"PORCUPINE GOLD FIELDS"

TALK ABOUT PORCUPINE

Said a lawyer, yesterday, who is on the inside of Porcupine: There are a lot of brokers and owners in town and up at the camp waiting the arrival of the Moreing representatives from London, with a view of selling them claims, and the prices of all claims in the camp have been boosted in consequence. The English firm will buy nothing but what shows measured-up ore, and who has such goods to offer. They will all be disappointed. Far better for owners if they put reasonable prices with small payments down on their claims, so as to get money sufficient to complete assessment work and do some developing. Porcupine is greater than ever, but it will come when there is more work done in the camp.

A prominent engineer, who talked to The World yesterday, said that gold bricks out of Porcupine would be seen in plenty before the spring was over.

"Heinze is a great mining engineer," said one of his critics yesterday, "and when he comes to Porcupine, it means something.

Get your Porcupine claims in as good shape as you can, as soon as you can, and give the buyer a chance to make his share and you will do some business.

KLONDIKE MINER STRUCK WITH RICHES OF CAMP

Free Gold Showings of Porcupine Astonish Mining Men From Other Camps.

PORCUPINE CITY, Feb. 8.—(From Our Man Up North.)—Klondyke miners are becoming interested in the new gold finds and Burr Keown, an old Nevada prospector, who has worked for the last seven years in the Klondyke, near Nome, on the big placer finds, is looking over the camp.

"I had not heard of Porcupine till I reached San Francisco, where old friends informed me that the sensation of the world in free gold finds had been reported from the Northern Ontario gold camp. I did not even stop in the city, but took the next train for the fields to see what is here," said Mr. Keown to The World to-day.

"I am well pleased with the showings I have seen, and except in one instance, I never saw such rich leads before. Near the quartz region in Alaska there is one reef that carries heavier free gold than that I have seen here, but no one there cares about free gold unless they know from tests that the depth is at least 200 feet.

"I have seen Hollinger, and the ore they are taking from the bottom of their shaft is something wonderful. I must admit that after a life of mining I have never yet seen free gold running so heavily right afong in the reefs as I have seen here.

"With gold carrying down 200 feet and across a lot in a vein of good width, such as I saw to-day, one would not care if there were no depth, for you would have values enough to pay back all the capitalization, the expense of working the mine, and the dividends.

"I will pick up a claim or two in the developed district if I can get them for what a prospect is worth. I am so much interested that I should be pleased to furnish the capital on a good claim to see what depth will bring, provided the owner is willing to give a man a chance to prospect and make values if possible."

Mr. Keown was forcibly struck with one spirit in the camp—that of speculation and not of work to determine more values. He believed that even with the bad roads over which material had to be shipped, there should now be more work done than is in evidence.

"More work and less speculation is what the camp needs," said Mr. Keown as he left for the western part of Tisdale to take another look at several of the veins now opened. He will visit the Pearl Lake Gold Mines Company's holding before he leaves the camp, for, said he, "I hear they have a wonderful showing, and judging from the location the Pearl Lake district should be good.'

It might be added that Mr. Keown is one of the former leasers of the south part of the Comstock lode in Nevada from which so many millions were taken within a few years.

Chas. Fox.

VETERAN CLAIM SOLD

Major Vane Reported to Have Found Purchaser at Quarter Million.

PORCUPINE CITY, Feb. 8.—(From Our Man Up North.)—Engineer Miller, engaged with the Porcupine Telephone Company, leaves to-night for Toronto and Montreal, where Major Vane is now waiting his coming relative to the sale of a very prominent Veteran claim, believed to be the platt of the east and south side of Pearl Lake. The price is said to be a quarter of a million, and the buyers before closing have sent for the engineer, Mr. Miller, who sampled the veins.

Just who Major Vane has in tow as the purchasers is not known, as information relative to matters of this character is generally kept very close, the bare fact that Engineer Miller has been sent for in relation to a sale of a "prominent Veteran claim" near Pearl Lake being the only statement given out.

Chas. Fox.

