Porcupine Stocks Quiet and Generally Easier---Mining News Tor

MARKET MOVES IN RUT

Announcement of New Stock Issue Deesn't Help Big Porcupine Security—General List Inclined to Sag on Incoming of Li-

World Office,
Thursday Evening, May 23.
The mining exchanges drifted to-day into the customary period of dulness which usually precedes a holiday period, and price changes in the majority of instances were so restricted in extent as to be absolutely featureless. The offering down of Hollinger was, in effect, the only interesting event of the session, and to such an extent was trading limited in the general list that speculators could only be judged to have left the market to find its own levels until after the week-end adjournment.

Hollinger was in scant demand at the opening of the session, and holders were forced to make material concessions in quotations in order to attract buyers. The shares dropped below the eleven-dollar mark early in the day, and while no selling of any account took place, it was quite apparent that the announcement of the new stock issue of 50,000 shares had not been accepted as a buil factor on the stock. In all only a scattered block or two changed hands, but the prices realized were at a big reduction from yesterday's selling prices.

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In the general list the downturn in Hollinger was reflected to a certain extent, and some few restricted declines were occasioned. It was simply that there was no buying demand of any account in the market, and that sellers were forced to make concessions in order to fill their orders in consequence. Values just sagged off by small fractions in the usual favorites, and at the close stood only a slight distance removed from a parity with the previmoved from a parity with the previ-

There was nothing particular doing in the Cobalt list, and outside of a flurry in Silver Leaf, which sold up about a point, no price changes of any material extent were recorded.

MERRY SCRAP IN PETERSON LAKE CO.

In pursuance of his avowed purpose to displace the present directorate of the Peterson Lake Mining Company with an active board, S. G. Forst has addressed a circular to the shareholders of the Peterson Lake Co., in which he apologizes for having helped to elect the present directorate and encloses a long letter sent by him to Sir Henry M. Pellatt, president of the Peterson Lake Co., containing a number of leading questions which Sir Henry has so far neglected to answer.

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Mr. Forst's letter says in part:
I am, as you know, interested in the welfare of the Peterson Lake Company, and I am much dissatisfied with the manner in which the company's affairs have been managed, and on this account am led to believe that you are not taking enough personal interest in not taking enough personal interest in the affairs of the company. I shall, therefore, be obliged if you will answer the following questions which are of paramount interest to the stockhold-

ors:

Do Pellatt & Pellatt receive \$2,750
for their clerk's services to act as secretary of the Peterson Lake Co. and for the privilege of having it said the Peterson Lake Co. have an office?

If so, why is there not a sign on the door and a telephone number that would indicate to the shareholders in seneral that the common that the same of the shareholders in Balloy. general that the company has an of-

What salary does the Peterson Lake to allow the Cobalt Lake engineer for its services and what are supposed to his services for the Peterson Lake

How much money have you received from the Nova Scotia Co. for ore taken from the company's property? How many tons have they treated since the last annual meeting to the present date, and how much have you allowed

them for treating the ore?
What amount of funds has the company in its treasury, and how many shares of the stock are in the treas-

Is it true that the Kerry Mining Co. were compelled to give up their Peterson Lake leases, and that you have allowed Mr. Segsworth and others to re-enter into possession? If so, what compensation did you receive from them for the same, and have they done they work on the preserve they work on the preserve they are the they are they are they are the they are they are they are the they are the they are they any work on the property since? If so, how much development work have they done since taking over the lease? I would think if your directors were acting in the interests of the Peterson Lake Co. you would have worked the above section of the property for the

Is it true that four of the Peterson Lake directors, including yourself, have recorded but 9500 shares of P. L. stock among them? How many meetings of the directors of P. L. Co. were held during the present year, and which of

Which of the leases are working at the present time on the property of the company and what work is being done by the Peterson Lake Co. 2

compelling the Provincial Mining Co. price, considering the property is contended by many to be one of the very company pay for the timber they are best undeveloped properties in the Cosupposed to have taken from the Peter- balt camp.

son Lake Island? what precautions are you taking to see that you are receiving your share of the ore taken from the company's

property?
Have you any ore on hand at present and is it true you were getting some high grade ore from the Peterson

upon the property ,etc., and inquiring work.

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what steps are you taking towards why the stock is selling at so low a what steps are you taking towards why the stock is selling at so low a waldening the property is con-

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high grade ore from the Peterson Lake property recently?

