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## Montreal Stock Market.

VERY SATISFACTORY SESSIONS — C. P. R. THE LEADER AND WITH 1 POINT ADVANCE — IN OTHERS LESS BUSINESS BUT HIGHER PRICES — CONSOLS AND CABLES GENERALLY FAVORABLE.

Montreal, Oct. 4.

Today the market has shown considerable rallying power. Facts political and financial remain as before, but today are not having the same influence as was evident yesterday in sharp recessions. Declines yesterday were very decided and are naturally followed by partial reaction today. There were some good advances this forenoon on buying orders caused by low prices yesterday. The reception of the buyers effecting higher values will probably disappoint others who wished to take hold of some good security while on the market at tempting prices, and it will gratify most people to perceive recuperative power in the advanced values. It must assure them also of latent strength in the business situation stringent though money is. Falling markets are apt to breed distrust, while steady or rising markets breed confidence everywhere. Cable quotations gave the keynote for today's trading. Every transaction from the one share of Quebec Bank up to the 1400 shares of Canadian Pacific has an advance to record. There were thirteen stocks marketed and all higher a point or two.

The transportation stocks were all up 1 or 2 points. Offer of \$9 $\frac{1}{2}$  was made for Canadian Pacific and was met by demand for \$9 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Twin City demand was 62 against an offer of 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Price 110 was also offered for more of Richelieu & Ontario, but 111 was the price demanded. An offer 112 $\frac{1}{2}$  made for more of Toronto Ry. stock did not come up to the actual selling price and was 1 below 113, the money asked.

In the mining stock War Eagle's advance was far ahead of advances in Payne and Republic; Republic rose 1 point. Payne gained 2, while War Eagle forged ahead almost 10 points. Closing offer for War Eagle was, however, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  points higher than

the lowest actual price in forenoon and the demand being the same as the selling price did not argue much for succeeding advance. Call price for Payne 118 and put 116. Republic demand was 119 and offer 117 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Royal Electric, in a deal of 50 shares at 161, has already got above the 160 with which the new distribution started and will go higher. That this security has held its own so well during the recent declines speaks volumes for the favorable impression it has made upon operators and investors, and better conditions will witness a decided advance in Royal Electric. Gas sold two points higher and from 194 and 192 $\frac{1}{2}$ , the demand and offer were likely to seek higher level when next on the market. Bell Telephone, Quebec Bank, Merchants' Bank and Bank of Commerce were the other stocks transferred in this morning's session.

### MORNING SALES

Can. Pac.—925, 88 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 75, 88 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 25, 89  
350, 89 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
Twin City — 250, 60, 200, 60 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 25, 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
R. & O.—25, 108, 25, 109.  
Tor. Ry.—100, 112 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 5, 112 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
War Eagle x-d—500, 307, 2000, 305, 300,  
305.  
Payne x-d—2000, 115.  
Roy. Elec.—50, 161.  
Mo. Gas.—26, 192, 25, 193.  
Republic—100, 118.  
Bell Tel. x-d—4, 190.  
Quebec Bank—1, 128 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
Merchants Bank—8, 161 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
B. of Com.—3, 150.

### AFTERNOON SALES.

Can. Pac.—100, 89 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
Roy. Elec. x-d—75, 160, 50, 161 25, 161 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
Mo. St. Ry.—5, 310, 25, 310 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 50, 311,  
25, 312, 100, 314.  
Tor. Ry.—25, 113.  
War Eagle x-d—1000, 301.  
Electric (new stock)—21, 152, 18, 160.  
Rich. & Ont.—25, 110.  
Halifax Ry.—25, 102.  
Bell Tel. Bds.—\$15,000, 115.  
Mols. Bank—15, 207.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's return of traffic earnings, from September 21st to September 30th:

1898	.....	\$852,000
1899	.....	757,000
Increase .....		\$ 95,000

## Answers To Correspondence.

As we have special facilities for obtaining correct information on all matter pertaining to the value of stocks, we shall be pleased at all times to give our subscribers the benefit of same.

All correspondence must be accompanied with the name and address of the writer, as only enquiries from bona fide subscribers will be answered.

J. P. H., Knowlton.—In the camp you mention there are splendid propositions. The two properties mentioned might be good, but this will depend on development. They are said to possess the veins of Ironside and Knob Hill. So far little has been done on them.

L. N. B., Berlin, N.Y.—The company you mention is not sufficiently advanced to express an opinion on. Will keep your letter in view and will send you first quotations made. The mine is Silver-Lead, low-grade, in the Ainsworth Camp. It is now closed. Head office in Spokane

F. K., Quebec.—The price of all the shares you mention is affected by the war and money questions. We link the present prices largely discount both. Money will not be easy again this mont'. We agree with the latter part of yr letter.

## STREET RAILWAY EARNINGS.

Gross earnings of the Montreal Street Railway during the year ending September 30 are quoted at \$1,616,000, an increase of \$190,000 over the previous year. Of the earnings the city of Montreal received \$70,608.57, the agreement being that the company pays 4 per cent. on its earnings up to \$1,000,000, after that 6 per cent. up to \$1,500,000. This is for earnings inside the city limits, the matter of paying a percentage on the earnings outside of the corporate limits being still under dispute, and, of course, is not included in the foregoing sum. The annual meeting, which was scheduled for November 1, will be held on the following day. All Saints Day being a holiday. The company reports having put a gang of men at work on the Côte des Neiges line which will be continued to the city limits of that road.

## MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

TENDENCY GENERALLY UPWARD — DIVIDEND PAYERS FIRMER — LIQUIDATION CEASES.

Montreal, Oct. 4

For the present the selling movement seems to be over, no doubt it is true that the extensive liquidation has greatly strengthened the market's position and made it much less sensitive to attack. A great many stocks have been withdrawn largely from weak holders and have passed into the hands of interests who are in a much better position to resist any bear aggression. These interests are prepared now to hold their stocks until the natural conditions are permitted to assert themselves.