BULLION FROM NIPISSING.

Another small shipment of bullion left Cobalt on Wednesday consigned thru the Dominion Express Company to the Nipissing Reduction Company, Toronto. It consisted of two bars, weight, 1872 ounces, value, $800, and was from the Nipissing Reduction Company's works in Cobalt.

GOWGANDA AND ELK LAKE WANT RAILROAD BUILT

Monster Delegation Will Wait on Government—Private Capital Offers to Build.

Millions of money are invested in the great silver belt extending from Elk Lake on westward thru Gowganda, and further west, touching the various lakes, beginning with Shining Tree Lake, and continuing on in a westerly direction for a hundred miles.

For the length of time that Gowganda has been worked it has shipped more silver than Cobalt did for the same time in its early days. There are some great mines in Gowganda. The miles around Miller Lake are exceptionally good, and the mine owners have a deep faith in their properties and the future of the country.

Rich finds have been made in some places on the surface, but with the wisdom born from long experience in Cobalt and other silver camps, the mine owners have come to the conclusion that Gowganda is a low-grade silver camp, as such has made good and will continue to make good for many years to come.

They start with this assumption and all their enthusiasm and faith in the future is built on this belief. They instance the fact that the McKinley-Darragh-Savage of Cobalt, by means of its concentrator, is making large sums of money out of its low-grade ores. The same is true of the Coniagas in Cobalt; and they go still further and claim that eventually Cobalt silver mines will be paying dividends for years to come as low-grade propositions.

This idea is emphasized on many hands by reputable engineers. One of the most eminent United States mining engineers, who has been in Cobalt and Gowganda very frequently during the past four years, told The World but recently that Gowganda had made good on the basis of a low-grade camp.

Outgoing Tonnage Would Pay.

What wonder, then, that the mine owners and others interested in Elk Lake, Gowganda and the silver area further west, should agitate for a railway? To ship low-grade ore by means of teams on sleighs or boats would be prohibitive, and there are many owners in Gowganda, who, having invested very heavily in their properties, are prepared to see their investments lie sterile until a railway is built in to the silver country. The mine owners of Gowganda and Elk Lake need the railway, which by rapid transportation and reasonable freight rates, will help them to realize on their low grade propositions, and by the same token a branch line from Charlton to Elk Lake and thence onward to Gowganda would get enough tonnage out of the silver country on its return trip to pay.

Without disparaging the Porcupine branch of the T. and N. O. Railway, there are railway men who say that there is no tonnage out of a gold mining camp. There may be lots of tonnage into it, but in a gold mining camp the gold is stampel on the property and carried out in the form of a brick. To make a railway pay in a mining country there must be tonnage both in and out. This would happen if a branch of the T. and N. O. Railway were extended from Charlton to Elk Lake and on to Gowganda. Supplies would keep the railway busy on its ingoings, and abundance of tonnage would pay the cost of maintenance on its outgoings.

Private Parties Would Build Road.

An immense delegation of mine owners, miners, capitalists and residents of the north country, interested in Elk Lake, Gowganda and the further west silver area, will see the government on Feb. 15. The members of this delegation will meet for organization purposes on Feb. 14. The World understands that the plan is to ask the government to extend its line from Charlton into Gowganda, and if the government does not see its way clear to do so, to then ask the government to grant a franchise to the Elk Lake-Gowganda Mine Owners' Association, who will guarantee to build and operate the railway without asking the government for a cent of help. In fact, one prominent New Yorker, heavily interested in Gowganda, has made the statement that he is prepared to give the government, as a free gift, $10,000 a year every year for five years, if it will build this branch into Gowganda.

Whatever comes of the delegation, one thing remains true: That the men of the north country are in earnest, and that the Elk Lake and Gowganda miner is the pick of the pioneering prospectors of Ontario, and have the stuff in them to make that rather inhospitable country a success as a mining country.

WESTERN CAPITALISTS IN PORCUPINE.

