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Farms Wanted.

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WE HAVE ninety sets which must be sold, all first-class material, made to give every satisfaction; heavy lumber, city breeching and farm team harness, made specially for western farmers; several styles; low bargain prices; jute horse blankets, well lined; two surcingles, dollar thirty each; also lot second-hand team and single harness; cutters and robes, cheap. College Saddlery Warehouse, 343 College St.

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EIGHT OR NINE ROOMS

Give these particulars in first letter: Street and number; number of rooms; detached or semi-detached; heating system; size of lot; price; amount of mortgage; cash payment wanted. Box 66, World.

WEEK'S TRADE IN LIVE STOCK

All Classes of Cattle, Sheep and Lambs Were in Strong Demand.

HOGS WERE HIGHER

Sold at Fifteen Dollars and Twenty-Five Cents, Fed and Watered.

Cattle receipts this week have been light and nearly a thousand less than the corresponding week of 1916. There was a good strong market for all classes, best butchers selling at from $10.50 to $11.25, with a few odd bunches selling up to $11.75. The best price realized for a straight load was $11.25 for 17 steers, average weight 1400 lbs. each.

Most of the cattle were the common to medium half-finished kind and sold at from $9.60 to $10 per cwt.; and packers say that at these prices they cost more than the $11.25 cattle.

Bulls were firm and in good demand, choice selling at $9.50 to $10. A few extra choice animals sold at $10.25, $10.40 and $10.65 per cwt.

The demand for cows continues, choice selling at from $8.75 to $9.25 and good at $8 to $8.50. Canners and cutters were steady all week at $5 to $5.75 per cwt.

Stockers and feeders.—Trade in this line was steady to strong, especially for choice animals. Choice feeders, 800 to 900 lbs., sold at $8.75 to $9, and in a few cases $9.25 to $9.50 was paid. Stockers, 700 to 800 lbs., sold at $8.25 to $8.75, and common steers and heifers, 500 to 600 lbs., at $6 to $7.50; yearlings, 600 to 700 lbs., sold at $7.50 to $8.50 per cwt.

Trade in milkers and springers was much improved, best cows selling at from $85 to $105 each. A few choice cows brought $110 to $125 each.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were very light, choice lambs selling very high. One lot of 25 choice blackfaces, average weight 100 lbs. each, sold at $15.60 per cwt. Barnyard lambs of inferior quality are very hard to dispose of at satisfactory prices. Light sheep sold at from 10c to 11c lb., and heavy at 8½c to 9½c lb.

Calves were slow, draggy, and from $1 to $1.50 lower than last week, choice veal selling at 12½c to 13½c lb., with a few extra good selling at 14c lb.

Hogs.—There was a fair run this week, nearly 11,000 being on sale. The prices paid were the highest ever known in Toronto. The market closed with fed and watered selling at $15.10 to $15.25, and weighed off cars at $15.35 to $1.540.

Hog Prices for Next Week

Packers state that they are not sending out prices, that they are now well supplied and are not worrying over next week's shipments. It is more than likely, however, that the f.o.b. price will be either $14 or $14.15.

TOTAL LIVE STOCK.

The total receipts of live stock at the city and Union Stock Yards for the past week were:

	City.	Union.	Total.
Cars	58	327	385
Cattle	542	3446	3988
Calves	48	561	601
Hogs	524	10,452	10,976
Sheep	282	334	616
Horses	28	208	236

The total receipts of live stock at the two markets for the corresponding week of 1916 were:

	City.	Union.	Total.
Cars	45	393	438
Cattle	633	4211	4844
Calves	86	663	749
Hogs	570	5362	5932
Sheep	88	465	553
Horses	384	2356	2740

The combined receipts of live stock at the two markets for the past week show a decrease of 53 carloads, 856 cattle, 140 calves and 2504 horses, and an increase of 63 sheep and lambs and 5044 hogs, compared with the corresponding week of 1916.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Heavy steers—Choice at $10.75 to $11.25; good, $10.50 to $10.75.

