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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th.

NEED OF CO-OPERATION.

We deeply regret the suspended publication of last week's "Advance," which owing to unforeseen circumstances it was found impossible to issue, due mainly to our former worthy editor's kind and unsophisticated manner in leaving us stranded in the ink well, and to whom we owe a courtesy for his forethought to our advertisers and subscribers without their weekly journal.

But, however, we are back on the job again, and the wheels being set once more in motion, we will endeavor to give our readers a review of the different departments of the political, commercial, mining and social life in and around the town.

We would be pleased to hear from any returned soldiers from the front; from local correspondents in the neighboring vicinity with a view to enlightening our readers of what is going on in the community in general.

Once a year it is customary for the weeklies take a holiday, in which to raise and straighten details regarding the paper's interests, and last week the management took this opportunity in which to look into these affairs.

QUEBEC BRIDGE DISASTER.

The Quebec bridge disaster is one that is regretted by all, and the one compensating feature of the terrible mishap is that the loss of life is not as large as resulted when the first bridge, collapsed with its human freight several years ago.

The best engineering skill that the Government could summon to its aid was employed in the work of constructing the bridge which it was expected would be completed shortly, after several years of labor. The raising of the central span of steel from the waters of the St. Lawrence River to its place between the cantilever arms at each side, was looked forward to being the very latest word in engineering skill, and the great bridge was to stand as a monument to its builders and a credit to all Canada.

That the operation would be successful there was not the least doubt, representatives of the Dominion and Provincial Governments being present to witness the sensational feat of lifting the 5,200-ton weight from the waters of the river into position where it would be locked in. Human skill does not often fail in an undertaking of this kind, but it has twice been the misfortune of the Quebec bridge to come to grief. Calculations made have apparently been erroneous, with the result hundreds of thousands of dollars have been lost to the contractors and many precious lives sacrificed.

One can well appreciate the feelings of those concerned at the failure of the most gigantic project of the kind ever attempted, and the responsibility of all engaged in it has been very great. So far as the experiment itself is concerned it can again be undertaken. It is to be hoped this time with success, with the experiences of the past as a guide.

"Father went off in a good humor this morning," said the daughter.

"Heavens!" exclaimed the mother, suddenly remembering. "That reminds me. I forgot to ask him for any money!"

The Mining Stocks

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

Porcupines—	Sales.	High.	Low.
Apex	32,000	.087½	.08
Davidson	6,300	.46	.38
Dome Extension	11,800	.36½	.33
Dome Lake	15,840	.45	.44
Dome	.....	.....	.....
Foley-O'Brien	.....	.....	.....
Gold Reef	.....	.....	.....
Hollinger	1,400	7.00	6.80
Homestake	250	.60	.60
Jupiter	58,000	.32	.30
McIntyre	98,200	1.54	1.30
McIntyre Extension	10,000	.46	.41
Kirkland Lake	5,000	.39	.35
Moneta	3,100	.16½	.16
Newray	30,617	.66½	.65
Porcupine Crown	24,797	.84	.71
Imperial	6,300	.02½	.02½
Porcupine Tisdale	1,900	.01½	.01½
Porcupine Vipond	8,237	.41	.35
Preston	.....	.....	.....
Schumacher	1,600	.55	.54½
Teck-Hughes	26,025	.43	.36
West Dome	38,750	.40	.38½

Cobalts—	Sales.	High.	Low.
Bailey	7,500	.68½	.68
Beaver	18,500	.45	.41
Buffalo	.....	.....	.....
Calumet and Mon.	4,100	.60	.50
Chambers-Ferland	2,000	.19½	.19
Coningas	.....	.....	.....
Crown Reserve	9,900	.50	.46
Foster	500	.65	.65
Gifford	10,000	.067½	.06½
Great North	14,000	.05½	.05
Hargreaves	.....	.....	.....
Hudson Bay	4	62.50	62.50
Kerr Lake	.....	.....	.....
La Rose	1,075	.63	.60
McKinley	1,400	.60	.59
Nipissing	825	7.35	7.00
Ophir	34,500	.091½	.091½
Peterson Lake	19,700	.23	.21
Right of Way	.....	.....	.....
Seneca-Superior	1,700	.30	.27
Shanrook	500	.10	.10
Silver Leaf	2,000	.017½	.017½
Temiskaming	16,700	.63	.60
Trethewey	1,000	.18	.18
Wettlaufer	1,100	.13½	.13

Market letter of A. S. Fuller & Co.

The market for the past week has shown unmistakable signs of serenity and advances in such stocks as McIntyre, Jupiter are undoubtedly forerunners of a big gull market before many weeks.

While it is true there is considerable manipulation of McIntyre, nevertheless we are inclined to believe that inside interests are desirous of seeing this stock up around \$2, and as it is a well-known fact, conditions at the mine are very favorable, and the production is constantly increasing and the mill being enlarged, we believe the stock will show handsome profits if bought at the present time. With the publication of the next quarterly report, McIntyre will show larger earnings than ever before, and this should result in increased buying.

The rich find at the Porcupine Crown on the 800-foot level is fully as good as reported, and that company is now sinking to the 900-foot level and values continue to be very rich. We believe this stock will sell higher.