PORCUPINE CITY, Feb. 8.—(From Our Man Up North.)—Jas. Hylands arrived in the camp this morning in company with L. T. Shelton and W. J. Brewster of Kansas City, and after a hurried consultation left for the western part of the district to inspect claims.

It is announced that Messrs. Shelton and Brewster are western capitalists who are interested in knowing what Porcupine contains and that they are ready to become Porcupine mining men on a fair proposition.

Chas. Fox.

SURFACE SHOWINGS THE BEST IN THE CAMP

Vein of 10 to 16 Feet Wide on Rea Mines—Shaft Down Forty-Five Feet.

PORCUPINE CITY, Feb. 8.—(From Our Man Up North.)—Altho work at the Rea Mines, Limited, known as the Consolidated Goldfields of South Africa, is going on steadily with a large force of men under the direction of Engineer Kingsmill, one of the valued employes of the company, very little is heard around the camp of the recent big showings made in the 45-foot shaft on a main vein.

Here are the best surface showings to be seen in the camp, for it is the big man who is able to carry the expense of shoveling snow and doing a hundred other things in order that mining work may be carried on at all in the winter months.

With a vein varying from 10 to 16 feet in width, and shafts being driven down with all the force men can give to the work, and free gold showing in plenty, there is every indication that in a short time the scene of the big things will have been transferred from the western part of Tisdale and the northern part of Whitney to the centre of Tisdale, in a most accessible spot.

Altho there is nothing to be given out to the public, it is known that this company are here to stay, for it is said that, barring the lack of depth, which the company have not had time to prove, showings on the Rea mines are of the kind that carry confidence.

The property was owned by the McConnell Brothers, who are much interested in the success of the camp.

Chas. Fox.

15-FOOT QUARTZ LEADS ON MULHOLLAND CLAIM

Exceptional Free Gold Showings on Property North of Porcepine Townsite.

PORCUPINE CITY, Feb. 8.—(From Our Man Up North.)—Sensational finds on properties to the north of the Porcupine townsite have been coming so rapidly of late, that little is thought of them here. Only to-day comes the announcement from the owner himself George Mulholland, of not only another big free gold find on the Mulholland claims, but also free gold in the "horses of schist," that ribbon the 15-foot quartz leads on his claims.

The finds were made in the vein to the east of where work was done last fall, and appears in every crack and seam of the rock where rusts have loaded the apertures.

"Five buyers are after the property just now,' said Mr. Mulholland to The World, "but I am not ready to sell till I prospect more and learn something of the extent of the leads carrying values. If the property is of no value, then no one will want it, and if it is good, I want to know it."

Stripping will be continued with seven men at work, and it is expected that within a week more elaborate gold showings wil have been bared to view.

The vein comes straight from the west on the Scottish-Ontario, and varies in width. In places the clear quartz runs from six to nine feet in width, with a ribbon of schist, then another vein of quartz from two to three feet wide, and then another ribbon of schist, till in all the vein matter extends over a distance of fully 15 feet. Outside of this one big vein there are several smaller ones uncoverd.

It is known that altho several men are bidding for the property, undoubtedly within a few days at the least a proposition will be laid before a Buffalo man that will probably be accepted. The price ranges above the $125,000 mark.

Chas. Fox.

Caught a Heavy Cold.

It Left Him with a Hacking Cough.

Mr. J. H. Richards, 1852 Second Ave, East, Vancouver, B.C., writes:—"Allow me to write a few lines in praise of your Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Last fall I contracted a heavy cold which left me with a hacking cough, and every time I would get a little more cold this hacking cough would become a lung splitting one. It kept on getting worse and I kept on spending money buying different cough remedies until a friend asked me if I had ever tried Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I told him I was willing to try anything I thought would cure, and on the same day bought two bottles. Before half the first one was used my cough began to get much easier, and by the time I had used a bottle and a half my cough was gone. I am keeping the other half bottle in case it should come again but I am quite sure I have a positive cure. Let me recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup to all who suffer from a cough or throat irritation of any kind."

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MARKET DEFINITELY FIRM HOLLINGER UP 18 POINTS

Cobalts Continue in Fair Demand, With Some Advances in Evidence.

