

# MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS.

## LOWER PRICED STOCKS BOUGHT THE KING CLAIM.

Market Does Not Show a Great Deal of Activity.

## LOWER MAMMOTH WEAKER. AT THE RIDGE AND VALLEY

Large Bodies of Ore Found Near Old Stopes in the Mammoth.

**TODAY'S METALS:**  
SILVER 61  
LEAD \$4.00  
CASTING COPPER 15 1/2

The higher priced stocks were conspicuous by their absence from the day's business on the Exchange. As a consequence the average value of the sales was quite low today. Some 7,000 shares were bought for \$992.75. Duly was brought out on a bid of 2, while Joe Bowers sold at 1 1/2 and afterwards declined to 1 1/4.

Engelmann Blue Bell was also weaker. The stock sold at 76 1/2 at the outset but fell away to 72 1/2 before the call closed.

Lower Mammoth brought 47 1/2 but afterwards sold at 47 flat. May Day dropped 40 at 61 1/2 and later on sold down to 61.

Tetra was traded in at 1, while Little Pittsburg let 1,000 at 1. Petro was quite firm today as was Mammoth. Star Consolidated remains about the same figure.

Value was stronger today while Yankee Consolidated grows weaker, being offered today at 2 1/2.

Closing quotations were posted as follows:

Adj.	Bid.	Ask.
Albion	47 1/2	50
Alcoa	39	40
Anchor	24 1/2	25
Bunker Hill	3 1/2	4
Butte	3 1/2	4
Boston & La. Mar.	1	1 1/4
Buckeye	1	1 1/4
Blue Bell	76 1/2	77
Ben Butler	7	8
Centennial	21 1/2	22
Daily	24	25
Dalton & Lark	1 1/2	1 3/4
Daily	17 1/2	18
Dexter	50	52
Dalton	24	25
Emerald	24	25
Engelmann	75	76
Galena	2 1/2	3
Grand Central	5 1/2	6
Horn Silver	1 1/2	1 3/4
Homestake	1 1/2	1 3/4
International	1 1/2	1 3/4
Joe Bowers	1 1/2	1 3/4
Joe Bowers Ex.	1 1/2	1 3/4
Kremden	45 1/2	47
Little Chief	2 1/2	3
Mammoth	2 1/2	3
Manhattan	6 1/2	7
Mercur	6 1/2	7
Martha Washington	60 1/2	61 1/2
May Day	60 1/2	61 1/2
Monarch	2	2 1/4
Northern Light	1 1/2	1 3/4
Nevada	6 1/2	7
Ontario	6 1/2	7
Petro	20 1/2	22
Rabbits Foot	1	1 1/4
Sacramento	27 1/2	29
Silver King	49	50
Sunbeam	8	9
Star	32 1/2	34
Swansea	3 1/2	4
Swansea	1 1/2	1 3/4
Tetra	1 1/2	1 3/4
Utah	10	11
Valco	10	11
West Mt. Placer	44	45
Yankee	2 1/2	3

## STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Daily—1,000 at 1.  
Engelmann Blue Bell—100 at 76 1/2; 100 at 75; 100 at 72 1/2.  
Lower Mammoth—500 at 47 1/2; 100 at 47.  
May Day—400 at 61 1/2; 100 at 61.  
Northern Light—1,500 at 1.  
Joe Bowers—5,000 at 1 1/2; 1,000 at 1 1/4.  
Tetra—100 at 1.  
Little Pittsburg—1,000 at 1.  
Shares sold, 7,100.  
Selling value, \$992.75.

## WANTS INVESTIGATION.

Timber Fires in Eastern Utah Should be Inquired Into.

Denver Stockman. The devastating timber fires in the Utah reservation, Utah, calls for an investigation by the government. If anything criminal can be discovered, prompt and severe punishment should follow. Rangers are supposed to be riding the reservation to see that the stockmen who are grazing territory thereon are protected and are also carrying out their part of the contract with the government. These fires not only destroy the timber but the underbrush on which the sheep subsist, and also destroy the watersheds belonging to the cattle and sheepmen. It is said the fires are burning in at least a dozen different places on the reservation, including almost every canyon of importance. Unless the proper authorities take immediate steps to stop the destruction, irreparable damage will be done.

## IDAHO PENSIONS AND TRANSFER.

(SPECIAL TO THE "NEWS.")  
Washington, D. C., Aug. 12.—Idaho pensions. Additional John Neal, New Plymouth, 412 Re-issue, Edward Cox, Parker, 48.  
By direction of the assistant secretary of war, Hospital Steward W. H. Schaefer of Fort Sherman, Idaho, is transferred to Fort Wright, Washington.

## BANK STATIONERY.

And printing specially attended to at the Deseret News Office. Estimates promptly furnished. Rush orders a specialty.

## CHILDREN GUESSES.

The population of Salt Lake—a new \$12.00 Standard Dictionary given the successful guesser. See the "News" advertisement.

## GOOD ORE FROM THE KING CLAIM.

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## AT THE RIDGE AND VALLEY

Difficulty May be Settled Peacefully—York Gulch Property—Park City Items—Mining Notes.

President Samuel McIntyre, of the Mammoth, came in from camp this morning with encouraging news from the Golden King claim owned by the Mammoth Company. It seems that recent development work there has disclosed large bodies of shipping and milling ore. The King drift was worked years ago and thought to be pretty well cleaned out. A number of miners are said to be working near "good roots" with good success and the deeper levels of the same vein are said to be showing up well down as far as the 800 level above which the vein is said to run through a corner of the Silveropolis claim owned by the Grand Central.

