,561.54.....		"	480.52
" 12, 5,037.52.....		"	792.12
" 13, 4,381.13.....		"	104.10
" 14, 4,272.31.....		"	407.60
" 15, 4,432.14.....		"	199.66
" 16, 3,929.75.....		"	487.54
" 17, 4,847.68.....		"	685.34

## C. P. R. EARNINGS.

Week ending Mar. 14, 1900.....	\$525,000
" Mar. 14, 1899.....	494,000
Increase.....	\$ 31,000

## CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Mar. 19, 1900.

Capital.	Par Value.		Asked
1,500,000	\$1.00	Acacia.....	.34½
2,500,000	1.00	Battle Mt'n.....	.33½
900,000	1.00	Ben Hur.....	..
		Black Belle.....	.15
1,500,000	1.00	Bob Lee.....	.5½
2,000,000	1.00	Croesus.....	..
2,000,000	1.00	Columb-Victor.....	.19½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. Cons.....	.14½
2,000,000	1.00	O. O. & M.....	.14
1,250,000	1.00	Dante.....	.17½
2,000,000	1.00	Simon.....	.24½
1,250,000	1.00	Elkton.....	..
1,500,000	1.00	Flower.....	.4½
1,250,000	1.00	Findley.....	.20
1,000,000	1.00	Gold Coin.....	..
3,000,000	1.00	Gold Sovereign.....	.13
2,000,000	1.00	Gold Stone.....	..
1,500,000	1.00	Gould.....	.36½
		Hart.....	.19
		Hayden.....	.2½
1,275,000	1.00	Indepen. T. & M.....	..
2,250,000	1.00	Isabella.....	1.27½
500,000	1.00	Ida May.....	..
1,250,000	1.00	Jack Pot.....	..
1,500,000	1.00	Keystone.....	.20½
1,500,000	1.00	Kimberly.....	.9
1,500,000	1.00	Lexington.....	.19½
1,000,000	1.00	Maton.....	.30
800,000	1.00	Mo. Anchor.....	.74½
1,250,000	1.00	Mag. et.....	.4½
1,250,000	1.00	Maria A.....	.5
		Midway.....	..
1,000,000	1.00	Mt'n Beauty.....	.10
1,000,000	1.00	Nugget.....	.18
1,500,000	1.00	New Haven.....	.09
1,250,000	1.00	Oriole.....	.5½
2,000,000	1.00	Papoose.....	.08½
3,000,000	1.00	Portland.....	2.48
1,000,000	1.00	Princess.....	.05½
		Raven.....	.77
1,250,000	1.00	Silver State.....	.02½
2,000,000	1.00	Pinnacle.....	..
1,000,000	1.00	Sacramento.....	..
		Tornado.....	.51
		Union.....	.50
1,500,000	1.00	Work.....	.37
		Zenobia.....	.16½

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## MINING NEWS.

### THE NICKEL SUPPLY.

At the statutory meeting of the Nickel Corporation, Limited, says the London Canadian Gazette, Mr. Whitaker Wright said that: "In regard to the world's supply of nickel, there are only two sources worth mentioning, at the present time, one being the Sudbury mines of Ontario, and the other the mines of New Caledonia. The Sudbury ore containing, as they do, sulphide of iron, nickel, and copper, the process of refining is complicated and expensive; further, the nickel produced is not of the best quality, as it contains traces of antimony and arsenic, which, for nearly all purposes, are very injurious when present in refined nickel. On the other hand, the New Caledonia ores being hydrated silicate of nickel, free from copper, sulphur, or other injurious impurities, the refining is comparatively simple, and the quality of the nickel produced is of an exceedingly high grade, being in the greatest demand for all purposes. I feel justified in expressing the opinion that this corporation can produce nickel of the purest quality at less cost than it can be produced by any other company, and that you will, in the near future, practically control the nickel market."

### PROGRESS OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF LARDEAU MINES PROPERTY.

Rossland, March 11.