World Office,
Thursday Evening, Feb. 9.

While Cobalt stocks as a rule did not move much in to-day's markets, there was a definite firmness to the mining list which was entirely in line with the improved demand for stocks noted during the last few sessions.

Trading was of an active nature on the morning board, but later in the day the dealings narrowed down considerably, tho this was due more to a falling off in the volume of liquidating orders, than to any decreased call for securities.

There was an underlying current of bullish sentiment in relation to most of the cheaper issues, and this resulted in small advances in a number of instances. Timiskaming and Chambers-Ferland were in good demand and both of these stocks sold above their previous level, Timiskaming touching 88 on what was understood to be buying for American interests. The recent favorable reports from the mine and the expectation of another dividend in the near future were the factors which inspired the upward movement.

Beaver continued the most active issue, but the advance was checked by selling orders held by brokers, which were sufficient to take care of the demand. The shares ranged between 35⅞ and 36¼, closing at 36 bid.

Hargraves was adversely influenced by the annual report of the company, and the stock sold back another point to 18½. The shares had been bought in anticipation of higher prices following the financial statement, which showed cash on hand and due from the smelters of $81,232, and when the improvement in values did not materialize, the stock was thrown back on the market.

Trethewey was the feature of the higher priced issues, recording a net advance of three points from yesterday's high figure. McKinley-Darragh was fractionally firmer.

The movement in Hollinger was continued without interruption to-day. The shares were bought by New York and Buffalo interests, and under this demand moved up 18 points to $4.52. There is only a modicum of stock on offer locally, and brokers report that it is somewhat difficulty to get their orders filled.

TWENTY-NINTH DIVIDEND

Another 300 Per Cent. Distribution to Hudson Bay Shareholders.

The Timiskaming and Hudson Bay Mining Company have just declared their 29th dividend, 300 per cent., payable on the 13th inst. This involves a distribution of $23,283 amongst the shareholders, and brings the total amount paid by the company up to $1,358,175, or 17.500 per cent. on the issued stock. The dividend record is as follows:

	P.C.	Amount.
Prior to 1910	15,100	$1,171,911
1910—Jan. 11	300	23,283
1910—Feb. 17	300	23,283
1910—April 12	300	23,283
1910—May 25	300	23,283
1910—July 29	300	23,283
1910—Aug. 29	300	23,283
1910—Nov. 12	300	23,283
1911—Feb. 13	300	23,283
	17,500	$1,358,175

Property Not Sold.

The Brierly claim, being the north half of lot 10, concession 5, Tisdale, has not been sold to B. O. West of Toronto, as reported by our Porcupine correspondent on Feb. 7. Mr. Brierly, the owner, writes that he is still holding the property.

NOT SATISFIED WITH BRIDGE

Deputation Will Ask Works Committee to Reopen Sunnyside Issue.

Indications point to a prolonged meeting of the civic board of works this afternoon.

Queen-street subway at Sunnyside will come up for discussion again. A large deputation will ask another opportunity of presenting the claims of the roadway north of the tracks to Keele-street with an 80-foot subway at this point. A little doubt is expressed as to their being given a hearing, however.

A deputation of residents on Augusta-avenue from Richmond-street to St. Patrick-street, will protest against changing the name back to Esther-street.

The question of cluster lamps for street lighting under the local improvement act will come up again.

City Engineer Rust reports:

"With regard to the capacity of filters, they were designed to filter 5 million gallons per acre, or a total of 40 million gallons per day. It seems probable that no further enlargement will be required for some time, unless it should be found advantageous to put in some roughing filters to deal with the turbid water, caused by easterly storms. Even supposing the filters were closed down, the hypochloride treatment would render the water safe for consumption.

"The advantage of a duplicate intake is not only in the increased supply, but also in protecting the city from danger of water famine, caused by any obstruction to the flow of same thru one intake, as happened this winter.