Butcher steers and heifers—Choice at $10.50 to $11; good at $9.75 to $10.25; medium at $9.25 to $9.50; common at $8.50 to $9.

Cows—Choice at $8.75 to $9.25; good at $8 to $8.50; medium at $7.25 to $7.75; common at $6.25 to $6.75.

Canners and cutters—$5 to $5.75.

Bulls—Choice at $9.50 to $10; good at $8.75 to $9.25 medium at $8 to $8.50; common at $6.50 to $7.50.

Stockers and feeders—Best at $8.50 to $9.25; medium, $7.50 to $8.25; common, at $6.75 to $7.25.

Milkers and springers—Best at $85 to $105; medium, at $65 to $75; common, at $50 to $60.

Lambs—Choice, at 14c to 15c lb.; culls at 9c to 12c lb.

Sheep—Light, at 10c to 11c lb.; heavy at 8½c to 9½c lb.

Calves—Choice at 12½c to 13½c lb.; medium at 9c to 11c lb.; grass and common at 6c to 7½c lb.; heavy fat at 7½c to 9c lb.

Hogs—Fed and watered at $15.10 to $15.35; weighed off cars at $15.35 to $15.40.

Less $2.50 off sows, $4 to $5 off stags, $1 to $2 off light hogs; one-half of one per cent. government condemnation loss.

Hogs weighing 150 lbs. and under are called light.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, March 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 250; active and strong.

Veals — Receipts, 800; active, $5 to $13.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1600; active; heavy and mixed, $14.15 to $14.25; yorkers, $14 to $14.25; light yorkers, $13.25 to $13.75; pigs, $12.75 to $13; roughs, $12.75 to $13; stags, $10.50 to $11.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3500; steady; lambs, $12 to $14.75; yearlings, $10 to $11.35; wethers, $12 to $12.50; ewes, $6 to $11.75; mixed sheep, $11.75 to $12.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

Winnipeg, March 2.—Wheat showed advances of ½ to 2½c today. Oats were up ½c. Barley was ½c higher. Flax gained ⅝c to ¾c.

The strength which came in the last minutes caused wheat to close at the high points of the day. The rush came from the south, where several big shorts in corn were said to be covering. Mixed views from outside sources had little effect today, local prices being stubbornly strong. Trade was of fair volume, mostly in the hands of professionals.

Cash demand was fair for all grains.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—			
May	182½	180⅝	182½
July	180¼	178¼	180¼
Oct.	147	145	147
Oats—			
May	61½	60⅝	61½
July	61¼	60⅝	61¼
Flax—			
May	....	....	258⅞

PRIMARIES.

	This wk.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Wheat—			
Receipts	633,000	998,000	1,286,000
Shipments	482,000	683,000	947,000
Corn—			
Receipts	775,000	1,470,000	805,000
Shipments	850,000	880,000	642,000
Oats—			
Receipts	647,000	1,162,000	598,000
Shipments	722,000	1,162,000	598,000

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RAPID DECREASE IN POTATO PRICES

New Brunswick Delawares Drop One Dollar in Two Days.

OTHER PRODUCTS FIRM

Cost of Yellow Danvers Onion Has Again Advanced.

Potatoes again declined on the wholesales yesterday, the New Brunswick Delawares selling at $4 per bag, and Ontarios at $3.50 to $3.75 per bag—a drop of $1 per bag in two days on the Delawares and from fifty to seventy-five cents on the Ontarios.

The other old vegetables remain very firm in price, carrots selling at $2 to $2.25 per bag; parsnips at $2.25 to $2.50 per bag; beets at $2.25 per bag.

Yellow Danvers onions again advanced in price, the seventy-five pound bags selling at $9.50 to $10 per bag.

Leaf lettuce is beginning to come in a little more freely and is slightly easier in price, selling at 25c to 40c per dozen bunches.

Hothouse rhubarb has remained stationary in price, as it has not been shipped in heavily enough to more than satisfy the demand.