Mr. H. O. McClymont, M. E., has just returned from Lexington Creek, a tributary of Fish Creek, where he has been in charge of the operation of the Lardeau Mines, limited. Operations were commenced on these properties about four months since. "The first work done was the construction of a trail from Lexington Creek up the side of Goat Mountain to the Royal Group. As soon as this was done the lead was exploited on the surface in several places, and the No. 1 lead was found to run through the three claims. There are three parallel leads on the property. No. 1 is a silver lead, No. 2 is an iron capped lead, located 25 feet from No. 1 and higher up the mountain than No. 2. After the surface had been explored, a tunnel was started on the Lardeau Queen for the purpose of tapping the ledge at a depth of 55 feet. It is a crosscut tunnel, and is now in 60 feet, the lead being met at 63 feet. The ledge is three feet wide, and is principally iron pyrite and quartz. On the hanging wall there is galena coming in and evidently displacing the iron. Three shafts were put into the floor, and these disclosed the galena. The assays

made of the galena ore shows 64 ounces in silver and \$16 in gold. On the surface of the main ledge assays as high as \$48 were got, which includes \$8 in gold. Mr. McClymont says the leads are strong and well defined. The veins are true fissure ones. In the Chief Joseph, which is located 3,000 feet south of the Lardeau Queen, at a depth of 60 feet, ore that went 1,100 ounces in silver has been obtained. This property is being developed and is likely to be sold to an English syndicate. Mr. McClymont says that as soon as he can get in a new supply of provisions and powder he will resume work on the Royal Group. A number of properties are to be operated in that vicinity in the spring. Eight properties have been purchased outright or are under bond, and all of these are to be operated as soon as the snow goes away. It is a section which has been overlooked, but which is now attracting a great deal of attention.

The Beatrice, which is six miles from the Royal group, has been shipping out its product to the smelter all winter, and is a mine of importance, although it is only partially developed. All the ore so far sent to the smelter from the Beatrice averages about \$120 to the ton.

The snow, Mr. McClymont says, has been from 13 to 14 feet deep on the Royal group, which lies about 6,000 feet above sea level. On the flat there is only about two feet of snow. The depth of the snow makes it difficult to get supplies in. There has been so much mild weather that the snow is soft. The snow slides have already commenced to come down, being a month earlier than usual. There is every indication that the spring will be very early this year and a likelihood of a very busy summer.

### CALIFORNIA.

Rossland, March 11.

California—One car load of the machinery of the 10-drill compressor plant arrived yesterday, and a portion of it was hauled to the property. Another car load is en route, and is expected to come to hand in a few days. The machinery was ordered in September last, and was built to order, and will be one of the most complete plants ever turned out by the Jencks Machine Company. It is thought it will be running in about three weeks from date. It is a compound compressor. The cylinders are 22 inches for the low pressure and 14 inches for the high pressure, and the stroke is 22 inches. It is provided with Corliss air valves, and all the latest improvements for plants of this kind. It is to be driven by a 150 horse-power electric motor furnished by the Canadian General Electric company. This motor has already been installed. There is a 25 horse-power motor, which is to be used to drive the hoist on the way, but it has not yet arrived. When all this machinery starts there will be a large number of men employed on the California, as the intention of the management is to push the development on a comprehensive scale. At present the work is being confined to the tunnel, which is being extended.

### EVENING STAR.

Drifting is in progress on the lower level; in fact 160 feet of drifting has been done since Dec. 18. The showing of ore is increasing. A car load of ore is sent to the smelter each week. This is taken out in the course of the development work. The ore, according to the smelter returns, goes \$24 to the ton. Manager Chamberlain is pleased with the way the mine is developing, and is certain that when more work has been done that it will be capable of producing a large tonnage of pay ore.

### THE CENTER STAR.

Rossland, March 11.