"There does not appear to be any reason in tying up the proposed duplicate 6-foot pipe with the filter plant—until the same is completed and tested as to its actual capacity. We must have the water in any case, and if the filters cannot handle the quantity, then we must fall back on the hypochloride of lime treatment, till such time as they can be enlarged.

"The probable cost of enlarging the filters would be from $550,000 to $600,000. This amount might be more advantageously utilized in metering the city, which would reduce the consumption."

Increase in Immigration.

OTTAWA, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—The total immigration into Canada for the eight months, April to November, inclusive, all of this fiscal year was 243,171, as compared with 150,256 for the same period of last fiscal year, an increase of 62 per cent.

Placed

Mrs. B.—Is she a Mary of the vine-clad cottage?

Mrs. M.—No, a Martha of the rubber-plant flat.

SILVER MARKET.

Bar silver in London, 23 1-16d oz.
Bar silver in New York, 51⅝c oz.
Mexican dollars, 45c.

New York Curb.

Charles Head & Co. (R. R. Bongard) report the following prices on the New York curb:

Argentum, closed 2 to 4. Bailey, 5½ to 7. Buffalo, 2 to 2½. Bay State Gas, ½ to ⅝. Colonial Silver, 3-16 to 5-16. Cobalt Central, 9 to 9¼; 5000 sold at 9½. Foster, 3 to 8. Green-Meehan, 1 to 2½. Hargraves, 20 to 24. Kerr Lake, 7 1-16 to 7 3-16, high 7⅛, low 7 1-16; 500. King Edward, 9 to 12. La Rose, 4 13-16 to 4 15-16; 200 sold at 4⅞. McKinley, 1 9-16 to 1 11-16; 1000 sold at 1⅝. May Oil, 71 to 75. Nipissing, 11 to 11 1-16; 1000 sold at 11. Otisse, 1 to 3. Silver Queen, 3 to 8. Silver Leaf, 5½ to 7. Trethewey, 1.10 to 1.15. Union Pacific, 1½ to 3. Yukon gold, 4 1-16 to 4⅛.

Toronto Stock Exchange Curb.

—Morning Sales.—

Beaver—1000 at 36, 1000 at 36, 1000 at 36, 500 at 36¼, 500 at 36¼, 1000 at 36¼.
Sawyer Massey Com.—1 at 26½.
Smelters—5 at 45, 5 at 45.
Green-Meehan—100 at 1¾.
Hargraves—1000 at 20.
Coniagas—200 at 6.55, 100 at 6.55, 50 at 6.55.
Little Nipissing—2000 at 6½, 1000 at 6½, 500 at 6½, 1500 at 6½, 1000 at 6½, 100 at 6¼.
Dom. Canners, com.—5 at 53, 50 at 54, 1 at 54, 2 at 54, 50 at 54, 15 at 53¾.

—Afternoon Sales—

Coniagas—200 at 6.55, 200 at 6.55, 350 at 6.55, 200 at 6.55.
McKinley—500 at 1.62.
Hollinger—20 at 4.40, 20 at 4.40, 100 at 4.50, 100 at 4.50, 100 at 4.52, 100 at 4.53.

Dominion Stock Exchange

—Morning Sales.—

Beaver—1000, 1000, 500 at 36, 500, 500, 500 at 36⅛, 1000, 500 at 36⅞, 1000, 500, 1000 at 36.
Chambers Ferland—1000, 1000 at 12, 500, 1000, 1000 at 13, 500, 500, 1500 at 13, 2000 at 12⅞.
Coniagas—200, 100 at 657.
La Rose—100, 100 at 4.86, 100 at 4.86.
Little Nipissing—1000 at 6, 1000 at 6½, 500, 2000, 1000 at 6½, 500, 500, 500 at 6½, 1000, 500, 1000 at 6, 500 at 6¼.
McKinley—100 at 1.65.
Nipissing—10 at 11.00.
Peterson Lake—1000 at 14¼, 1000, 500 at 14½, 1000, 200 at 14.
Rochester—1000 at 3⅞, 500 at 4.
Right of Way—1000, 500 at 14¾, 1000, 500 at 14⅞.