A. A. McKinnon had a car of Ontario potatoes, selling at $3.50 per bag.

McWilliam & Everist had a car of bananas, selling at $1.75 to $2.25 per bunch; a car of cocoanuts, selling at $6 to $6.50 per sack.

Green peppers at 85c to 90c per dozen; mushrooms at 75c per lb.

H. Peters had a car of mixed vegetables, parsnips selling at $2.25 per bag; beets at $2.25 per bag, and carrots at $2 per bag.

White & Co. had a car of bananas, selling at $2.50 per bunch; a car of cocoanuts at $6 per sack; leaf lettuce at 25c to 40c per dozen, according to size; radishes at 40c to 50c per dozen bunches; rhubarb at $1 to $1.25 per dozen bunches; also a shipment of Yellow Danvers onions in 11-quart baskets, selling at $1.65 to $1.75, and hothouse tomatoes at 30c and 25c per lb. for No. 1 and No. 2 grades.

Chas. S. Simpson had a car of Cuban grapefruit selling at $3.50 per case; a large shipment of very choice mushrooms, selling at $3.25 per 4-lb. basket.

Wholesale Fruits.

Apples—No 1's, $6 to $8 per bbl.; No. 2's, $5 to $6 per bbl.; No. 3's, $3.50 to $5 per bbl.; British Columbia and Washington boxed, $2.50 to $2.75 per box.

Bananas—$1.75 to $2.25 and $2.50 per bunch.

Cranberries—Late-keeping, $9.50 per bbl., $3.25 per case.

Dates—11c to 12c per lb.; Fard dates, 16c per lb.

Figs—8½c to 12c per box, $2 per 10-lb. box.

Grapefruit—Florida, $4 to $4.50 per case; Cuban, $3.50 per case; Porto Rico, $3.50 per case.

Grapes—Malaga, from $7.50 to $8 per keg.

Lemons—Messina, $4 per case; California, $4.25 to $4.50 per case.

Oranges—Navels, $3.25, $3.50, $3.75 and $4 per case; Floridas, $4 to $4.50 per case.

Pineapples—None being offered.

Prunes—11c to 14½c per lb.

Rhubarb—Hothouse $1 to $1.25 per dozen bunches.

Strawberries—55c and 60c per box.

Tangerines—Florida, $3 per case.

Tomatoes—Floridas, $5 to $6.50 per six-basket crate; hothouse, 30c and 25c per lb. for No. 1 and No. 2.

Wholesale Vegetables.

Beets—$2.25 per bag; new, $1.25 per dozen bunches.

Beans—Dried, white, $6 per bushel; Lima, 10½c to 11c per lb.

Cabbage—Florida, $3.75 to $4 per hamper.

Carrots—$2 to $2.25 per bag; new, $1 per dozen bunches.

Celery—None on the market.

Cauliflower—California, $4 to $4.25 per case.

Cucumbers—Imported, hothouse, $2.50, $2.75 to $3 per dozen.

Horseradish—$11 and $7 per bbl.

Lettuce—Leaf, 25c to 40c per dozen; Florida, head, $3.50 per small hamper; $5 per large hamper.

Mushrooms—$2.50 to $3.25 per basket.

Onions—Spanish, $11 per large, and $5.50 per half case; Yellow Danvers, $9.50 to $10 per 75-lb. bag.

Parsley—$1 and $1.50 per doz. bunches.

Parsnips—$2.25 to $2.50 per bag.

Potatoes—New, $3.50 per hamper.

Potatoes—New Brunswick Delawares, $4 per bag; Ontarios, $3.50 to $3.75 per bag.

Radishes—40c to 50c per dozen bunches.

Shallots—75c to $1 per dozen bunches.

Sweet potatoes—$2.50 to $2.75 per hamper.

Peppers—90c per dozen.

Turnips—$1 to $1.25 per bag.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

There were seventeen loads of hay brought in yesterday, the top price being $15 per ton.

