

# MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

## AMERICAN FORK PROPERTY SOLD

Dr. J. W. Holden Takes Over  
Large Interest in Bogg  
Group of Claims.

### BECOMES THE SOLE OWNER

Acquire Embraces Many Claims Ad-  
joining Mineral Flat Ground and  
Is Highly Regarded.

Although the consideration named in the records as for which the Bogg property, adjoining the Mineral Flat acreage in the American Fork district, is \$5,000, it is understood that it was much more, and that in addition to this fact the purchaser, Dr. J. W. Holden, is well satisfied with his new possession in which he has unbought faith. The recently recorded purchase is for a three-quarters interest in the property, the other quarter being already the property of Dr. Holden, and the present recorded transfer consequently makes him the sole owner of the ground.

The Bogg property has been neglected to the extent that comparatively little work has been done on it. It is regarded as being one of the most valuable in the district. It embraces 18 claims, 10 of which are patented, and much of the ground has never been prospected.

### STOCK MARKET VERY DULL

This morning's regular session of the stock exchange was much in accord with the weather, and even the recent boom in Iron Blossom showed unmistakable signs of sagging at the corners. Only four transfers of the stock occurred, aggregating a total of 2,400 shares, five points off from the price maintained yesterday.

Others, notably, Sioux, Con. and Tetro, maintained fair sales, but whether or not the falling off in Iron Blossom demand had anything to do with this is not known. With the exception of the morning session mentioned the business done at the regular session was extremely light and the market correspondingly dull.

### ONE SALE ON CURB

One lone sale was the net result of the open session of the stock exchange this morning, business among the unlisted stocks being a reflection of the earlier session.

Utah Treasure Hill was the only unlisted stock to record a sale, the price being 25 against the offer of 27; 17 1/2 was bid for Plutus, and 2 1/4 for East Crown Point, there being no offering or sale in either case.

### FORENOON QUOTATIONS.

Listed Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Addie	.....	.08
Ajax	.....	.31 1/2
Albion	.....	.23
Allice	.....	2.75
Beck Tunnel Con.	.....	.87
Big Hill	.....	.49
Bingham Amalg.	.....	.47 1/2
Black Jack Con.	.....	.47 1/2
Bonnie Brier	.....	.04
Brooklyn Con.	.....	.06
Bullcock	.....	.06
Carissa	.....	.15
Century	.....	.84
Colorado Mining	.....	3.00
Columbus Con.	.....	1.35
Com. Mercur	.....	1.75
Crown Point	.....	.17
Daily Judge	.....	4.65
Dragon	.....	.41
Dromedary Hump	.....	1.20
Eagle & Blue Bell	.....	.11
Eagles Nest	.....	.08
East Tintic Dev.	.....	.18
Emerald	.....	.03
Galena	.....	.30
Gold Circle Crown	.....	.30
Goldfield Daisy	.....	.70
Grand Central	.....	3.00
Inbo	.....	.16
Indian Queen	.....	.10
King David	.....	.27
King William	.....	.40
Lead King	.....	.01
Lead	.....	.15
Little Chief	.....	.15
Lower Mammoth	.....	.21
Mason Valley	.....	2.50
May Day	.....	.23 1/2
Mountain Lake	.....	.23
Nevada British	.....	.10
Nevada Fairview	.....	.01 1/2
Nevada Hills	.....	1.52 1/2
New York	.....	.02 1/2
Newhouse	.....	5.35
Prince	.....	1.60
Richmond Anaconda	.....	.20
Silver King	.....	4.75
Sioux	.....	.02 1/2
Scottish Chief	.....	.05
Seven Troughs	.....	.19
Silver Shield	.....	1.15
Sioux Con.	.....	1.30
South Columbia Con.	.....	.49 1/2
Southern Swansea	.....	.30
Swansea Con.	.....	.02 1/2
Swansea Ext.	.....	.02 1/2
Stray Dog	.....	.03
Tetro	.....	.14
Tintic Central	.....	.08
Tintic Silver	.....	.17
Tintic Silver Crown	.....	.17
Uncle Sam Con.	.....	.62 1/2
United Mercur	.....	.05
Utah Con. (Tintic)	.....	.17

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## This Morning's Metals.