—Afternoon Sales.—

Central—500 at 9.
Chambers - Ferland—500, 500 at 13½, 500, 500 at 13¾.
Cobalt Lake—500 at 16.
Coniagas—300, 200 at 657, 200 at 657.
Gifford—200 at 2⅜.
Hargraves—500 at 19¾.
McKinley—200 at 162⅝.
Nipissing—25 at 1100.
Peterson Lake—1000, 1000, 1000, 500, 500 at 14.
Rochester—1000, 1000 at 3⅞, 2000, 1000 at 3¼.
Silver Leaf—500 at 6.
Trethewey—100 at 110.
Hollinger—100 at 445, 100 at 448½.

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange.

Cobalt Stocks—

	Sell.	Buy.
Amalgamated	3	...
Bailey	6¾	5¾
Beaver Consolidated	36⅛	36
Big Six	...	...
Black Mines Con., Ltd	2½	1
Buffalo	2.30	2.00
Chambers - Ferland	13¼	12⅞
City of Cobalt	21	19
Cobalt Central	10	9½
Cobalt Lake	15½	15
Coniagas	6.75	6.60
Crown Reserve	2.70	2.64
Foster	7	5
Gifford	3	2
Great Northern	11½	10¾
Green - Meehan	2	1½
Hargraves	20½	19¾
Hudson Bay	115	105
Kerr Lake	7.25	7.00
La Rose	4.90	4.88
Little Nipissing	6¾	6¼
McKin.-Dar.-Savage	1.62	1.61½
Nancy Helen	4½	2
Nipissing	11.00	10.90
Nova Scotia	16	14
Peterson Lake	12	8
Otisse	1¾	1½
Peterson Lake	14½	14
Right of Way	14¼	14
Rochester	3½	3⅜
Silver Leaf	6¼	5½
Silver Bar	...	...
Silver Queen	5	2
Timiskaming	88⅞	88½
Trethewey	1.12	1.08
Watts	5	...
Wettlaufer	1.05	1.02

—Morning Sales.—

Bailey—500 at 5½.
Beaver—500 at 36¼, 500 at 36, 500 at 36, 200 at 36, 500 at 36, 1000 at 36, 1000 at 36, 1000 at 36, 1000 at 36¼, 1000 at 36¼, 500 at 36¼, 1000 at 36¼, 1000 at 36¼, 1000 at 36, 2000 at 36, 1000 at 36¼, 1000 at 36¼, 200 at 36¼, 1000 at 36, 500 at 36¼, 500 at 36, 1500 at 36, 500 at 36⅞, 500 at 35⅞, B 60 days, 1000 at 37½, 1000 at 37½, 1000 at 37½, 1000 at 37½, 1000 at 37½, 1000 at 37½.
Chambers-Ferland—200 at 13, 100 at 13, 200 at 12¾, 500 at 12¾, 300 at 12¾, 1000 at 12¾.
Hargraves—2000 at 19½, 500 at 19¾, 100 at 19½, 500 at 19½, 500 at 19¾, 500 at 19¾, 500 at 19½.
Hudson Bay—5 at 1.07.
La Rose—25 at 4.88.
Little Nipissing—500 at 6¼, 1000 at 6¼, 100 at 6¼, 500 at 6¼, 500 at 6¼, 1000 at 6¼, 500 at 6¼, 500 at 6¼, 1000 at 6¼, 500 at 6¼.
McKin.-Dar.-Sav.—100 at 1.63, 400 at 1.62, 100 at 1.62½, 200 at 1.62, 500 at 1.62, 100 at 1.62.
Right of Way—1000 at 14¾, 250 at 15, 500 at 14½, 200 at 15, 200 at 15, 200 at 15, 500 at 14½, 100 at 15.
Rochester—1000 at 3⅞.
Silver Leaf—1000 at 6.
Timiskaming—100 at 87, 100 at 87.
Wettlaufer—50 at 1.09, 400 at 1.11, 100 at 1.11, 500 at 1.11, 100 at 1.11.