Hay and Straw—		
Hay, No. 1, per ton	$13 00 to $15 00	
Hay, No. 2, per ton	12 00	13 00
Straw, rye, per ton	18 00	....
Straw, loose, per ton	10 00	12 00
Straw, cut, bundled, per ton	16 00	17 00

Seed Prices—

The following are the seed prices wholesalers are paying at country points:

Alsike, No. 1, bush	$10 00 to	$10 50
Alsike, No. 2, bush	8 50	9 00
Alsike, No. 3, bush	7 00	8 00
Alsike, rejected	4 25	6 50
Timothy, cwt.	3 00	6 50
Timothy, common, grade, cwt.	1 50	3 00
Red clover, No. 1, bush	9 75	10 00
Red clover, No. 2, bush	9 00	9 50
Red clover, No. 3, bush	8 00	8 50
Dairy Produce, Retail—		
Eggs, new, per doz.	$0 50 to	$0 60
Bulk going at	0 55	....
Butter, farmers' dairy	0 42	0 50
Chickens, lb.	0 27	0 30
Boiling fowl, lb.	0 24	0 28
Live hens, lb.	0 24	0 26
Turkeys, lb.	0 30	0 35
Farm Produce, Wholesale.		
Butter, creamery, fresh-made, lb. squares	$0 44 to	$0 46
Butter, creamery, solids	0 42	0 43
Butter, dairy	0 35	0 40
Eggs, new-laid, in cartons, per dozen	0 45	....
Eggs, new-laid, case lots, per dozen	0 44	....
Eggs, cold storage, selects, per doz., none offered.		
Cheese, June, per lb.	0 27½	....
Cheese, new, twins	0 27½	0 28
Honey, 60 lbs., per lb.	0 12	....
Honey, comb, per dozen	2 50	3 00
Honey, glass jars, dozen	1 00	2 00
Fresh Meats, Wholesale.		
Beef, hindquarters, cwt.	$17 00 to	$19 00
Beef, choice sides, cwt.	15 00	17 00
Beef, forequarters, cwt.	14 50	15 50
Beef, medium, cwt.	12 50	15 00
Beef, common, cwt.	9 00	11 00
Mutton, cwt.	11 00	15 00
Lambs, spring, each	11 00	14 00
Lambs, lb.	0 21	0 23
Veal, No. 1	18 00	19 00
Veal, common	9 50	13 00
Dressed hogs, cwt.	15 50	19 50
Hogs, over 150 lbs.	14 50	16 50
Poultry (Prices Being Paid to Producer).		
Live-Weight Prices—		
Chickens, lb.	$0 20 to	$....
Ducks, lb.	0 18	....
Fowl, 4 lbs. and over, lb.	0 22	....
Fowl, under 4 lbs., lb.	0 17	....
Dressed—		
Chickens, lb.	$0 25 to	$....
Ducks, lb.	0 22	....
Fowl, 4 lbs. and over, lb.	0 22	....
Fowl, under 4 lbs., lb.	0 17	....
Squabs, per dozen	3 50	4 00
Hides and Skins.		

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front street, Dealers in Wool, Yarns, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Raw furs, tallow, etc.:

Lambskins and pelts	$1 50 to	$2 00
Sheepskins, city	2 50	2 50
Sheepskins, country	1 50	3 00
City hides, flat	0 20	....
Country hides, cured	0 20	....
Country hides, part-cured	0 18	....
Country hides, green	0 17½	....
Calfskins, lb.	0 25	....
Kip skins, per lb.	0 20	....
Horsehair, per lb.	0 42	....
Horsehides, No. 1	6 00	7 00
Horsehides, No. 2	5 00	6 00
Wool, washed	0 45	0 50
Wool, rejections	0 35	0 38
Wool, unwashed	0 37	0 40
Tallow, No. 1, cake, lb.	0 09	0 10
Tallow, solids	0 08	0 09

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PRESIDENT'S LETTER TO SHAREHOLDERS

F. L. Culver Reaffirms Desirability of Deal.

In reply to criticism in connection with the much-discussed Kirkland Lake deal, President F. L. Culver has sent out the following letter:

To the shareholders of the Timiskaming Mining Company, Limited—A few days ago, a notice was sent out calling a special general meeting of shareholders, to be held at the head office of your company, on Monday, March 5, 1917, to pass upon a by-law which by-law would give your directors authority to make an investment of your money in shares of the Kirkland Lake Gold Mining Company, Limited.

