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WEDNESDAY, MAY 31st.

**THE DUST NUISANCE.**

While refreshing breezes are much to be desired, they sometimes bring discomforts to the people of Timmins on account of their propensity for raising the sand and dust which predominates in the make-up of the roadways.

About a year ago the main thoroughfares were crowned with broken stone which has since been reduced to a fine grey powder by the traffic thereon. When the weather is good this gives a first class road, but in order that pedestrians may enjoy a constitutional walk on days such as last Sunday, the Town Council should lose no time in providing a sprinkling wagon which could distribute crude oil to allay the dust nuisance. Water sprinkling would hardly do as it would dry out too quickly. Two or three applications of crude oil should put the roads in good condition, especially those on which the stone was laid, as these roads are now in excellent shape except for the dust. Oil or tarvia are now the accepted surface dressings for macadam or earth roads in the older parts of the country and in United States.

This application of oil should answer another purpose, too. During a shower it would, to a certain extent, act in the nature of a "water shed" instead of allowing the rain to soak in leaving an inch or two of grey mud on the crossings.

Under present conditions pedestrians cannot walk a block on a windy day without assuming the appearance of the proverbial "dusty miller." Also it is a source of much inconvenience both to householders and merchants—each time their door opens they become the unwilling recipient of a section of Timmins roadway, much to their chagrin and disgust.

The desire for relief in this respect seems general, and the Council would ingratiate themselves in the favor of the townspeople if some immediate steps were taken to alleviate this nuisance.

**S. B. WILSON WAS MARRIED IN FLORIDA.**

Word was received last week by W. W. Wilson, of South Porcupine, of the marriage of his brother, S. B. Wilson, to Miss Alice H. Merrill of Lakeport, N.H., and who are now living at Boyton P.O., Florida. It will be remembered that Mr. Wilson left here early in January for Florida to work his farm there. He was employed at the Town of Timmins pump station for nearly two years.

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP**

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between, us the undersigned, as Tailors, Cleaners and Pressers, at the Town of Timmins, in the District of Temiskaming, has been dissolved as from the 12th day of May, 1916, by mutual consent.

All debts owing to the partnership are to be paid to William G. Smith, who will continue the said business at the same premises.

WILLIAM G. SMITH,  
OTTO KABLE.

**The Mining Stocks**

The sale of Mining Stocks on the Standard Stock & Mining Exchange for week. Figures supplied by Homer L. Gibson & Co.

Porcupines	Sales	Low	High
Apex . . . . .	65,500	.07 1/4	.09
Dome Extension . . . . .	57,700	.35	.36 1/4
Dome Lake . . . . .	27,600	.28	.30
Dome Mines . . . . .	1,517	25.50	28.00
Foley O'Brien . . . . .	1,500	.50	.51
Homestake . . . . .	31,700	.46 1/2	.50
Hollinger . . . . .	367	29.75	30.00
Jupiter . . . . .	151,011	.32 1/2	.38 1/2
McIntyre . . . . .	236,435	1.72	2.05
McIntyre Extension . . . . .	71,150	.33	.53
Moneta . . . . .	12,000	.13	.14 1/2
Porcupine Crown . . . . .	11,092	.77	.83
Imperial . . . . .	24,700	.04	.04 1/2
Vipond . . . . .	23,550	.56	.65
Preston E. Dome . . . . .	5,800	.05	.06
Schumacher . . . . .	5,000	.43	.49
Teek-Hughes . . . . .	24,050	.22 1/2	.24
West Dome Con. . . . .	171,907	.33 1/2	.37
<b>Cobalts.</b>			
Adanae . . . . .	22,500	.62	.65
Bailey . . . . .	20,700	.09 1/4	.10
Beaver . . . . .	18,400	.39 1/2	.46
Buffalo . . . . .			
Chambers-Ferland . . . . .	13,400	.25	.27 1/2
Coniagas . . . . .	225	5.25	5.40
Crown Reserve . . . . .	500	.50	.51
Foster . . . . .	1,500	.09 1/2	.09 1/2
Gifford . . . . .	6,500	.07	.07 1/4
Gould . . . . .	500	.00 1/2	.00 1/2
Hargraves . . . . .	500	.04 1/4	.04 1/4
Kerr Lake . . . . .	340	5.00	5.12 1/2
LaRose . . . . .			
McKinley . . . . .	9,350	.61 1/2	.65
Nipissing . . . . .	300	7.60	7.80
Ophir . . . . .	8,000	.09	.09 1/4
Peterson Lake . . . . .	54,150	.28	.31
Seneca Superior . . . . .	1,000	.52	.54
Temiskaming . . . . .	31,935	.67	.72 1/2
Trethewey . . . . .	5,600	.25	.28
Wettlaufer . . . . .	1,000	.08	.08
York-Ont. . . . .	1,000	.02	.02 1/4

**Market Letter of A. S. Fuller & Co.**

The mining market for the past week has shown a slight tendency to become somewhat quieter. This is to be expected as the summer months approach. The volume of business on the exchange has fallen off to about half what it was a few weeks ago, but nevertheless gold stocks continue to be strong.

