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FIRMER TONE IN MINING MARKET

Nipissing, Beaver and Kirkland Lake Are Leading Features—Dome, Ex. Firmer.

Mining stocks showed a distinctly firmer tone yesterday, with strength particularly pronounced in Nipissing, Beaver and Kirkland Lake. The day's transactions, 21,000 shares, compared with 56,000 on the previous day, and the feeling among mining men was that the corner had been turned, and that better days had immediately ahead of the market.

Nipissing has been increasingly scarce in recent days, and yesterday would-be buyers of the stock became more aggressive, with the result that after an advance of 25 cents a share, the bid was raised sharply to \$12.15 with no stock on offer below \$12.50. The company's annual report is not likely to be issued for several weeks yet, but lively anticipations have been aroused by forecasts of a remarkably favorable showing. One prediction is that the report will show about 7,775,000 ounces of silver in reserve, or an increase of about 1,000,000 ounces over the figure at the end of 1918. Beaver was again in brisk demand, and rose 1 1/2 points, to 64 1/2, closing at the top. Crown Reserve was firm at 38 1/2, Peterson Lake held at 21 1/2 and Treshoway at 47, while Timiskaming, at 4 1/2, was up half a point.

La Rose was easier after its display of fireworks on Thursday, and yielded 1 1/2 points, to 60 1/2. Some further details were received yesterday of the find on the La Rose property. The vein in the vein is said to be about 2 inches wide, running more than 6,000 ounces of silver to the ton, with native silver in the wall rock on either side.

Kirkland Lake, which continues to maintain a spread of about 10 points above the price of Beaver, sold up 2 points, to 74 1/2. Dome Extension aimed shareholders of the Dome Extension Company will be held in Toronto on March 10 for the purpose of authorizing the extending of the option held by the Dome Ex. to be retarded about three months, and Capt. Anchor, the manager of the property, expresses confidence that the six months' additional time will give the property ample opportunity to prove up to a point to 30. A special meeting of West Dome, at 8 1/2, was up 1/2.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Table with columns: Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec. Rows: Open, High, Low, Close, Prev.

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SENTIMENT CHEERFUL

Atlantic Sugar, Brazilian and Dominion Iron provided most of the activity in the Toronto market yesterday, and the two first-named, in particular, the strength of these issues, pointed a firm tone to stocks in general so that practically all changes were in the direction of net gains.

Nearly 2,000 shares of Atlantic Sugar were dealt in the range being bid 4 1/2 and 9 3/4 and the closing, which was at the high figure of the day, showing a net gain of 2 1/2 points with 9 3/4 as the closing bid. Brazilian advanced to 4 1/2 and 9 3/4 and the closing, which was at the high figure of the day, showing a net gain of 2 1/2 points, although the closing bid, 9 3/4, was below the previous day's closing bid of 10 1/2.

Trading in most stocks was of small proportions, but gains running from substantial fractions to nearly 2 points were the rule. Spanish River rose 1 1/2 to 8 1/2; Cement a point to 67 1/2; Steamships preferred, 1/2 to 8 1/2; Canada Bread, 1/2 to 30 1/2; and Canadian General Electric, 1/2 to 10 1/2.

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Table with columns: Name, Asked, Bid. Rows: Brompton common, do. preferred, do. income bonds, etc.

TORONTO SALES.

Table with columns: Name, Op. High, Low, Cl. Sales. Rows: Atl. Sugar, Bank Com., B.N.S., etc.

CHICAGO STOCKS.

Table with columns: Name, Open, High, Low, Close. Rows: Carbide, Lili, Nat. Leather, etc.

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Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask. Rows: Atlantic Sugar, Barcelona, B.C. Fishing, etc.

STANDARD SALES.

Table with columns: Name, Op. High, Low, Cl. Sales. Rows: Apex, Boat, Dime, etc.

NEW YORK CURE.

Table with columns: Name, Bid, Ask. Rows: Allied Packers, Allied Oil, Anglo-Safety Razor, etc.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Table with columns: Name, Op. High, Low, Cl. Sales. Rows: Ames, Atl. S., Adit., etc.

ATLANTIC SUGAR IS AGAIN LEADER

Much Dealt in at Montreal—National Breweries in Big Rise.

Montreal, Feb. 20.—Atlantic Sugar retained the active leadership of the list in today's dealings on the Montreal stock exchange, with a total of nearly 500 shares, and with a price gain of 2 1/2 points, to closing sale of 9 3/4, after touching 9 1/2. Second in importance to sugar, but more spectacular, was National Breweries common, which was dealt in to the extent of 2100 shares, which jumped 6 1/2 points, to 20 1/2, at the close, after reaching 20 1/2. Pup and other stocks were prominent, Spanish River common closing at 8 1/2; while Abitibi put on six points, to 28.

NEW YORK FUNDS EASIER.

New York funds were again easier in the local market yesterday, being quoted around 1 1/2 per cent premium on Thursday.

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