

# MINES AND MINING.

A Slow Stock Market During the Past Week.

## NORTHERN LIGHT LOSTS STRENGTH

Conditions as they appear at Mercury, Notes of Title and Park City.

Speaking candidly the week just closed was not what it might have been on the stock exchange. While conditions on the whole have maintained satisfactory quotations and some few of them have made slight advances, the trading has been quite weak and on two days out of the six, but one sale was obtained while the brokers remained in the pit. The week started out with indications of a period of good business, but on Tuesday the buyers exhibited "nervous tired feeling" and played the same bill throughout the remaining days.

In points of value on stocks sold, this was the worst day of the week, 1,000 shares of Richmond Annuities at 24 cents a share, being the only sale made during the day. All along the line stocks showed a feeble tendency and it is not until the close of the week that the market is better. Northern Light is a case in point. It was sold at 10 cents on Tuesday, but did not meet with the recognition secured in a few days ago. The share was again sold at 10 cents with offerings of the stock at 10 cents above that point.

The closing figures were as follows:

### LISTED STOCKS.

STOCKS	ASKED	BID
Amalgamated	10	9 1/2
Andes	10	9 1/2
Arizona	10	9 1/2
Butte	10	9 1/2
Calumet	10	9 1/2
Consolidated	10	9 1/2
Copper	10	9 1/2
Deer Creek	10	9 1/2
El Paso	10	9 1/2
Flag	10	9 1/2
Goldfield	10	9 1/2
Grand	10	9 1/2
Idaho	10	9 1/2
Intermountain	10	9 1/2
Leadville	10	9 1/2
Marquette	10	9 1/2
Montezuma	10	9 1/2
Northern	10	9 1/2
Palmer	10	9 1/2
Park	10	9 1/2
Pima	10	9 1/2
Phoenix	10	9 1/2
Rocky Mountain	10	9 1/2
Santa Ana	10	9 1/2
Sierra	10	9 1/2
Union	10	9 1/2
Utah	10	9 1/2
Verde	10	9 1/2
Wagon Wheel	10	9 1/2
Yukon	10	9 1/2

### UNLISTED STOCKS.

STOCKS	ASKED	BID
Amalgamated	10	9 1/2
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Union	10	9 1/2
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### THE WEEK'S BUSINESS.

During the week there have been changes in the following:

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### IN MEMBER MINES.

The Mercury's Weekly Notes - West Dip Free Gold.

Jack Green is still busy staking the claims on the Chinoque, and has reached a strike of fine looking rock. We have not learned the result of assays made on it, but the owners have that confidence in the quality of the ore that they have not hesitated to make some more claims on the same vein.

Meers, Dorn, Atlin, Clark and Dignworthy have been examining the Chinoque and took some samples of ore from the old workings. The result of assay will determine whether much work will be done there this summer, and local assayers say the ore is good. It is probable that work will be commenced before many days.

On the West Dip group, a mile or two from the Chinoque, which has received favorable notice in these columns regarding its showing a free gold-silver ore, and is being worked by the Chinoque Mining Co., the twenty-five foot point was reached. The middle of this week the shaft was sunk to the level of the lead and every indication goes to show that Meers, Dorn, Atlin and Clark are prospecting the ground most systematically. Another bit of free gold came into sight for the first time for the other day and is as fine as that, but Mr. Dignworthy does not expect to find a free gold vein.

It will content himself with running out a body of ore, and there is every indication of having that hope realized as the vein is a nice and strong one, and assays have been obtained from the mine running as high as 20.

J. J. Quayle has resigned the management of the Western, and is out of other interests which will require his entire time this summer. The work has been vigorously prosecuted under his management and the work done is first class. Drilling was started this week in the upper vein where the best values are obtained in the Golden State.

John Nicholas, who is working the claims in the Ophir district, was to start Monday and again on Wednesday. John reports making a big strike on the property quite recently and expects to just about quit money.

# NARROWLY ESCAPES DEATH

James Watson Has a Thrilling Experience With a Freight Train.

## Tried to Board It and Was Thrown

Caught in a Box Car - Injured the Legs.

James Watson, manager for the Madrid V-negar company with headquarters at the corner of South Main and Second streets, had a very narrow escape from death last evening. A train being as good as a mile away, Mr. Watson now lives in the city, although it rather puzzles him to explain how he got away so miraculously.

The exciting episode occurred near the corner of Second and Main streets, where the freight train of the Oregon Coast Line railway, from the coast, was passing. It was a coal train, and was loaded with coal. Mr. Watson was standing on the sidewalk, looking at the train, when it suddenly started to move. He was thrown into the air and landed in a box car. The train was moving so fast that he was unable to get out. He was injured in the legs and was taken to the hospital.

### FUNDS OF THE STATE.

Receipts for April were \$22,882.50, and the disbursements \$140,097.58.

State Treasurer Chapman has filed his report of the State finances for the month of April with the State auditor. The report is as follows:

Item	Amount
Receipts for April	\$22,882.50
Disbursements for April	\$140,097.58
Balance forward	\$1,111.11
Balance April 30	\$1,111.11

### Park City Notes.

In a supplement to its regular weekly edition, the Park City Gazette has published a list of the names of the men and women who have been working in the mines of the district during the coming summer.

The list is as follows:

Name	Address
Amalgamated	10
Andes	10
Arizona	10
Butte	10
Calumet	10
Consolidated	10
Copper	10
Deer Creek	10
El Paso	10
Flag	10
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Wagon Wheel	10
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### PROVO.

PROVO, UTAH, May 1, 1897.

#### Fourth District Court.

Referee DeMoss in the suit of Provo city vs. the Provo River Canal company et al. which includes all owners of lands situated in said city, that the said lands require artificial irrigation, that upon said lands the quantity of water for the purpose of irrigation has been determined by the jury to be the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use.

The following is the report of the referee:

1-That the plaintiff is a municipal corporation, organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Utah.

2-That some of the inhabitants of the said plaintiff city are owners of lands situated in said city, that the said lands require artificial irrigation, that upon said lands the quantity of water for the purpose of irrigation has been determined by the jury to be the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use.

3-That the inhabitants of said plaintiff city have used, for a period of more than twenty years, a portion of the water of said Provo river for domestic purposes, but that the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use has been determined by the jury to be the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use.

4-That some of the inhabitants of said plaintiff city have used, for a period of more than twenty years, a portion of the water of said Provo river for domestic purposes, but that the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use has been determined by the jury to be the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use.

5-That some of the inhabitants of said plaintiff city have used, for a period of more than twenty years, a portion of the water of said Provo river for domestic purposes, but that the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use has been determined by the jury to be the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use.

6-That some of the inhabitants of said plaintiff city have used, for a period of more than twenty years, a portion of the water of said Provo river for domestic purposes, but that the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use has been determined by the jury to be the quantity of water that would be used by the plaintiff if it were not for the defendant's use.

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# FACE HUMORS

Frederick Thurgood, aged 20, and Mary E. Thurgood, aged 18, both of Provo, reserved a marriage license.

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