Your directors have investigated this proposition very thoroly, and altho they recommend the investment along the lines proposed, the shareholders must determine whether or not they wish to have the investment made.

Your directors desire to have it thoroly understood that, under no circumstances, are they trying to force this proposition; it must meet with the hearty approval of a very large majority of the shareholders represented at the meeting.

The proposition is recommended solely with the idea of prolonging the life of your company. It is true your company has a lot of acreage which was acquired under former administrations, but with the exception of the properties which the company is at present mining and the possible exception of North Dome, these are not deemed valuable as mining properties.

Your directors have placed the proposition before the shareholders, and the responsibility for or against the by-law must remain entirely with the shareholders.

LONDON STOCK MARKET.

London, March 2.—The comfortable condition of the money market indicates the skill with which war loan funds are being transferred to the Bank of England and then released for the market. Short loans were plentiful and discount rates were easy today.

The stock market, tho generally firm, showed no business expansion. Rubber stocks, the war loan, consols and home rails comprised the limited transactions recorded. Consols recovered the dividend deduction. Shipping were dull and South American issues further weakened. Only a few markings occurred in the low-priced American securities. The others were neglected.

BANK OF FRANCE.

Paris, March 2.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

Gold in hand, increase 6,759,000 francs; silver in hand, decrease 2,295,000 francs; notes in circulation, increase 208,891,000; treasury deposits, increase 36,903,000 francs, general deposits, increase 3,970,000 francs, bills discounted, increase 44,174,000 francs; advances, decrease 2,505,000 francs.

LOCAL BROKERAGE FIRM EXTENDING.

Hamilton B. Wills, the local mining broker, is extending still further his field of operations. In a notice to this effect, he states that he will be represented in Detroit by the well-known firm of Kern and Kilets.

COMPANIES INCORPORATED.

By a Staff Reporter.

Ottawa, Ont., March 2.—The following companies have been incorporated under Dominion charter: Carbon and Alloy Steels Company, Hamilton, $1,500,000; Canadian Consolidated Press, Ltd., Toronto, $1,000,000; International Shipbuilding Corporation, Ltd., Montreal, $2,000,000; Canadian Coil Products Engineering Ltd., Toronto, $1,250,000; Canadian Rein Drive Tractors, Ltd., Toronto, $1,000,000.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

Liverpool, March 2.—Closing.—Flour—Winter patents, 47s.

Hops in London (Pacific coast), £4 15s to £5 15s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 128s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., 125s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 129s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., 130s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 129s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 130s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, new and old, nominal; American refined, 136s 9d; in boxes, 138s 6d.

Tallow—Australian in London, 60s 9d.

Turpentine—Spirits, 55s.

Rosin—Common, 28s 9d.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 2½d.

Linseed oil, 54s; cotton seed oil, Hull refined, spot, 51s 4d.

CHICAGO GRAIN.

J. P. Bickell & Co. report:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Wheat—					
May	183½	184⅞	182⅛	184⅞	182⅞
July	156¾	156⅝	154⅝	156¼	156
Sep.	144⅛	145	143¼	144¾	144
Corn—					
May	102¾	105⅝	102⅛	105⅝	101½
July	101⅞	105¼	101⅝	105¼	101⅞
Oats—					
May	57⅝	58⅝	57⅛	58¼	57⅝
July	55½	56	55⅛	56	55⅝
Pork—					
May	32.25	32.47	32.02	32.47	31.95
July	31.52	31.75	31.50	31.75	31.30
Lard—					
May	18.67	18.65	18.47	18.62	18.47
July	18.50	18.60	18.45	18.60	18.40
Ribs—					
May	17.12	17.25	17.02	17.22	17.05
July	17.10	17.22	17.00	17.22	17.07

ARMING SHIPS AIDS STOCK EXCHANGE

Action at Washington Encourages Wall Street, Stocks Rising Again.