SILVER, - - - - 48 3/4  
CATHODES, - - - 13 15-16  
LEAD, - - - - - 4.30

## NEW YORK QUOTATIONS.

LEAD, dull, - 4.20@4.25  
COPPER, easy, 14.25@14.37 1/2

Victor Con	.....	.12 1/2	.13
Yakima	.....	1.85	1.95
Yakima	.....	1.50	1.60
Yakima	.....	.25	.30
Yakima	.....	.07 1/2	.08 1/2
Zenith	.....	.06	.10

## FORENOON SALES.

Black Jack Con., 1,500 at 48.  
Colorado, 500 at 3.02 1/2; 400 at 3.00.  
Crown Point, 2,000 at 17 1/2.  
Indian Queen, 200 at 12; 500 at 11.  
Iron Blossom, 2,200 at 2.72 1/2; 100 at 2.72 1/2; seller 60; 100 at 2.70.  
Krystone, 800 at 23.  
Mason Valley, 100 at 2.52 1/2.  
Nevada Hills, 100 at 1.52 1/2; 100 at 1.52 1/2; 100 at 1.52 1/2.  
Sioux Con., 400 at 1.62 1/2; 100 at 1.60.  
Sioux Con., 4,600 at 1.32 1/2; 500 at 1.32 1/2; buyer 60; 1,000 at 1.32 1/2; buyer 30.  
South Columbia Con., 1,000 at 50.  
Swansea, 1,000 at 30.  
Swansea Ext., 1,000 at 2.35.  
Tetro, 1,500 at 15; 3,000 at 15; buyer 60; 2,500 at 14 1/2; 200 at 14.  
Tintic Central, 1,000 at 7 1/4.  
Uncle Sam, 1,500 at 52.  
Utah Con., 200 at 17 1/2.  
Victor Con., 200 at 13.  
Victoria, 100 at 1.87 1/2.  
Yerington, 2,000 at 8.

## OPEN BOARD.

Black Jack, 800 at 48; 200 at 50, buyer 60.  
Beck Tunnel, 100 at 87.  
Big Hill, 1,000 at 4.  
Colorado, 500 at 3.00; 100 at 3.02 1/2.  
Iron Blossom, 100 at 2.70, buyer 60.  
Sioux Con., 1,000 at 1.32 1/2; buyer 60; 3,000 at 1.30.  
Tetro, 1,000 at 14 1/2; 10,000 at 14.  
Tintic Con., 800 at 8 1/4; 2,600 at 8; 1,000 at 8 1/4, buyer 60.

## TOTALS.

	Shares.	Amount.
Regular call	33,300	\$25,024.50
Open board	47,100	14,020.50
Total	80,400	\$39,045.00

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Colorado, 600 at 3.00; 600 at 2.97 1/2.  
Crown Point, 100 at 17.  
Grand Central, 100 at 3.00.  
Inbo, 500 at 8.  
Iron Blossom, 500 at 2.67 1/2.  
Mountain Lake, 1,700 at 37 1/2; 1,200 at 38, buyer 60.  
Nevada Hills, 100 at 1.50; 300 at 1.40; 100 at 1.40; 100 at 1.40.  
Prince, 400 at 1.57 1/2; 50 at 1.60.  
Seven Troughs, 1,000 at 20 1/2.  
Silver King, 400 at 4.72 1/2.  
Sioux Con., 3,400 at 1.27 1/2; 200 at 1.27 1/2; 200 at 1.27 1/2; 200 at 1.27 1/2.  
Tetro, 500 at 14.

## SCRANTON EXTENSION.

Articles of incorporation of the Scranton Extension Mining company of Leth, Utah, have been filed with the secretary of state. The capital stock of the corporation is placed at \$100,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares of the value of 10 cents each. The company takes over a number of mining claims in Utah and Tintic counties, which it proposes to operate. Of the capital stock 320,000 shares remain in the treasury, to be used for development purposes. The officers of the company are as follows: President, George Beck, vice president, J. P. Johnson; secretary and treasurer, James M. Kirkham.

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## COALITION SUIT IS STILL PENDING

One Dismissed May Again Come  
Before Courts as Nothing Prevents.

### TWO ACTIONS COMMENCED.

No Answer Has Yet Been Filed to  
Suit in Equity to Come  
Before Court.

Of the two suits pending against the Silver King Coalition by the Silver King Consolidated, one was a suit in law, the other a suit in equity. The dismissal of the suit in law, without prejudice, Wednesday, gave rise to the belief in many quarters that the whole litigation was thus disposed of, which is far from being the case.