Such conditions seem to be approaching realization. The substantial stocks are showing some disposition to resume the advance movement, and are considerably firmer than they have been for some time past. For instance 117 was freely offered for Republic without calling out any stock, whereas yesterday it sold repeatedly for 115. A broken lot of 100 shares sold at 117.

There was also a sale of Old Ironsides at 112 during the early part of the session, towards the close sellers were asking 116. War Eagle was offered at 312, and Payne at 119, but in neither case were there any sales made. Of all the Slocan stocks Payne has been the one the least affected by the labor strike and is today continuing development work.

There were sales recorded in Monte Christo to the amount of 2500 shares, 500 of which sold at 5 and the remaining 2000 at 4½. Rathmullen also was fairly strong, selling at 9; 8½ was repeatedly offered for more without causing any response.

The first sales of this month in Golden Star were recorded this morning, 2000 selling at 38½, in this case "Star" also enjoyed the better feeling, and the inclination to trade was more pronounced.

Buyers for Slocan Sovereign were fairly numerous and the price stiffened in consequence, although it hardly came up to the expectations of sellers.

In other respects the market was steady without revealing any special features.

## MORNING SALES.

Old Ironsides—500, 112.  
Rathmullen—500, 9.  
Republic—100, 117.  
Monte Christo—500, 5 2000, 4½  
Golden Star—2000, 38½.

## AFTERNOON SALES.

Knob Hill—2000, 30.  
Virtue—1000, 43.  
Montreal Gold Fields—1000, 14½.  
King—2000, 20½.  
Big Three—500, 15.

## STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Oct. 3.

## SALES :

Alice A.—500, 9½.  
Empress—500, 4.  
Rathmullen—2000, 8½.  
Van Anda—7000, 8.  
Gold Hills—5000, 6½.  
White Bear—5000, 3½.  
B. C. G. Fields—2000, 3½.  
North. Belle—2000, 24.  
Winnipeg—2500, 30½.  
Minchaffa—500, 16.

## MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

Reported by W. L. Fenwick, Exchange Court, 10 Hospital Street Bell Tel. Main 2055, Bell Tel. Up 1867.

	Asked. Bid.	Asked. Bid.	Asked. Bid.	Asked. Bid.
	Sept 29.	Oct. 2.	Oct. 3.	Oct. 4.
\$1.00 Payne xd.....	1.18½ 1.17½	1.14	1.10	1.10
1.00 War Eagle xd .....	3.18 3.00	3.05 2.96	3.20 3.00	3.15 3.00
1.00 Republic x d.....	1.18½ 1.15½	1.15½	1.18	1.18
1.00 Virtue.....	.45 .44	.44	.44	.40
.24 Montreal-London x d....	.65 .51½	.63	.51	.50
1.00 Big Three.....	.18½ .17	.17	.16	.16
1.00 Brandon & Gold'n Crown	.29 .21	.30	.28	.26
1.00 California .....	.13½ .13	.13	.12½	.12
.10 Canada Gold Fields Syn.	.09½ .08	.08	.07	.08
5.00 Cariboo Hydraulie.....	1.40 ...	1.45	1.35	1.35
1.00 Evening Star.....	.11 .08½	.11	.10	.09
.25 Fern.....	.28 .09	.15	.14	.15
1.00 Gold Hills Developing .....	.07 .06	.07	.06	.07
1.00 Iron Cott .....	.09 .05	.09	.09	.05
1.00 Knob Hill .....	.05 ...	.05	.05	.05
1.00 Monte Christo Con.....	.16 .04½	.05½	.04½	.04½
.25 Montreal Gold Fields....	.15 .13	.15½	.14	.14
1.00 Noble Five.....	.26 .16	.26	.19	.18
.10 Novelty .....	.04 .03	.04	.03	.04
1.00 Old Ironsides.....	1.15 1.1	1.15	1.15	1.10
1.00 Virginia.....	.12½ .09	.09½	.10½	.09
1.00 Ramble Cariboo.....	.48 .46	.49	.45	.46
1.00 Bullion.....	.06 .05	.06	.05	.05
1.00 Decca.....	.28 .19	.26	.21	.20
1.00 Morrison .....	.17 .14	.17	.15½	.17
1.00 Golden Star .....	.34 .37	.40	.32	.34
1.00 Slocan Sov .....	.39½ .39	.40	.38	.36
1.00 Fontenoy G. M. Co.....	... ...	.18	.12	.18
1.00 Rathmullen.....	.09 .07	.09	.10	.09
1.00 Winnipeg.....	... ...	.27½	.31	.27
1.00 Dardanelles.....	.13 .11	.15	.12	.13
1.00 Deer Trail No. 2 .....	.23 .22	.22	.21	.22

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# MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

## CLOSING PRICES.

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

No session on Saturdays until September.