In order to make necessary changes in the machinery, the Center Star was closed down during the past week, but it is expected that work will be resumed again as usual this coming week. Work on the compressor building, which is now roofed in, and on the gallows frame for the hoist has been in progress all week.

### WAR EAGLE.

The War Eagle has been closed down all week. The electrical compressor has been taken apart preparatory to being lightened up, and the hoisting apparatus in the station at the 250-foot level is being overhauled. It is expected that the mine will resume development work during the week.

### THE MOTHER LODE.

The British Columbia Copper Company, who are the owners of the Mother Lode Mine, in Deadwood Camp, Greenwood, and the development of whose property has been so great that it required the installation of a larger plant for handling their immense ore bodies, have just signed a contract in New York with the James Cooper Manufacturing Company, of Montreal, for a complete Ingersoll-Sergeant equipment, consisting of a Cross compound steam, compound air, Corliss air compressor; the high and low pressure steam cylinders being 22 inch and 40 inch diameter respectively, the air cylinders to be of the piston inlet type, high and low pressure, 19 1/4 inch and 32 1/4 inch respectively and 48 inch stroke, the machine to have a capacity of 40 drills. The boilers consist of two of the horizontal iron tubular type, each 100 horse-power for 125 pounds working pressure; also sufficient Ingersoll-Sergeant drills, with all necessary mountings and fittings.

This is the largest plant that has yet gone into the Boundary country, and in point of size is second to none now in operation in Canada.

A great deal of interest has been centered in the placing of this order owing to the keen competition of a large number of Canadian and American engineering firms, and the various reports that have been circulated from time to time as to who had been successful in securing this large order.

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NAME.	Trading Prices.		Par Value.	Capital.	Divid- d'nd	When Payable	Description.	LOCATION.
	Ask'd.	Bid.						
B. C. Gold Fields	4	3	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	Gold.	Trail Creek, B. C.
Big Three	0	8½	1 00	3,500,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Deer Park	5	.....	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Grand Prize	3	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Gold Hills	6	4½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Homestake	4	8½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do,	do
Iron Colt	12½	.....	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.	6½	6	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
California	10	8½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Evening Star	10	7½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Mask	75	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Monte Christo	4½	3	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields	9½	8	25	800,000	.....	.....	do	do
Novelty	2	1	1	150,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virginia	6	2	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
War Eagle xd	1 40	1 27½	1 00	1,750,000	1½	2½ paid.	do	do
Dardanelles	4	2	1 00	100,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.O.
Fern	6	2	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	Nelson, B.O.
Noble Five	12	6	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo	25	15	1 00	1,250,000	.....	Monthly	Gold.	Slocan, B.O.
Slocan Sovereign	35	31½	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London xd	31	29	24	452,000	1½%	Monthly.	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.O.
Cariboo McKinney	98	.....	1 00	800,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.O.
Fontenoy	.....	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Minnehaha	15	12	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Waterloo	14	13	10	100,000	.....	.....	do	do
Knob Hill	55	48	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	Boundary, B.O.
Old Ironsides	75	65	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Pay Ore	8	.....	10	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Noro)	.....	27½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Rathmullen	5	3½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown	26½	14	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Alice A.	12	9	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	Seine River, Ont.
Olive	75	69	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
J. O. 41	4	2	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Decca	6½	6	1 00	975,000	.....	.....	do	do
Golden Star	21	18	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	do
Republic xd	1 10	1 09	1 00	3,500,000	1pc	cnthly.	do	Republic.
Jim Blaine	36	31	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Lone Pine	25	20	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Black Tail	17	13	1 0	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Deer Trail Con. xd	11½	11	1 00	2,000,000	½pc	Monthly.	do	Spokane, Wash
Princess Maud	11	7½	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Republic
Smuggler	3½	8½	1 0	1,200,000	.....	.....	do	Fairview Camp, B.O.
Virtue	99	99	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	Baker, Ore.]
Payne	1 32½	1 29	1 00	3,000,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Sando, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	34 00	33 00	25 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass,
Cariboo-Hydraulic	.....	95	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.	122½	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do do do	101½	1925.....	" "
7,050,000	3	" "	do do do	100	Permanent.....	" "
136,700	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbour Bonds Currency...	113	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	" "
874,260	4	" "	Toronto City do do	111 - 120	.....	Lloyds, Banets & Bosanquet.
22,500	6	" "	do do do	101-106	1904, 1894.....	" "
940,000	5	.....	Auer Light.....	100	.....	.....
.....	6	April Oct.	Bell Telephone.....	115	1925.....	Bank of Montreal.
.....	6	May Nov.	Canada Central R'y.....	.....	1932 1st Nov.....	" "
2,000,000	6	2nd April Oct.	Canada Colored Cotton Mills.....	100	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	.....	" "
{ 20,000,000	4	Ja:Ap:Ju:Oc	Commercial Cable Coupons. }.....	103½	.397	.....
.....	.....	do do	do Registered. }	.....	.....	.....
£300,000	4½	Jan. July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st Jan.	.....
600,000	5	1st Jan. July	Halifax Electric Tramway.....	105	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 Jc.	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.....	.....	1922 1st Aug	.....
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	Peoples Heat & Light.....	85	1917 April.....	Merchants Bank of Halifax.
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Richelieu & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	.....
874,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric.....	.....	.....	.....
2,799,933	4½	M h Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	.....
450,000	4½	1st Jan. July	Windsor Hotel.....	100	1912.....	Bank of Montreal.
.....	.....	.....	Dom. Coal Bonds.....	110½	.....	.....