The dismissal of the action in law without prejudice, leaves the matter open to further litigation along practically the same lines, and in no way affects the status of the suit in equity.

The suit so dismissed involved an accounting for ore alleged to have been extracted from the Electric Light, Cumberland and Ural claims, by the defendant, and the suit in equity was based on the allegation that the defendant had extracted ore from the Custer, Delaware, Vesuvius and Andes claims.

This latter suit has not been dismissed, and so far no answer has been filed by the defendant. It will come up for trial in the federal court according to the docket, unless some other disposition should be made of the matter between now and that time.

### TONOPAH MINES OPEN.

Recent Reno Dispatches Telling of  
Coming Shut-Down Denied.

The recent slump in the price of silver led the Reno Associated Press correspondent to jump to the conclusion that the principal mines of Tonopah, the oldest of the present producers, the largest scale, the state, would be compelled to shut down, pending a partial recovery, at least of the price of the white metal. This conclusion, according to the Reno state press, was sent out broadcast to the great and lasting detriment of Tonopah, and is now being vigorously denied by all Tonopah papers.

Inasmuch as the Mizpah is the oldest and heaviest of the latter producing mines of the state, whose development should result to the state, the conclusion that should this mine close its workings it would be a heavy blow to the state.

Inasmuch as the Mizpah, in common with nearly every other large property, is controlled, if not practically owned, by Philadelphia capital, and that it is in the hands of the state press, the profits are earned by these mines go to Philadelphia, and also that the wage scale in Tonopah is the lowest in the state, the hue and cry about the great damage that would result to the state in the event of their closing, is hard to understand.

Tonopah mine managers are being quoted to the effect that the state carries enough gold to warrant the operation of the mines if the price of silver dropped to the 25 cent mark.

### MINING EXCHANGE BONDS.

Meeting of Members Called to Ratify  
20-Year Loan for Building.

The secretary announced at the close of the regular session of the stock exchange this morning, that there would be a meeting of the members of the exchange tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 at the call of the president, for the purpose of ratifying the issuance of \$75,000 worth of 20-year bonds, for the purpose of raising the necessary money to erect the new home for the exchange.

The bonds will carry interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and will be secured by mortgage on the real estate of the exchange.

### THROUGH BLACK JACK STAFF.

Under recently completed arrangements between the Ophongona and Black Jack companies, the development of the former is to be done through shaft workings of the latter. Manager William Hatfield of the Ophongona company, has expressed himself as being highly pleased with the arrangement, and is anticipating some good results within the next couple of months under the new arrangements, as he believes the drift of his property can be extended sufficiently during that time, under the new management, to reach known ore bodies.

### THE STORM AT BINGHAM.

A report from the Utah Copper mine at Bingham this morning to the general office, shows that the present storm is doing far less damage there than at the first one, and that the snow fall so far is only about four inches, and is not in any way hindering the transportation of ore. The wind is reported to have obtained a velocity of 40 miles an hour.

### AN ERROR CORRECTED.

Daily-Judge Offices Flooded With  
Questions Upon Annual Report.

Owing to a combination of circumstances which are somewhat difficult of explanation except to those on the "inside" in newspaperdom, a regrettable error occurred in the mailing columns of last evening's "News." The result has been that the offices of the Daily-Judge Mining company are today flooded with inquiries by wire, mail, telephone and by visitors to that company's offices. They relate to the annual report of that company, which the "News" yesterday said was being sent out from the offices of the company, and that the office force of the company was added upon by one of the morning papers, which faithfully reproduced the account as it appeared in the "News."

### John A. Kirby. Rufus K. Cobb.

## R. K. COBB & CO.,

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2 Commercial National Bank, \$125.  
100 Utah-Idaho Sugar Pfd., \$3.50.  
100 Utah-Idaho Sugar Com., 3.25.  
1,000 Utah-Arizona Gold & Copper Mining, 12c.  
500 Independent Coal, 5c.  
5 Con. Wagon Pfd., \$14.

last night—so in its misery the "News" has company.

Some wag, or some misguided individual who thought he was doing a service to the "News," placed upon the mining editor's desk what purported to be a summary of the company's report for the year 1908. It was regarded as such and mention of it made in routine manner. It was not until the edition had been upon the streets for some time that the error was discovered. The mistake was made in the fact, the one issued by the company showing the condition of the company in its several departments for the year 1908, and that within the next few weeks he will proceed to place them at work on some of them for this purpose.