CAP. PAID-UP.	Res.	Next div. pbl.	Value share.	Last h-y. div.	Stocks.	Sept. 27		Sept. 28		Sept. 29		Oct. 2.		Oct. 3.		Oct. 4.	
						Sellers.	Buyers.										
<b>BANKS.</b>																	
12,000,000	6,000,000	Dec.	200	5	Bank of Montreal .....	....	235	....	235	....	235	....	235	....	235	....	235
6,000,000	2,600,000	"	100	3½	Merchants B'k of Can.	172	171	172	170	172	172	172	172	172	172	172	
6,000,000	1,000,000	"	50	3½	Canadian B'k of Com.	161	150	151	150	151	150	151	150	151	152	152	
4,500,000	1,460,000	Oct.	50	2½	British North America.	....	....	....	124	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2,500,000	700,000	Dec.	100	3	Quebec Bank .....	....	128	....	128	....	128	....	128	....	128	....	
2,000,000	1,800,000	"	100	5	Bank of Toronto .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
2,000,000	1,600,000	Oct.	50	*½	Melville's Bank .....	225	....	....	....	225	....	....	....	....	225	205	
2,000,000	1,300,000	Dec.	100	*½	Imperial Bank .....	....	....	225	....	....	....	....	....	....	221	217	
1,500,000	1,170,000	"	100	4	Ottawa .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1,000,000	600,000	"	50	4	Standard .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1,020,400	1,669,850	"	100	4	Bank of Nova Scotia .....	220	....	218	....	220	....	220	....	220	....	220	
1,732,350	1,423,262	"	100	3½	Merch'ts B'k of Halifax .....	....	180	....	180	....	180	....	180	....	180		
2,000,000	450,000	"	50	3	Union Bank of Canada .....	117	114	120	....	120	....	118	....	116	....	116	
1,500,000	1,500,000	Au.	50	3½	Dominion Bank .....	....	....	....	115	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1,500,000	850,000	Dec.	50	3½	Eastern Town-lights Bk .....	....	165	....	165	....	165	....	165	....	165		
1,495,550	1,000,000	Aug.	100	4	Hamilton .....	....	....	193	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1,246,000	160,000	Nov.	30	3	Banque National .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1,250,000	685,000	Dec.	100	3½	Hochelaga Bank .....	152	....	....	....	150	....	150	135	150	150		
1,000,000	110,000	"	100	2½	Ontario Bank .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
357,739	118,000	"	100	3½	Western B'k of Can .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
500,000	205,000	"	25	3	Jacques Cartier Bank .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
470,620	10,000	"	100	3	Banque Ville Marie .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
610,000	690,000	"	....	6	Bank of New Brunswick .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
150,000	140,000	"	....	4	People's B'k do .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
200,000	45,000	"	....	2½	St. Stephen's B'k .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
2,819,898	486,668	"	....	2½	B'k of British Columbia .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
45,660	13,000	"	....	3½	Summerside Bank .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
290,020	85,000	"	....	4	Merchants B'k of P.E.I. ....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	

## MISCELLANEOUS

65,000,000	Oct.	\$100	2	Canadian Pacific Ry....	91½	91½	91½	91½	90	89½	88	87½	87½	87½	88	89½	
12,000,000	"	100	....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic .....	6½	4½	5½	4½	5½	4	5½	5½	5½	5½	5½	4½	
10,000,000	"	100	....	Duluth SS. & Atlantic pr.	15	13½	15	13½	15	13½	15	15	15	15	15	15	
10,000,000	2,603,329	Oct.	100	1½	Commercial Cable .....	183	180	183	181	185	179	181	176	181	177	185	179
2,000,000	"	40	2½	Montreal Telegraph .....	175	173	173	170	173	171	175	171	175	170	175	173	173
1,350,000	"	100	3	Richl. & Ont. Nav. Co. .....	112½	111	114	111½	112	110	110	109	112	108	110	109	109
4,600,000	334,547	Aug.	50	2½	Montreal Street Ry Co. ....	311½	310½	310	310½	310	303	303	303	310	309	314½	313
15,010,000	"	....	1	Twin City .....	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½	6½
2,997,704	Oct.	49	5	Montreal Gas Co. ....	200½	189½	200	199½	194½	193½	182	191	193	191	195	193½	193
1,750,000	"	....	1	War Eagle .....	317	315	320	318	311	308	304	303	308	303½	304	303	
452,000	"	....	1	Mont. & London M.C. ....	60	....	57	56½	54½	53½	54	52	55	50	55	50	
1,250,000	"	....	1	Cariboo Min. M. & S. Co. ....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
2,200,000	"	1,600	1m	Payne Mining Co. ....	122	120	121	119	122	119½	117	115½	115	114	120	115	
3,168,000	910,000	Oct.	100	2½	Bell Telephone Co. ....	194	193½	200	192½	195	193	195	189	195	189	189	
1,300,000	"	100	2½	Royal Electric .....	194	192½	193	192	160	189½	154	153	160	159½	163	161½	
6,100,000	814,254	"	100	1½	Toronto Street Ry .....	114½	114	113½	113½	113½	113	112	112	112	113	113	
800,000	"	100	1½	Halifax Tram Co. ....	102½	....	100	100	99	102	99	102	101	103	102		
100,000	"	....	....	Cornwall Street Ry .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
700,000	"	....	....	People's Heat & Light. Republic .....	....	12	27	20	....	....	27	20	27	27	20		
3,200,000	Sept.	100	1m	....	12½	12	12½	12½	119	118½	118	117½	118	117	116		
3,000,000	Sept.	100	1½	St. John Railway Co. ....	150	....	150	....	150	....	150	....	150	....	150		
3,200,000	Oct.	40	2½	London Street Ry .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
6,642,027	"	....	....	Can. N. W. Land Pd. ....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1,467,084	"	....	....	Com. ....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
15,000,000	"	100	....	Dominion Coal Co. ....	52	50	63	48	....	....	63	....	53	51	50	49	
2,000,000	"	100	4	Dominion Coal Co. pr. ....	120	115	....	....	....	....	120	116	120	116	....	....	
3,000,000	Dec.	100	0 pa	Windsor Hotel .....	165	....	....	....	165	....	....	....	....	....	....	165	
3,000,000	"	100	....	Intercolonial Coal Co. ....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
2,500,000	"	100	7 pa	Do. pref. stock .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
1,031,000	Sept.	100	2½	Montreal Cotton Co. ....	150	142½	150	142½	148	....	150	140	141	139½	150	140	
2,774,1980	"	100	1½	Colored Cotton Co. ....	89	75	80	75	89	75	76	75	....	70	76	70	
801,000	Aug.	100	1½	Merchants Cotton Co. ....	138	....	....	....	138	....	138	....	138	....	138	....	
3,000,000	Sept.	100	1½	Dominion Cotton Co. ....	107	101	107	102	102	....	102	99½	105	100½	107	100	
3,000,000	"	350,000	3½	Mont. Loan & Mort. Co. ....	106	....	....	....	106	....	106	....	106	....	106		
813,500	Oct.	59	3½	Western Loan & Tr. ....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	

\* And 1 p. c. bonus per annum

# NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

OCT. 4, 1899.