Silver stocks, however, are inclined to be weak in sympathy with the continued low price of silver around 70c an ounce.

Rumors of the consolidation of the Apex with the West Dome caused some buying of this stock.

Dome Extension continues to hang around 35c but we are predicting a big upward move in this stock almost any day. At the annual meeting of the Dome Mines held in Toronto on the 30th, the president of the company confirmed the fact that the Dome ore bodies continue to look better as the work proceeds towards the Dome Extension.

The feature of the market for the past week has been the rapid rise in McIntyre Extension up to 57c. This move however is not justified in our estimation and the stock should be sold at present prices.

Upon the strength of a reported pool being formed for the purpose of manipulating Porcupine Crown, this stock has moved up to 95c and information comes from Toronto that the price is expected to advance to a dollar and a half.

In view of the fact that the ore reserves at this mine and all its assets do not show value enough to even warrant the present selling price we are inclined to believe to purchase this stock at 95c is a big gamble.

There is steady buying of Teek-Hughes and from late information we are advised that the power will be available by August 1st and their mill should be running shortly afterwards. This stock around 23c is one of the best purchases on the entire list and should sell up to 50c a share or better inside of the next ninety days.

From information in our possession we are advising the sale of Schumacher as we think the stock will be bought cheaper inside the next few months.

**South Porcupine Patriotic Society**

Nineteen members were present at the regular weekly meeting held on May 25th. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Treasurer's report: Subscriptions \$5.75; Sub. Dome Mine employees, \$174.50; Hugh Boyle \$2; Wm. Jeckles 50c.; H. L. Gibson \$1; Membership fees 25c.; Proceeds from tea held May 12th in King George Hotel \$5.60. Total, \$189.60.

Sub. Dome Mine employees \$174.50. Supply Secretary's report: Work taken in—60 pillow slips, 55 machine rolled bandages, 24 sponges, 18 shirts, 3 pair socks.

Work given out—4 pieces pillow cotton, 1 suit pyjamas, 16 balls of knitting cotton, 42 shirts, 5 skeins yarn.

Cutting committee's report: Mrs. Hurlbise 44 shirts, Mrs. Moffa 4 shirts. Total 48 shirts.

Following are the business appointed for the monthly meeting to be held June 18th: Mrs. Fehly and Mrs. Jackel; from town, Mrs. Macnamara and Mrs. Phillips from Dome. The meeting adjourned until Thursday, June 18th.

F. P. Black, Sec'y.

**Market Letter, Homer L. Gibson Co.**

The mining market seems to have been largely dependent on the action of McIntyre for the past few days, as the reaction in the price of this stock from a high of \$2.05 in Toronto on Wednesday of last week has brought about a slackening of public interest in the general list, with consequent reactions in prices. That no very great selling pressure exists however, is evident from the fact that these reactions have in no case been serious, but have been simply the natural outcome of a slackening of buying orders.

The possibilities of further important ore bodies being located in the cross cut on the 1000 foot level which is being driven to connect with No. 5 shaft, however, make it reasonably certain that this stock will not react much further, and if an ore body which will compare favorably in size or value with that on the 700 foot level is located, further fireworks can be looked for in this issue. We believe a bearish attitude on McIntyre to be dangerous for this reason.

Dome Extension has been in particular demand from well informed traders in the camp, but the price remained steady at from 35 to 36, indicating liquidation of substantial amounts of stock from some source. We believe that this stock is a purchase around 35c, however.

Jupiter and West Dome, which shared the activity in McIntyre have also been somewhat weaker, largely due to profit taking, but we believe either of these stocks excellent buys on any dips.

The silver stocks have lain almost dormant, due no doubt to the recent decline in the price of bar silver to 70 1/2c, but we are still of the decided opinion that the metal will see very much higher prices shortly and that the Cobalts will again come into favor. Strange to say, the speculating public have paid more attention to a six point decline in the price of the metal than they did to a twenty-five point rise. We recommend the purchase of the stocks of the producing companies of Cobalt around present figures.

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\$50.00 DE RECOMPENSE.

A quiconque puisse fournir l'information qui permettrait l'arrestation des personnes qui mirent feu au "bois de sechage" sur le moite sud du Lot 10, Concession 1, Tisdale, Dimanche le 21 Mai; le "bois de sechage" en question etant la propriete du Poreupine Crown Mines, Limited, Timmins, Ont.

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