U. S. STEEL LEADS LIST

Coppers, Zinc, Leather Rise Two to Four Points in Trading.

New York, March 2.—Wall street seemed to take fresh courage today from events at Washington, the course of legislation, more particularly the armament measures, infusing vitality to war shares and affiliated stocks. The trading was again very moderate in comparison with the activity of recent months, but embraced a wide variety of issues.

Rails were almost the only disappointing feature, their continued backwardness, aside from a moderate inquiry for coalers and New York Central being accompanied by January statements of earnings, some of which reflected the recent congested state of traffic.

Bethlehem Steel shares and the rights to the new stock regained a considerable part of their recent losses, the old stock making a gross gain of seven points to 127, with four for the new at 107½ and 3¾ for the rights at 7½. Their recovery was in part ascribed to semi-official statements to the effect that the controlling interests intended to take up their allotments of the new stock.

U. S. Steel again led the entire list, advancing 2½ to 106⅞, attaining its best quotation in the last hour on steady accumulation of large individual lots.

Copper and zinc stocks, Central Leather, American Woolen, Industrial Alcohol and a score of other issues representing interesting manufacturing war supplies were lifted 2 to 4 points with 7 for Texas Co., altho part of this was later forfeited.

Shippings and equipments, notably Mercantile Marines, Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies, American and Baldwin Locomotives and American Can were from 2 to 4 points higher. Decided heaviness was shown by Lorillard Tobacco common at losses of 20 and 5 points respectively. Total sales amounted to 435,000 shares. Italian and Russian exchange displayed greater weakness, lires recording a new low price, with rubles only a slight fraction over their minimum.

Bonds were steady. Total sales (par value), $2,195,000.

ADANAC DEVELOPMENT AT CRITICAL STAGE

H. B. Wills in his weekly market letter has the following:

With very few exceptions the general trend of prices in the mining market this week was sympathetically affected by the unsettled condition in international affairs, but the one stock that withstood it all was Adanac, and the strength in this issue is making itself manifest.

The drillers are now in about 100 feet from the main shaft on the 400-foot level, and breaking down over four feet per day in the crosscut being driven to reach the rich vein system proven on the two upper levels. Mine Manager Randolph is constantly on the job expecting every round of shots may bring into sight an important vein. The mineralization is becoming heavier at each round, with identical conditions existing on Adanac as were found at the same depth on both Beaver and Timiskaming just prior to the opening up of spectacularly rich values. According to the company's map the big high-grade vein encountered for a short distance on the 300-foot level should be reached within the next 25 feet of crosscutting, but before this point is reached it is also expected two other veins which were cut on the 200-foot level, and not gone after on the 300, will also be tapped. Within the next 100 feet of driving, I am officially informed, at least four veins containing silver and running parallel to each other on the upper levels will be encountered.

FIND REPORTED ON THOMPSON-KRIST

R. E. Kemerer in his weekly market letter has the following: There have been several small bursts of activity in the shares of the Thompson-Krist and there has been a considerable amount of buying of the issue from the north, which buying has been based on the results of the diamond drilling which are reported to be most favorable. We have been informed on excellent authority that one of the drills has cut thru seventy-five feet of quartz on an angle of forty-five degrees, which would give an ore body of something over forty feet, and that this quartz carries commercial values in gold. Assays have not as yet been made, so that it is idle to speculate on actual values; but if this ore body has reasonable values, as is reported, the Thompson-Krist has at least the makings of a big mine. The find was made on the South Thompson claim of the property, and is generally believed to be the extension of the big North Thompson vein on which such a large quantity of high grade ore has been blocked out.