Range for Year 1899.	Outstanding	Last Div. P. C.	CLOSING PRICES FROM SEPT. 25 TO OCT. 3						TO-DAY'S PRICES			
			25	26	27	28	2	3	Open's	Highest	Lowest	Clos
230	112	5,000,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
454	33	20,237,000	3	Am. Cotton Oil Co.	44	43	44	43	42	42	.....	.....
162	123	30,068,000	3	" Sugar	142	141	144	143	137	139	140	142
154	5	27,504,000	.....	Spirits Mfg. Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
72	38	21,600,000	.....	" S. W. Co.	50	50	49	49	49	47	48	49
52	33	26,000,000	.....	" Tin Plate	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
229	84	21,000,000	14	" Tobacco	119	117	119	119	117	118	117	119
65	37	28,000,000	.....	Anaconda Copper	51	50	52	52	49	48	49	49
24	17	124,000,000	.....	Atch. T. & S. Fe.	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
69	50	114,192,500	1	" pfd	61	62	62	62	61	61	62	62
74	60	25,000,000	2	Baltimore & Ohio	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	50,000,000	.....	Bay State Gas	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
137	75	29,500,000	.....	Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	89	89	92	91	88	89	90	90
63	42	28,000,000	14	O.O. & St. L.	56	55	55	55	55	53	53	53
99	84	63,000,000	2	Canadian Pacific	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70	50	15,000,000	1	Canada Southern	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
31	23	60,533,400	.....	Chesapeake & Ohio	77	75	76	75	74	74	74	74
20	13	21,232,500	.....	Chicago & Great Western	14	13	14	14	14	14	14	14
149	124	30,282,000	14	" B. & Q.	129	128	130	129	128	128	129	129
138	120	46,732,000	24	" Mill. & St. P.	126	120	126	126	122	123	123	123
122	107	50,000,000	14	" R. I. & Pacific	112	112	113	112	110	111	111	112
173	141	39,116,300	24	" & Northwest	107	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	105
194	188	22,398,500	14	" pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
60	41	65,370,000	.....	Central Pacific	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
223	163	39,078,000	24	Consolidated Gas	167	186	187	187	186	186	191	186
65	36	39,000,000	.....	Continental Tobacco	42	42	42	42	41	40	41	41
125	100	35,000,000	14	Delaware & Hudson	122	122	123	123	121	121	122	122
190	157	26,200,000	14	Del. Lack. & Western	187	185	187	187	187	187	188	188
80	68	138,000,000	.....	Denver & Rio Grand pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	188	188
.....	.....	.....	.....	Duluth com	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	" pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
164	124	112,232,700	.....	Erie	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
125	96	18,276,000	.....	General Electric	122	121	120	119	117	117	117	117
78	58	24,027,300	14	Glucose	62	61	61	61	61	60	60	60
75	46	46,184,300	14	Fed. Steel Com	53	52	53	53	51	52	53	53
93	72	53,253,500	1	" pfd	78	77	78	78	77	77	77	77
68	27	.....	Internat. Paper Co., Com.	28	28	28	28	27	27	27	27	
95	75	.....	" " Pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
209	194	29,277,500	.....	Lake Shore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
83	63	52,500,000	3	Louisville & Nashville	78	77	77	77	76	76	78	78
133	97	48,000,000	1	Manhattan com	108	107	108	108	107	107	108	108
269	187	40,000,000	14	Met. Street Ry. Co.	198	197	199	196	195	194	195	195
45	30	13,000,000	.....	Missouri, Kan. & Tex pfd	39	38	39	39	38	38	39	39
52	38	47,507,000	1	" Pacific	44	44	44	44	43	45	44	44
40	28	14,905,100	1	Nat. Lead	.....	28	29	29	28	28	28	28
122	97	22,519,000	1	New Jersey Central	119	118	119	119	120	119	119	119
144	101	100,000,000	1	New York Central	134	134	135	134	133	132	133	133
57	42	80,000,000	1	Northern Pacific	62	52	52	52	50	50	51	51
81	70	75,000,000	1	" pfd	75	74	74	75	73	73	74	74
126	91	18,559,153	.....	Omaha	124	124	123	123	123	123	123	123
28	13	54,113,900	.....	Ontario & Western	23	24	25	25	24	24	24	24
55	40	20,000,000	14	Pacific Mail	41	40	41	40	40	39	40	39
142	124	129,303,250	24	Pennsylvania R. R.	131	131	131	131	130	131	131	131
129	101	23,664,600	14	P. O. Gas L. & Coke Co.	109	110	110	110	108	108	108	108
60	.....	12,500,000	.....	Pressed Steel	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
87	.....	12,500,000	14	" pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
164	156	54,000,000	14	Pullman Palace Car Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	19	69,900,000	.....	Reading	.....	21	21	21	21	21	21	21
68	51	29,000,000	.....	" pfd	57	57	58	58	57	57	57	57
44	27	108,232,000	.....	Southern Pacific	37	36	37	37	36	37	37	37
55	40	57,290,400	1	Southern Railroad pfd	51	51	52	52	50	50	51	50
69	.....	15,010,000	1	Twin City	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	60	62
25	17	34,710,900	.....	Texac Pacific	19	19	19	19	18	18	18	18
126	38	20,000,000	1	Tenn. Coal & Iron	115	114	112	112	111	111	115	115
242	166	12,000,000	14	Third Avenue R. R.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
50	29	86,336,000	.....	Union Pacific	44	43	44	44	42	42	42	42
64	72	75,000,000	14	" pfd	76	76	76	76	75	76	76	76
57	42	23,606,000	2	U. S. Rubber	48	.....	47	47	46	46	46	46
121	111	23,520,500	2	" pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	51	61,609,000	14	U. S. Leather	14	13	14	14	13	13	14	13
60	60	60,909,000	14	" pfd	78	78	79	78	77	77	76	77
8	74	28,000,000	.....	Wabash	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	19	24,000,000	.....	" pfd	.....	21	21	21	21	21	21	21
89	87	97,370,000	.....	W. U. Telegraph	87	87	88	87	87	88	88	87

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

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## COTTON :

Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May
Opening.....	.85	6.99	7.03	7.10	7.10	7.21	7.21
Closing .....	.....	7.06	7.12	7.20	7.20	7.25	7.25

# NEW YORK EXCHANGE.

MONEY DOWN TO 3 P.C. THIS AFTERNOON — SUGAR ADVANCES TOWARDS CLOSE — TOBACCO AND B.R. T. ACTIVE — BETTER FEELING IN MARKET.