\* 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—March 20, 1900.

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

WHEAT CLOSED AT THE HIGHEST AND STRONG—CORN STEADY—PROVISIONS SOLD AT THE HIGHEST TODAY ON COVERING BY SHORTS BUT CLOSED NEARLY AT THE LOWEST.

Chicago, March 20.

Liverpool wheat opened 1/2 lower. Corn 1/4 lower.

Paris wheat 5 lower. Flour 15 lower. Opening May, 5, 9%; July 5, 9%. Closing May 5, 9%; July 5, 9.

New York opened same as last night's closing and is now 1/4 lower.

Chicago wheat opened weak at last night's closing and sold down to 66 1/2 steady at that price.

Barrett & Schwartz Dupee buying wheat scalpers selling.

Would sell wheat on any advance. Think it will go lower before it would do to buy.

Corn opened 1/2 lower, and sold at 37 1/2. Good buying now. Would buy corn on little weak spot.

Provisions opened quiet at 11.40 and inside of 10 minutes sold at 11.90 only to fall back to 11.85. The rise was caused by shorts covering.

Hogstoday 24,000; tomorrow 29, 000.

N. W. cars—Minn. 276; Duluth, 440.

Last week, 932. Last year, 363.

Car lots—Wheat estimates, 55; receipts, 62; Cont. 2. Wheat shipments, 1,332 winter; shipments, 104,865 spring.

Corn estimates, 600; receipts, 603; contract 17; shipments, 186,630; oats, estimates, 300; receipts, 315; contracts, 46; shipments, 19,468.

Primary receipts—Last week, receipts 684,080; shipments, 242,428. Last year, receipts 422,224; shipments, 206,642; Four ports, last year, receipts 347,807; shipments, 198,977. Exports flour last year, 20,887 barrels.

### TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Month of Feb.....	\$104,753.50	Inc.	\$12,221.93
Mar 8,	4,190.11.....	"	990.88
" 9,	4,334.14.....	"	987.89
" 10,	4,757.63.....	"	863.83
" 11,	1,603.73.....	"	278.14
" 12,	3,907.14.....	"	654.67
" 13,	3,938.92.....	"	570.02
" 14,	3,788.12.....	"	405.84
" 15,	3,921.04.....	"	360.91

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# PATENTS AND TRADE MARKS.