MUST DEMONSTRATE STRENGTH

Heron & Co. had the following at the close:

Montreal, March 2.—The market was strong today, but the volume of trading was very light, and the public seems to be taking no interest in the local stocks. If the market continues to advance the public would be attracted and would buy stocks, but it will have to make a real demonstration of strength first.

MINING MARKET APPEARS OVERSOLD

Heavy Short Interest Reported Firmer Tone Apparent Yesterday.

Tho still narrow and lacking in public interest, the mining market yesterday displayed considerable improvement in tone, with a firmer feeling practically thruout the list. In the absence of any considerable amount of buying recoveries were small, but on the other hand there was little liquidation. The fear of labor trouble in the north has been overhanging the market for days, causing the longs to be a little shaky about their holdings. Professional traders have seized this opportunity to depress stocks which have proven rather vulnerable to these attacks. Those in close touch now state that the market is heavily oversold, and a turn for the better should be followed by rapid covering of short accounts.

The vicious drive on Apex on the preceding day was halted yesterday, and a nice recovery to 9¼ took place. Rumors of the closing down of the property were circulated for a purpose, and this brought out some selling. According to an official of the company a break occurred in the pipe line, which necessitated a temporary delay, but the damage has been repaired and work will be in full swing again in a day or so.

Bearish attention was directed toward McIntyre, but after a slight recession to 179 the market for this stock became stronger, with $1.80 bid for several large blocks of stock on the close. Boston Creek held steady at 120, while Dome Extension was slightly improved at 28¼ to 28½. Dome Lake weakened further, selling back to 23, a loss of two points from the previous day. Hollinger relapsed in quietness, but holding well at $5.20. Porcupine Crown was a little higher at 67 to 68. Newray at 116 was unchanged, while a good demand for Thompson-Krist was in evidence, the stock closing at 22 bid. West Dome Consolidated firmed up a point to 28.

Trading in the silver stocks was rather dull, but stocks were in the main steady. This was particularly true of Timiskaming and Beaver, the former selling up again to 56, while Beaver went up to 44. Hargraves recovered to 19. Peterson Lake was firm at 12. The change in the directorate of Peterson Lake may cause a small flurry in the stock. The opposition has gained strength during the last few months, and it was in open secret that a shake up of some sort would take place. Whether the new directors will be able to produce better results than the old remains to be seen.

DIRECTOR CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS AT OPHIR

Striking of High-Grade at Contact Predicted.

A director of the Ophir Cobalt Mines, Limited, who has just returned from a trip to the property, states that the underground workings were examined in conjunction with the consulting engineer in charge of the work. No. 2 vein is one of the largest and strongest in the camp, and has been driven on about 120 feet north from the crosscut. The vein at this point is a strong calcite vein of about 28 to 30 inches wide. This drift has not yet reached the Ophir line.

The whole energy of the working staff has been put on vein No. 1 during February and, up to February 26, they had carried this drift about 170 feet on to the Ophir property towards the contact under Ophir shaft No. 2. There remains a distance of about 80 or 90 feet to reach the vein under shaft No. 2. The conditions at this point appear to be identical with other properties which have developed for and found ore at or near the contact in southeast Coleman. The engineer in charge is very sanguine as to results when the contact is reached, as the vein on the bottom of Ophir shaft No. 2 is 4 feet wide and assays about 48 ounces of silver to the ton. The present development from vein No. 1 is being directed so as to cut the No. 2 shaft vein at a depth of about 415 feet below the surface, which the engineer calculate will be approximately on the contact. This work should be completed within about 30 days.

All of the above development work is below the contact, and it is confidently expected that, when the contact is reached, further development work will discover high-grade silver ore, the same as has been found in other parts of southeast Coleman.

TO NEGOTIATE FOR ELECTRIC POWER

Now that there is a surplus of power available in Porcupine, the management of the Davidson Gold Mines, Ltd., has opened negotiations for the extension of the power line into the company's property. Up to the present, wood has been utilized to develop steam power, but it is much more advantageous to use electricity, now that it has beome available.

Development of the south-eastern end of the ore body on the 100-fo