New York, Oct. 4.

Early quotations from London show considerable irregularity, fluctuations ranging from  $\frac{1}{4}$  advance to  $\frac{1}{2}$  decline. Later advices, however, state that the markets are gaining strength, and Americans are well up to New York parity.

Consols both money and account show an advance of  $\frac{1}{4}$ .

This is thought to reflect the possibility of a peaceful settlement in the Transvaal, and cable advices from the other side state that President Kruger has made a speech declaring himself distinctly in favor of peace, and stating that he will do all in his power to prevent war.

London was only a moderate seller in our market yesterday, 15,000 shares would probably cover their total sales.

Although the money market continues to be the all absorbing factor, our market yesterday was distinctly strong in face of the tightest money market we have seen yet.

Money on call loaned as high as 10½ p.c. and it may be stated that average rate was round 20. In the face of all this, prices were steady, and in some cases distinctly strong.

One of the features of the market was the buying of some 40 or 50,000 shares by a prominent commission house with strong connections.

On the other hand there was a good deal of short covering and brokers generally supposed to do business for a large outside operator who has recently been very bearish returned a good many stocks in last night's loan crowd.

As long as present conditions prevail, there seems to be no immediate prospect of a let-up in the money stringency, the stock will continue to be dull and there seems to be little chance of any improvement in prices.

## THE FORD FRANCHISE LAW.

The Ford Franchise Tax Law, which has been hanging over U. S. Traction Roads, has been reported on by Mr. J. Newton Fiero, and has been adopted by the State Tax Commission. All corporations will be required to fill into blank forms information regarding their financial condition and their earning power. The earning capacity of the property as an investment and the probable and natural cost of its reproduction will determine the value of the assets. Not the share stock nor the amount of bonded indebtedness. Mr. Fiero makes the point that the "special franchise" subject to taxation is — the right, authority or permission to construct, maintain and operate certain mechanical devices, in, under, above, upon or through the streets, highways, or public places." A large revenue will result from the operation of the new law, but less than half what was counted on, owing to the fact that companies are now paying large amounts of taxes annually and cannot under existing laws be put under the full operation of the new law. This new law will be far from the liking of local corporations, notably traction and gas companies, and a marked decline in the shares of such properties is looked for.

## ORIPPLE GREEK MINING STOCKS

	Oct. 3, 1899.	Bid.	Asked.
Capital, Par Value.			
1,500,000 1.00 Acacia .....	.27	.27	
2,500,000 1.00 Battle Mt'n.....	.34	.36	
2,000,000 1.00 Columb-Victor .....	.17	.17	
2,000,000 1.00 C. C. Cons.....	.17	.17	
1,250,000 1.00 Dante.....	.21	.21	
2,000,000 1.00 Damon.....	.23	.22	
1,250,000 1.00 Elkton .....	....	....	
1,250,000 1.00 Findley .....	.18	.18	
1,000,000 1.00 Gold Cr in .....	2.15	2.20	
3,000,000 1.00 Gold S. Sovereign...	.19	.19	
1,000,000 1.00 Gould.....	.28	.30	
1,225,000 1.00 Indepel. T. & M. ....	.47	.48	
2,250,000 1.00 Isabella .....	.93	.93	
1,250,000 1.00 Jack Pct .....	.65	.65	
1,500,000 1.00 Lexing'dn .....	.21	.22	
1,040,000 1.00 Mat' A .....	.35	.37	
600,000 1.00 Mt. n Anchor .....	.90	.91	
1,000,000 1.00 Nugget .....	....	....	
2,000,000 1.00 Pappoose .....	.14	.15	
3,000,000 1.00 Portland .....	2.36	2.38	
2,000,000 1.00 Pinnacle .....	....	....	
1,500,000 1.00 Work .....	.31	.32	

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## TORONTO STREET EARNINGS.

Sep. 25, 4,123.82	Inc.	771.92
" 26, 3,934.70	"	511.70
" 27, 3,755.85	"	423.85
" 28, 3,536.22	Dep.	75.52
" 29, 3,487.00	"	117.59
" 30, 4,271.10	Inc.	65.34
Oct. 1, 1,552.29	Dec.	119.78
" 2, 3,482.04	Inc.	80.05

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### KLONDIKE.

Angelo Heilprin, late professor of Geology at the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, fellow of the Geographical Society of London, writes an article on the Geology of the Klondyke Gold Fields which is summarized as follows for the readers of the Exchange News:

Dawson City, at the junction of the Yukon and Klondyke rivers, is at the north corner of the square shaped region where the gold fields are, and of which the boundaries are the Yukon and the Indian rivers towards the west, and the Klondyke Hunker Creek and Quartz Creek towards the east. Each of these boundaries, roughly speaking, measures 40 miles, so that the total area amounts to 1500 or 1600 square miles. Bonanza Creek flows north to Dawson from the centre of this district. Here is situated a spur of the mountain variously called, Dome, Solomon's Dome, King Dome, Mount Ophir. This mountain and its westward extension is the prominent feature and the watershed of the district. Miners confidently believe notwithstanding doubts of geologists that this mountain is the source from which the gold now found in bench and creek claims has been washed down by the creeks, east of the Bonanza, which divides the district in two. Five miles west from Grand Forks, and therefore west of the Bonanza dividing line is another eminence which is the watershed for another group of streams that flow east to Bonanza, west to the Yukon and south to Indian River. It is not considered as being against the miners' belief in Mount Ophir as the great central source of gold that the heavier gold from the various hillsides differs from that got in the creek claims, or that the gold from the different creek claims are so unlike in color and in contour as likely to be distinguished by claim holders and do not give the same values in assaying. Though recent assays made by the Bank of British North America and the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Dawson gave Eldorado and Bonanza gold as \$15.50 to the ounce, Dominion gold \$17.80, Hunker Creek \$18.50, Bear Creek, \$19.20, and American Creek and Mynock \$20 per ounce, yet this is not considered conclusive as against one or two central gold sources like Ophir.