### LESSER CONSOLIDATED MINES.

George Wingfield is quoted by the Goldfield News as saying that the lesser properties of the Consolidated, controlled by himself and Senator George S. Nixon, are to be operated by that company, and that within the next few weeks he will proceed to place them at work on some of them for this purpose.

### SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following San Francisco quotations on Nevada mining stocks:

### COMSTOCK.

Ophir, 1.70@1.75; Mexican, 85 bid; Gould & Curry, 8@9; Con. Va., 7@9 1/2; Savage, 22@23; Hale & Norcross, 22@23; Yellow Jacket, 47@48; Belcher, 25@26; Confidence, 1.45 asked; Sierra Nevada, 22@23; Eschschuer, 25 bid; Union, 19@20; Chollar, 7 asked.

### TONOPAH H.

Tonopah Nevada, 6.00 asked; Montana Tonopah, 55 asked; Tonopah Extension, 30 bid; MacNamara, 25 bid; Midway, 17 bid; Tonopah Belmont, 89 bid; Tonopah North Star, 3@4; West End Cons., 30@31; Rescue, 3@4; Jim Butler, 17 bid; Cash Boy, 3 asked.

### JUDGE GUNNELL FILES REPORT

Tells of Juvenile Court Work in Weber, Morgan and Davis Counties.

The report of Volney C. Gunnell, juvenile judge of the Second judicial district, comprising the counties of Morgan, Davis and Weber, contains, besides a brief resume of the cases handled in Davis and Weber counties, the statement that no complaints nor cases were handled in the juvenile department of the court in the county of Morgan. The report also states that the county have been busy, however, in preventing violations of the juvenile laws, but none of them have been of sufficient moment to bring into court for adjudication.

### WOOL

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 17.—Wool, strong. Territory and western mediums, 17 1/2@18 1/2; fine mediums, 18 1/2@19; fine, 19 1/2@20.

### PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The wheat market opened quiet and firm. The market was steady in the pit continued barish during early trading. Failure of the Liverpool market to advance, and the sharp turn here yesterday and wet weather in the winter wheat belt of this country were factors in the market's behavior. The start was 1 1/2 higher at 1 1/2@1 1/2. Later, May opening at 1.00 1/2 to 1.00 1/2. Later, May opening at 1.00 1/2 to 1.00 1/2. Later, May opening at 1.00 1/2 to 1.00 1/2.

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### 5,000 COPIES OF SENATOR SMOOT'S SPEECH PRINTED

Upon motion of Senator Sutherland, the senate today agreed to his resolution providing for the printing of 5,000 copies of the speech of Senator Smoot, before the conservation congress last week.

### READ SUCCEEDS STEWART.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Clyde M. Read, of Wichita, Kan., was today appointed superintendent of the division of mineral resources of the postoffice department in succession to Joseph Stewart, who recently was made second assistant postmaster-general.

### WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The fourth annual conference of the national organization of standardizing and inspection of weights and measures of the United States began at the bureau of standards today.

### TORPEDOBOAT RUNS ASHORE.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Dec. 17.—Torpedo boat O-59 ran ashore on the rocks while maneuvering off Membrice Lodge, Isle of Wight, last night. The crew of 4 had a narrow escape. Two feet of water was in the hold when the Membrice lifeboat arrived in response to signals. The vessel is a complete wreck.

## MARKET WAS WITHOUT SUPPORT

New York, Dec. 17.—The opening stock market was dull and uninteresting. The declines outnumbered the advances, but the changes were all small and unimportant. Speculation was nervous and under the weight of the liquidation in American Smelting. The high-priced gold stock, New York, 100 shares, fell 1/2. These advances were partially lost when the general tendency became downward. American Smelting and Refining, which lost 3/4, and Amalgamated Copper, which lost 1/2, were the only active selling commenced near noon. Pullman, which lost 1/2, and American Smelting and Refining, which lost 1/2, were the only active selling commenced near noon. Pullman, which lost 1/2, and American Smelting and Refining, which lost 1/2, were the only active selling commenced near noon.

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All support was withdrawn from the market late in the day and prices collapsed. The market was without support. The market was without support. The market was without support.

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