How many men are working for the Peterson Lake Co., and how many hours per day?

Is it true our worthy president is a summer the moving spirits of the Apex Swanta and Lake. The discovery was made on the McCosh syndicate claims where a wain 30 feet wide has been open and the moving spirits of the Apex Swanta and Swanta and Lake. Is it true our worthy president is among the moving spirits of the Apex, Moneta, Gold Peak, Ophir, Peterson Lake and various other Cobalt, Montreal River and Gowganda mining companies?

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British Columbia Mining Proposition Owned by Ontario Capitalists Comes to Front -70-Ton Mill Installed

and cyaniding. The mill is driven by a hydro-electric plant and has ten 1250-ib. stamps, tube mills, steel tanks, filters and all other necessary machinery and apparatus for treating the ore. An aerial tramway has been erected with terminals and bins at the upper floor of the mill and at the portal of tunnel No. 5. The power is obtained from a hydro-electro plant owned by the company.

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WE WOULD IMPRESS, also, that the DOMINION OIL COMPANY is very conserva-

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MONTREAL, May 23.—New high records for Montreal Power and Spanish River common and a recovery by Dominion Steel were the principal features in a quiet day on the Montreal Stock Exchange. Elsewhere the list was dull, with price changes small and showing a mixture of gains and losses at the close. Spanish River common proved the big trading feature of the day, making a sensational advance of 2 3r4 points to 65 on a turnover of about 2300 shares in the morning. Top price was reached just before the close of the board and in the afternoon Mt held firm at the advance and shaded off only a small fraction. Canadian Pacific was dull, with the page off two points in the first transaction, but showing a recovery of over one point at 262 5-8 in the last sale.

Vest Pocket Life Savers

Wonderful Lifebuoys, Lifebelts and Mattress-Rafts, Which Have All Been Patented.

Every big shipwreck bring forward a number of inventors who have discovered an absolutely perfect method of saving life at sea. Needless to say, nine-tenths of these inventions are ut-

nine-tenths of these inventions are utterly useless.

Most inventors have turned their
energies to making a ship unsinkable. In fact, the ideas for unsinkable ships
are simply legion. When the ill-fated
Drummond Castle went down off
Ushant, drowning every soul, save two,
a French engineer came forward with
a scheme for making ships unsinkable,
no matter how much damage they had
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His idea was to have a number of waterproof, air-tight bags attached to receptacles containing calcium carbide. As soon as water enters the ship and wets the carbide volumes of acetylene gas are produced, turning the gas-tight bags into balloons. Even if the ship was completely water-logged, it was stated that these bags would be sufficient to keep it afloat. So far the invention has not been taken up.

One would have thought that lifebelts could hardly be improved upon. Mr. Robert Whitby, invented some years ago, however, a lifebuoy which carries a night-light with it, and signals its position on the water on the darkest night. The buoy is capable of keeping four to six people afloat for an indefinite time.

Another lifebuoy that was considered

four to six people afloat for an indefinite time.

Another lifebuoy that was considered by the British admiralty a few years ago was fitted with an ingenious series of water-tight compartments, and contained food, water, and brandy sufficient for three days. The limit, however, was reached by the inventor of this lifebuoy when he provided his apparatus with a light and a selection of books to read while the unfortunate "man overboard" was waiting to be rescued!

An ingenious substitute for the lifebeit was tested some time ago, but, like many more of these inventions, it has not come into universal use. This invention was a kind of waistcoat with



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TERMS—Ten per cent. of the puchase price cash, to the vendor's sold tors at the time of sale, and the balant within one month thereafter. Further particulars and cond of sale can be had on applicati MILLS, RANEY, LUCAS & HALES, 806 Traders' Bank Building, Toronto. Vendor's Solicitors. Toronto, May 16th, 1912.

rubber air-bags which fitted over the shoulders. These air-bags were four in number and separate from one another, Many of them were capable of support-

Many of them were capable of supporting a man.

The waistcoat idea only weighed ilb, and the bags could be inflated and the whole thing slipped on in less than thirty seconds. The waistcoat was fitted with special water-tight pockets, which contained sufficient biscuits and fresh water to last for five days.

An ounce and a-half is not much to carry about, yet this is the weight of a pocket life-saver patented shortly after the loss of the Drummond Castle. It fitted into the waistcoat-pocket, and contained a cartridge, which exploded on contact with water and gave out

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