Most of the miners have also an opinion that the high level gravels of such bench claims as those of French Hill, Gold Hill (opposite to Grand Forks Village), Skookum Hill and Adams Hill are on the ancient high-level flow of the Eldorado and Bonanza etc. The present river channels are, according to Dr. George Dawson, not more than a few hundred years old and the ancient beds are clearly shown by terrace formations, not unlike in appearance to railway embankments. Ancient channels when come upon, as they often are, yield gold often in greater quantities than the modern one, but it is pretty much of the same character as what is got on the present day creeks. The higher level gravels besides yielding the metal in a composite form that is totally different, are often found at altitudes and in localities where no river could

have flowed under any circumstances. They, however, as being mixed with shells, prove that water probably about five hundred years ago has overlain all the district, and the conclusion is drawn that an inland sea spread over the gold fields at least. The gravels taken by miners as representing an ancient river beds are rather representative of an ancient lake of which traces remain yet in the lakes of the district and lake expansions of the river. Evidences of two riverbeds are found in two classes of valleys the old, of broad, smooth contour; the modern, sharp and steep by comparison and a strong evidence in favor of the lake idea is the deposit of six inches of volcanic ash presumably from Wrangel or a rumored inland volcano, which is spread uniformly under the soil, which uniform spread argues for lake deposit.

How aqueous agency could have transformed the lake in 500 years into a district having only some lakes and streams is attempted to be proved by Prof. Heilprin, but it is doubtful if his attempt is convincing. The categorical rate among geologists of "one foot in six thousand years," as the rate of water erosion, he very clearly shows is far too small for such rivers as the Yukon, with a current of six miles an hour under arctic conditions, but even the rushing Yukon would require seismic assistance to transform a great lake into a dry land region,

The distinctively geological character of the region is that of schists and schistose rocks, probably in part of prepalaeozoic age, but outcrops being very limited and examinations restricted to creek boulders and miners' dumps, a full detailed geological account of the Klondyke was impracticable. Most of the gold bearing quartz as that of French Hill, is gray-blue or pinkish and of a granular type differing in appearance and structure from the quartz of the hill sides, but quartz boulders of another character contain coarse gold.

Prof. Heilprin notes as curious that gold is not found except at distances more than six miles from the source of the creeks and more than five miles from their mouths.

### DUPONT GROUPS ON BULDER CREEK NEAR FORT STEEL.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 2.—The aspect of mining in the Slocan appears brighter. Mr. R. O. Shaw Wood, of London, Ont., one of the Eastern men interested in the operations of the Financial and Mining Trust, has spent two weeks in the Slocan. His company owns the Vulture and Vult claims near Cody. He says: "The main tunnel on the vein is in 280 feet. There is at least 2 feet of clean solid ore, and besides that there is quite 6 inches of carbonates on each side of the vein. The No. 2 tunnel is in about 200 feet and it is in ore; The vein is traceable for 5,000 feet. We had no trouble at all about the eight-hour business. We did not shut down at all, but went right ahead. Of course if we had not continued to work we could not have had the showing we have today. The law works very well in our case. The miners all seem to be satisfied. We are working double shifts and in all the tunnels night and day work goes on. We intend to start three more tunnels on the vein." The Financial and Mining Trust is also the owner of properties in the Lardau-Duncan country, where two lines of railway are now being built. A claim between Hamilton Creek and Glacier Creek adjoining the Larina on Lost Mountain was recently sold to a Scottish syndicate. During August the Canadian Pacific Exploration Company obtained \$10,510 from 600 tons of ore crushed at its Porto Rico mine, Ymir.

The total working costs were \$7,100, leaving \$3,440 profit a month.

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## MINING STOCK LIST

NAME.	Morning Prices, Asked.	Bld.	Par Value.	Capital.	Divl. d'nd	When Payable	Description.	LOCATION.
Baltimore.....	7½	7	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	Trail Creek, B. C.
Big Three.....	10	15	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do do	do
Commander.....	10	5	1 00	50,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Deer Park.....	5	3½	1 00	1,750,000	.....	.....	do	do
Giant.....	5½	.....	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Grand Prize.....	3	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Gold Hills.....	7	5½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Homestake.....	4	3½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Colt.....	12	5½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Horse.....	15	11	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Jumbo.....	30	25	1 00	700,000	.....	.....	do	do
Mayflower.....	8	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
R. E. Leo.....	2	.....	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
St. Elmo.....	6½	4	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Silverino.....	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	10	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold, Copper.	do
Canada Gold Fields Syn.....	8	6	10	1,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
California.....	13½	12½	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Evening Star.....	11	9	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Iron Mask.....	.....	.....	1 00	500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Monto Christo.....	5½	04	1 00	2,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Montreal Gold Fields.....	15	14	25	800,000	.....	.....	do	do
Novelty.....	4	3½	10	160,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virginia.....	11	8	1 00	50,000	.....	.....	do	do
War Eagle.....	3 12	3 01	1 00	1,750,000	1½	Monthly.	do	do
Le Rei.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do	do
Dardanelles.....	15	11½	1 00	100,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	Slocan, B.C.
Fern.....	20	05	25	200,000	5pc.	One paid	Gold.	do
Noble Five.....	28	18	1 00	1,200,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Rambler Cariboo.....	49	46	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	Gold.	do
Slocan Sovereign.....	28	37	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	Silver and Lead.	do
Montreal-London.....	53	50½	24	452,000	1½%	Month'y.	Gold, Silver, Lead.	N.S., Slocan, B.C.
Cariboo McKinney.....	1 25	1 14	1 00	600,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Gold.	Camp McKinney, B.C.
Fontenoy.....	18	12	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Minnehaha.....	22	10½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Waterloo.....	9	6	10	100,000	.....	.....	do	do
Knob Hill.....	95	85	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	Boundary, B.C.
Old Ironsides.....	1 18	1 10	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Pay Ore.....	2	.....	10	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
King (Oro de Noro).....	.....	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Rathmullen.....	9	8½	1 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	do	do
Brandon and Golden Crown.....	30	29	1 00	1,500,000	.....	.....	do	do
Decca.....	28	20	1 00	975,000	.....	.....	do	Seine River, Ont.
Golden Star.....	40	38	1 00	1,000,000	1½%	Quarterly.	do	do
Butte and Boston.....	11	.....	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Eureka District, Wash.
Republic.....	1 18½	1 17	1 00	3,500,000	1pc.	Monthly.	do	do
Smuggler.....	3½	2½	1 00	1,000,000	.....	.....	do	Fairview Camp, B.C.
Winchester.....	15	14	25	250,000	.....	.....	do	do
Virtue.....	45	42½	1 00	1,250,000	.....	.....	do	Baker City, Ore.
Payne.....	1 19	1 15	1 00	3,00,000	1pc.	Monthly.	Silver and Lead.	Sandon, B.C.
Crow's Nest Pass Coal.....	\$17 00	12 00	25 00	2,000,000	.....	.....	Coal.	Crow's Nest Pass.
Cariboo-Hydraulic.....	1 50	1 35	5 00	5,000,000	.....	.....	Gold.	Cariboo District.