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	CLOSING PRICES MAR. 14 TO MAR. 19.					TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	14	15	16	17	19	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing
Wheat—									
Feb.....									
May.....	66 1/2 A	66 1/2 B	67 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2-1/2 A	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2 B
July.....	67 1/2 A	67 1/2 B	67 1/2-68 A	68	67 1/2-1/2 A	67 1/2	67 1/2	67	67 1/2 B
Corn—									
Feb.....									
May.....	37 1/2-1/2 A	34 1/2-1/2 A	37 1/2 B	37 1/2	37 1/2 B	37 1/2	37 1/2-1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2 A
July.....	37 1/2 B	37 1/2 B	37 1/2 B	37 1/2	37 1/2-38 A	37 1/2-1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2-1/2	37 1/2 A
Oats—									
Feb.....									
May.....	23 1/2 B	23 1/2 A	23 1/2-24	23 1/2	24-1/2 A	24-1/2	24-1/2	24	24
July.....	22 1/2	22 1/2-1/2	22 1/2-1/2 B	22 1/2	22 1/2-23	23	23	22 1/2	22 1/2-23
Pork—									
Feb.....									
May.....	11 02 A	10 97	11 15	11 30	11 42	11 40-2	11 90	11 32	11 40
July.....	10 97	10 95 A	11 07-10	11 25	11 27	11 22-5	11 35	11 12	10 15 A
Lard—									
March.....									
May.....	6 02 A	6 00-026	05-7 B	6 12	6 12 B	6 12	6 12	6 02-5	6 05 A
July.....	6 10	6 07-10	6 15	6 22	6 20 B	6 20	6 22	6 12	6 12 B
Sht ribs—									
Feb.....									
May.....	6 00-2 B	6 00-02	6 07 A	6 15	6 15-17	6 15-17	6 15-17	6 07-10	6 10 A
July.....	6 02 B	6 02	6 07-10	6 17	6 17-20	6 17	6 17-20	6 10-12	6 12

### TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares. Par Value	CAPITAL.		Div. per cent.	Buyers
		Paid up.	Rest as per Last Statement.		
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>					
British America.....	50	\$ 750,000	\$ 79,381	3 1/2	117
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	†296,743	5	158 1/2
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	.....	10	535
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	.....	7 1/2	277 1/2
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	.....	146 1/2
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	.....	2 1/2 qr	210 1/2
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 1/2	133 1/2
" " " " New.....	.....	240,000	.....	1 1/2	133
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	176
" " " " 20 p.c.....	100	300,000	.....	3	106
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000	1	80
<b>LOAN and SAVINGS CO.</b>					
British Canadian Ln & Invest. Co.....	100	398,481	120,000	3	.....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	100,000	1	38
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,004,000	350,000	3	80
Canada Permanent Ln. & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	126 1/2
" " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	600,000	.....	.....	126
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	113 1/2
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	360,000	1 1/2 qr	134
" " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	325,000	.....	.....	128
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	930,627	10,000	2 1/2	75
Freehold " " " " 20 per cent.....	100	476,100	300,000	3	85
" " " " " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	843,000	.....	.....	.....
Hamilton Provident & Inv't Soc.....	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	110
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	750,000	4 1/2	177
" " " " " " " " 20 per cent.....	.....	400,000	.....	4 1/2	168
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 1/2 qr	54 1/2
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	82,000	3	106
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	100,000	3	87
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 & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3 1/2	121
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	598,429	40,000	.....	25
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	62
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	600,000	105,000	3	126
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,020	200,000	1	38
Western Canada " " " " 25 per cent.....	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	.....
" " " " " " " " 25 per cent.....	.....	500,000	.....	3	90

\* After deducting \$511,982 for reinsurance. † After deducting \$792,049 for reinsurance. ‡ Tax rights. This List is compiled from the fortnightly circular issued by the Secretary Toronto Stock Exchange.