—Unlisted Stocks.—

Hollinger—200 at 4.36, 100 at 4.36, 100 at 4.40, 100 at 4.40, 100 at 4.41.
Gould Con.—500 at 2⅝.

—Afternoon Sales—

Hollinger—100 at 4.45, 100 at 4.46, 100 at 4.46, 100 at 4.46, 100 at 4.47, 100 at 4.47, 100 at 4.47½, 300 at 4.50, 100 at 4.50, 400 at 4.50, 100 at 4.47, 100 at 4.50, 100 at 4.50, 100 at 4.50, 100 at 4.50, 100 at 4.50, 100 at 4.51, 100 at 4.52, 25 at 4.48, 500 at 4.52½.
Carter Crume pref.—40 at 87.75.
Sun Hastings—8 at 75.25.
Dom. Can. com.—5 at 53.
Dom. Canners, pref W.B.—100 at 94.50.
Gould Con.—1000 at 2½.
Beaver—200 at 36, 500 at 36, 500 at 36, 500 at 36, 1000 at 36, 1500 at 36.
Chambers - Ferland—1000 at 12¾, 100 at 12¾, 500 at 13.
Coniagas—25 at 6.55.
Ha graves—100 at 20.
Little Nipissing—500 at 6½, 500 at 6½, 1500 at 6¼, 200 at 6¼.
McKin.-Dar.-Sav.—400 at 1.62, 100 at 1.62.
Peterson Lake—500 at 14¼.
Right of Way—600 at 14½, 500 at 14¼, 500 at 14¼.
Rochester—350 at 3⅞.
Timiskaming—500 at 87, 200 at 87½, 500 at 87½, 200 at 87¾, 100 at 88.
Trethewey—350 at 1.09, 150 at 1.09.
Total sales, 62,948.

TWO AVIATORS KILLED.

DOUAI, France, Feb. 9.—Two more names were added to the death roll of the aeroplane to-day. The Aviators Noel and Delatorre were killed while conducting a trial of a military aeroplane before experts from the war department, previous to its delivery to the army. Noel was the pilot and Delatorre a passenger.

The aviators were planing down from a height of about 250 feet, when suddenly the wings folded up and the machine fell headlong to the earth.

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DEARTH OF DRY FISH

Local Dealers Say Supply is Almost Exhausted.

The scarcity of dry fish, reported to be causing considerable alarm among the fish dealers and consumers of Nova Scotia, is also affecting the Toronto market, and according to F. T. James, head of a local wholesale fish concern, the supply in this city is almost exhausted. The prices, he said, have been abnormally high for the past few months, altho it was not expected that the supply would be cut off entirely.

Toronto people are not as great consumers of dry fish as the people of the maritime provinces, as fresh fish are so easily procured here. Nevertheless a sufficient amount is used in this city to make the present situation a grave one, especially in view of the Lenten season, which will soon commence.

A DOUBLE STANDARD.

MONTREAL, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Two weights and two measures is the way "L'Action Sociale" of Quebec sizes up the recent anti-reciprocity sermon delivered in Quebec by the Rev. Frederick Scott, and while the clerical organ says no one should dispute the Anglican clergyman's right to speak as he did on Sunday last, it wants to known what French-Canadian politicians would think or say if a Roman Catholic priest got up into the pulpit and expressed himself so plainly on political subjects as did the Rev. Mr. Scott.

New Queen's Professor.

KINGSTON, Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Prof. A. D. Ferguson, B.A., has been appointed to the vacancy on the staff of Queen's University caused by the retirement of Prof. S. W. Dyde. He has been acting as assistant professor in philosophy and lecturer in psychology.

Held Up Broker.

As the result of an argument at the border between S. D. Dodds, United States immigration officer, and E. H. Rose, an English stock broker, an enquiry may be held concerning the former's conduct. The immigration officer demanded $4 before allowing the complainant to enter the United States, and when Mr. Rose asked upon what ground he made his demand, a verbal warfare ensued, which it is alleged was an unnecessary indignity upon the traveler.

Presentation to R. E. Patterson

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