## BONDS AND DEBENTURES.

AMOUNT ISSUED.	%	INTEREST PAYABLE.	*BONDS.	LAST SALES.	REDEEMABLE.	WHERE PAYABLE.
600,000	7	May Nov.	Mont. Corporation Consol'd. Stock.	1824	Permanent.....	Bank of Montreal.
240,000	5	Jan. July	do do do	.....	1910.....	" "
1,050,000	4	May Nov.	do Stock.....	106	1925.....	" "
7,000,000	3	" "	do do .....	100	Permanent.....	" "
136,700	5	Jan. July	Montreal Harbor Bonds Currency....	116	1913 & 1914 5 Jly	Lloyds, Banetts & Bosanquetas.
874,260	4	" "	Toronto City do do .....	117-120	1904, 1894.....	" "
22,500	6	.....	Auer Light.....	100	.....	Rank of Montreal.
940,000	5	April Oct.	Bell Telephone.....	117	1925.....	Rank of Montreal.
6	May Nov.	Canada Central R'y. ....	.....	1932 1st Nov .....	" "	
2,000,000	6	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	917	.....
{ 20,000,000	4	Ja. Ap. Ju. Oc	Commercial Cable Coupons. }.....	101	2397	.....
£300,000	4½	Jan. July	Dominion Cotton.....	100	1916 1st Jan.	Bank of Nova Scotia.
600,600	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 Jo.	100	1910.....	.....	
5	" "	Montreal Loan & Mortgage.....	.....	.....	.....	
262,000	5	1st Mch 1st Sep.	Montreal Street R'y. ....	.....	1903 1st Mch	.....
931,333	4½	1st Feb. 1st Aug.	do do .....	.....	1922 1st Aug	.....
700,000	5	1st April Oct.	Peoples Heat & Light.....	80	1917 April .....	Merchants Bank of Halifax
554,313	5	1st Mch Sep.	Richelieu & Ont. Nav.....	100	1915 1st Mch	.....
674,360	5	1st April Oct.	Royal Electric.....	.....	.....	.....
2,799,933	4½	Mch Sep.	Toronto Railway.....	108	1931 31st Aug	.....
150,000	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.

FOREIGNERS QUIETLY BUYING MUCH WHEAT — A DROP IN QUOTATIONS TODAY. — MARKET ♫ TO ♪ LOWER.

Chicago, Oct. 4.

Wheat which has advanced for ten days or more in the face of a large primary movement and increases in visible supplies, dropped off this morning from ♫ to ♪ in the opening transactions of the Chicago market. Bullish activities during these days had drawn out many buyers with the result that on more peaceful news and lower Liverpool cables buyers have become sellers and at lower prices. Some are of opinion that there will be a good set back in wheat before it will do for a buy again, also that corn will sell lower. This finds support in the fact that the aggregate visible is above 40 millions, a thing which has not happened since March '897. On the other hand the foreign demand for wheat and flour has increased notably and there is, according to a leading Chicago house, little doubt that the foreigners are and have been working diligently to get hold of much wheat with the least possible report of the same. Great Britain in particular has been an anxious buyer as shown in her imports from this country since July 1 of 24,708,000 wheat and flour against 19,181,000 last year, or about 5,500,000 increase. Continental imports show about 500,000 decrease.

With the disappearance of the September delivery, there is again noticed the shifting forward of December holders into the May option. Daily receipts have dropped under last year's figures, which were 1½ million bushels daily. Lessened receipts, farmers keeping back produce, and stronger foreign demand will probably prevent the market falling far.

Liverpool — Wheat ♫ lower, weak; corn ♪ lower, fair demand. Later cable, wheat ♪ higher.

Chicago receipts :  
Car lots wheat, 181; shipments, 25,500.  
Car lots corn, 680; shipments, 344,125.  
Car lots oats, 218; shipments, none.  
Primary receipts:—Last week, 1,036,158 ; shipments, 410,885.

Last year, 1,916,021; shipments, 760,973.  
N. W. cars—Minn. and Dufuth, 920 against last week 799, and last year, 1,010.  
Hogs, 28,000, cattle, 16,000; sheep, 20,000.

### HALIFAX ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

Sept. 3.....	\$3,017.00.....	Dec. \$9.90
" 10.....	2,868.40.....	" 149.50
" 17.....	2,553.75.....	" 314.65
" 24.....	2,956.95.....	" 403.20
Rec'ts to date .....	\$9,502.15.....	Dec. \$1,552.60

### TWIN CITY RAPID TRANSIT CO.

Sept. 7.....	\$72,545.59.....	Inc. 17,682.11
" 14.....	58,903.50.....	" 1,358.07
" 21.....	50,858.80.....	" 8,475.07
Month to date .....	182,305.80.....	" 27,516.25
Year to date .....	\$1,756,255.59.....	Inc. \$215,150.34

### MONTREAL STREET EARNINGS.

Beginning of fiscal year.	
Oct. 1, 3,806.60 .....	Dec. 905.16
" 2, 4,820.70 .....	Inc. 130.58
" 3, 4,794.15 .....	Dec. 195.05

### CHICAGO MARKET—October 4, 1899.

From the Hartlett Fricker Co., Chicago. H. J. Coon, Manager, 39 St, Sacramento St.