The volume of business on the Exchanges is also very encouraging, and gives promise of a very large market in the near future. We continue to advise the purchase of the better class of stocks in preference to the silver issues. The price of silver holds fairly strong around 68c., and with an advance some of the Cobalt stocks, like Temiskaming, Beaver, Peterson Lake, Trethewey and Chambers-Ferland, should show substantial advances. There has been considerable buying of Nipissing, which has put this stock up to \$7.50 a share. This company is in a very strong financial position and has a surplus of around two million, and the stock is an excellent purchase for an investment.

We are inclined to be bullish on market conditions and believe that nice profits can be made inside of the next 90 days on a number of the Porcupine stocks.

Canada's Wood Pulp Exports to the U.S.

Over two-thirds of the more than a billion pounds of wood pulp imported into the United States during the fiscal year, and used in the manufacture of paper, came from Canada according to a communication from John Oliver LaGorce, and issued by the National Geographic Society as a bulletin in connection with the U.S. government's enquiry into the increase in the cost of news paper.

The pulp importations for 1915-16 have been 180,000,000 pounds less than for the previous twelve months, yet the amount shipped from Canada to the U.S. during the past year was 130,000,000 pounds in excess of our

Market Letter Homer L. Gibson & Co.

Heavy trading in McIntyre was the feature of the week ending Saturday, September 9th. Due to a belief that recent developments at the mine warranted higher prices, a heavy demand arose for the stock, which could only be satisfied by bidding the stock to \$1.60, which is a high point for several months. A slackening of the demand and the entry of some profit taking orders caused a reaction on Tuesday to \$1.46, but it would seem probable that the upward swing would again shortly be resumed. Predictions are freely made in the camp that the stock will set at new high records shortly.

The balance of the Porcupine list has held fairly steady, with a sharp rise in Dome Lake to 55½c., providing the only move of consequence on the bull side. The market in this stock would appear to be manipulated to a considerable extent, however. Porcupine Crown recovered part of its recent loss, selling on Tuesday at 77c., after having declined to 71c. It is expected that when sinking is resumed this stock will again sell higher.

The Cobalt list has held very steady and firm, but in general, has not responded to the steady improvement in the price of bar silver, which is now around the 68c. mark. At this price the Cobalt mines can make handsome profits, and it would appear that a move in the silver stocks will be justified during the fall.

The turn over on the Toronto Exchanges has been unusually heavy for this season of the year, indicating that the public are again ready to enter the market. Any definite upward movement would, no doubt, be followed by buying orders from traders who have just been waiting for signs that the reactionary period was over, and a sharp upward movement in the general list can be expected almost at any time.

1914-15 shipments.

During the year just closed nearly 70 per cent of the 1,135,000,000 pounds of pulp imported by the U.S. came from Canada, while most of the remaining 30 per cent came from Norway and Sweden.

More Names For The Honor Roll

Studor, J. M.
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MORTGAGE SALE

of the property of
in the Township of Whitney, District
of Temiskaming.

UNDER and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on Friday, the fifteenth day of September, 1916, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, by Herbert W. Warren, Auctioneer, at the King George Hotel, South Porcupine, the following property situate in the Township of Whitney, aforesaid:

FIRSTLY: The North-east quarter of the south half of lot number Five, in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Whitney.

SECONDLY: Part of broken lot number Four, in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Whitney, being registered in the Office of Land Titles at Haileybury as Parcel 4579, in the Register for Sudbury West Section, containing by admeasurement thirty-five acres more or less.

THIRDLY: Part of lot number Four in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Whitney, being registered in the Office of Land Titles at Haileybury as Parcel 4580 in the Register for Sudbury, West Section containing by admeasurement forty acres more or less.

FOURTHLY: The north-east quarter of the North half of lot number Five in the Fifth Concession of the said Township of Whitney.

FIFTHLY: The North-west quar-

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SIXTHLY: The South-east part of broken lot number Three in the Sixth Concession of the said Township of Whitney, being registered in the Office of Land Titles at Haileybury as Parcel 1041 in the register for Sudbury North Division, containing by admeasurement forty acres, more or less.

SEVENTHLY: The North-east part of broken lot number Four in the Fifth Concession, and land under the water of part of Three Nation's Lake in the said Township of Whitney, being registered in the Office of Land Titles at Haileybury as Parcel 1043 in the Register for Sudbury North Division.

EIGHTHLY: The South-west part of broken lot number Three in the Sixth Concession, and land under water of part of Three Nations Lake, in the said Township of Whitney, being registered in the Office of Land Titles at Haileybury as parcel 1043 in the register for Sudbury, North Division.

There is said to be on the said property the following buildings and improvements:

1. Manager's House, six rooms; 1 Boarding House for thirty men; 1 Stable; 1 Blacksmith Shop; 1 Hoist house and compressor; 1 Gallows

frame house; 1 Mill containing 10 stamps and other milling machinery and appliances; 1 Engine room, containing 3-100 h. p. tubular boilers and feed pumps; 1 Assay office; 1 Pumping station, containing 1-40 h. p. boiler and pump, size 10 x 6 x 10.

All the above mentioned property is to be sold as one Parcel.

TERMS: Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale and the balance with in thirty days thereafter, with interest at six per cent. The property will be subject to a reserve bid.

For further particulars of sale, apply to

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