	CLOSING PRICES SEPT. 27 TO OCT. 3.						TO-DAY'S PRICES.			
	27	28	29	2	3	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	
Wheat—										
May.....	76½ A	76½ B	76½	77½	77 B	76½	76½	76	76½	
Oct.....	74½	74½	72½	72½	72½	....	....	....	71½ A	
Dec.....	73½ B	73½	73½	74½ B	74½ B	73½	73½	73	73½ A	
Corn—										
May.....	30½ B	30½ B	30½ A	31½	31½ A	31½	31½	31	31½ A	
Oct.....	33 B	32½ B	32½	31½	30½	30½	31	30½	31	
Dec.....	31½ A	31½ A	30	30½	30½	30½	30	30	30½ A	
Oats—										
May.....	24	24	24½	24½ A	24½ B	24	24	24	24½	
Oct.....	22½	22½	22½	....	....	....	....	....	....	
Dec.....	22½ A	22½	22½	23½	23½	23½	23½	22½	23	
Pork—										
Jan.....	9 82	9 80	9 76 A	9 85	9 77	9 75	9 77	9 72	9 75	
Oct.....	8 22	8 20 A	8 15 A	8 20	8 17	....	8 10	....	8 10	
Dec.....	8 22	8 32	8 30 A	8 40 A	8 32	8 32	8 32	8 30	8 30	
Lard—										
Jan.....	5 62 A	5 62	5 62 A	5 67	5 62-65	5 60	5 62	5 57	5 67-60	
Oct.....	5 42	5 50	5 42	5 47-50	5 49-42	5 40	5 40	5 37	5 37	
Dec.....	5 42	5 42	5 50 A	5 55	5 50	5 47-50	5 50	5 47	5 45	
Slab ribs—										
Jan.....	5 12-15	5 12 A	5 10 A	5 15 A	5 10 B	5 07	5 10	5 05	5 07-10	
Oct.....	5 12-15	5 12 B	5 10 B	5 10 B	5 07 B	5 07	5 12	5 07	5 12	
Dec.....	5 12-15	5 07	5 05 B	5 07	5 02 A	5 00	5 00	4 95	4 97	
Puts and Calls for Oct 5—										
Puts, Dec. Wheat.....	72½									
Calls " " .....	73½									
Puts, May Corn.....	31									
Calls, " " .....	31									
Curb Dec. Wheat.....	73½ A									

### TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES.

STOCKS.	Shares per Value	CAPITAL.		Div. per cent.	Buy- ers
		Paid up.	Root as per Last Statement.		
<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>					
British America.....	\$50	\$750,000	\$78,381	3½	122½
Western Assurance.....	40	1,000,000	1290,743	5	164
Canada Life.....	400	125,000	....	10	550
Confederation Life Association.....	100	100,000	....	7½	....
Imperial Life Assurance Co.....	100	450,000	47,821	151	....
Consumers' Gas.....	50	1,700,000	....	2½qr	226
Ontario and Quebec Land Co.....	40	400,000	....	....	57
Victoria R. Ing Stock Co.....	5000	60,000	60,000	10	....
Toronto Electric Light Co., Old.....	100	1,400,000	....	13	133½
" " " New.....	....	240,000	....	13	131
Canadian General Electric Co.....	100	900,000	40,000	4	168½
" " " 20 p.c.....	10	300,000	....	3	102
Hamilton Electric Light.....	100	250,000	60,000	1	78
<b>LOAN and SAVINGS CO.</b>					
British Canadian Ln & Inv't. Co.....	100	398,481	120,000	3	....
Building and Loan Association.....	25	750,000	100,000	1	....
Can. Landed & Nat'l. Inv't. Co.....	100	1,000,000	350,000	3	97
Canada Permanent Ln & Sav. Co.....	50	2,000,000	1,200,000	3	120½
" " 20 per cent.....	....	600,000	....	109	....
Canadian Savings & Loan Co.....	50	734,175	220,000	3	113½
Central Canada Ln. & Sav's Co.....	100	875,000	360,000	1¼qr	133
" " 20 per cent.....	....	325,000	....	....	....
Dominion Savings and Invest. Soc.....	50	830,627	10,000	2½	75½
Freehold " " 20 per cent.....	100	476,100	300,000	3	....
Hamilton Provident & Inv't. Soc.....	100	1,100,000	300,000	3	112
Huron & Erie Ln. & Savings Co.....	50	1,000,000	750,000	4½	184
" " 20 per cent.....	....	400,000	....	4½	174
Imperial Loan & Inv't. Co.....	100	725,155	160,000	3	60
Landed Banking & Loan Co.....	100	700,000	160,000	3	111½
London & Can. Ln. & Agency Co.....	50	700,000	210,000	1¼qr	60
London Loan Co.....	50	631,500	83,000	3	107
London & Ontario Investment.....	100	550,000	104,000	3	85
Manitoba & North-West Loan Co.....	100	375,000	50,000	....	50
North of Scotland Can. Mortg. Co.....	£10	730,000	418,533	5	....
Ontario Loan & Debenture Co.....	50	1,200,000	490,000	3½	120
Peoples Loan & D. Co.....	50	509,429	40,000	....	20
Real Estate Loan Co.....	40	373,720	50,000	2	64
Toronto Savings & Loan.....	100	300,000	105,000	3	121
Union Loan & Savings Co.....	50	699,020	200,000	1	36
Western Canada " " .....	50	1,000,000	770,000	3	112
" 25 per cent.....	....	500,000	....	3	90

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