The ore runs well in copper, gold and lead.

Work is being pushed on a number of levels and the mine is said to be looking well. Nothing is said about the tramway. A dividend will probably be paid about September 1st.

## RIDGE AND VALLEY TROUBLE.

Negotiations Under Way Which May Peaceably Solve the Difficulty.

Negotiations are now being carried on with a view of amicably adjusting the difficulties existing in the board of directors of the Ridge & Valley of Tintic. The shut-down is only temporary, and within the next sixty days it is expected that the mine will be in operation. The shut-down is due to the fact that the ore bodies which are believed to enter the Ridge & Valley ground from the Gemini. This supposition has led to the present difficulty, which is being amicably adjusted. It is anticipated, however, that this will be averted by the purchase of the majority of the stock in the Ridge & Valley company by third parties. Some believe that the third party, who includes a well known mining man of Eureka, will eventually purchase the whole of the stock and thus prevent litigation. Those best informed on the matter say that things are shaping themselves to this end.

## GOES NORTH TONIGHT.

J. O. Swift Will Continue the Development of His Copper Claims.

J. O. Swift, who is well known in this State expected to leave for the north tonight after closing the sale of the Uncle Sam group to the Blackbird Mining company. The property is located in the Blackbird district in Idaho, where Mr. Swift and W. C. Hall of this city have other extensive interests. It is to be used for the development of this property that Mr. Swift goes north. The district is a very promising one in Mr. Swift's opinion. The mineral is about 100 feet thick and seven miles long. In this zone are seven veins, all of which show good copper values. The Blackbird company has developed the Brown Bear property extensively, having the last year and have crossed a line of ore sixty feet wide. Mr. Swift says about four-fifths of this width will show 5 per cent in the red metal, the ten or fifteen feet will show from 10 to 20 per cent. The company has abundant coal and a railroad is expected to enter the camp in the near future. This will greatly benefit the present holders of claims there. Mr. Swift did not own any interest in the Uncle Sam group as reported.

## ITEMS FROM PARK CITY.

Good News from Copper King—Marine Bullion—Shipments.

In its resume of mining news in Park for the past week the Record says: Good and encouraging news comes from the Copper King in Big Cottonwood district. A small sack of ore has been brought down that justified in appearance the hopes it has raised in the breasts of the miners who are working in the face of the tunnel now in 90 feet, and the streak is nearly four feet wide. The ore brought down is certainly promising looking material, and at least 15 per cent in copper besides values in gold and silver. It will without doubt prove to be a good shipping ore. To gain depth an incline is being run, which has reached a depth of 100 feet. This incline will be a fine foot of good rock was encountered, and the object of the incline is to get under or tap this body at a lower point to facilitate working. At present two men are employed on the incline while other miners are taking out ore from the strike in the tunnel which is to be sacked and shipped. While it has not as yet been assayed, there is little doubt from its character, that it will pay. In all probability the new machinery in operation by the improvements that will go up on this property in a short time. That the fondest dreams of the boys will be realized is the hope of the Park people. The Anchor mill shut down Tuesday for a few hours while workmen put in a large new shafting which arrived last week.

Men have been at work all week clearing the way of sage brush, etc., for the Silver King aerial train, and the line can now be followed over the hills without difficulty.

E. F. Holmes, vice president of the Anchor company, came to the Park yesterday and took a trip through the mine. Mr. Holmes and wife have just returned from a trip through Europe.

The new air compressor for the Quincey will be in position and in operation in a few days, which will greatly facilitate development work. The main shaft on this property has now reached a depth of 400 feet and everything is looking satisfactory.

The Day-West mill is putting up on addition 50x25 feet in dimensions for the purpose of adding four more tables to the plant. The work of raising the building was started yesterday and is hoped to have the new machinery in operation by the 1st of September.

From Superintendent Hickey of the Comstock who was down yesterday we learn that the vein in the property is now in place and will be started up tomorrow. The large three compartment shaft is now down and timbered substantially a distance of seventy feet and everything in good shape. Machinery that will greatly facilitate work will soon be put in place. The shaft house is completed, the roof being finished yesterday.

## ORE SHIPMENTS.

Following are the shipments of ore from the Blackfoot sampler for the past week:

Daily-West	487.00
Daily-West	425.50
Silver King	435.50
Utah	215.50
California	15.80
Total number of pounds	2,212.80

## FROM YORK GULCH.

Mr. Harrison Talks of a Big Mineral Belt of Gold Quartz.

P. Harrison, the veteran mining man of York Gulch, about 20 miles southeast of Helena, Mont., has arrived in the city with samples of gold bearing ore from that district. At one time the gulch produced a great deal of placer gold, but of late years veins have taken hold of the big quartz veins of the district and are developing them. The Columbia and Gold Mining & Milling company has 15 claims there, and Mr. Harrison says so much development work has been done that the amount of ore exposed warrants the erection of a mill and the construction of a tramway to the gulch. A small mill has been worked for some time past, but a big plant is said to be needed to successfully handle the low grade ore of the camp. A vast belt of mineral, said to exist on the gulch, is about 600 feet wide and about three miles long. Patches of high grade ore are found in this belt, to which there is no well defined walls, but the bulk of the ore runs from 10 to 40 per cent. The company has a water right sufficient to supply a 100-stamp mill.

Mr. Harrison reports Great Falls, Montana, full of life and activity. He mentions the fact that the Montana smelter is furnishing between 300 and 400 cars daily to different points in the northwest.

## THE DYER SMELTER.

Was to be Started Up Under the Direction of W. B. Short of this City.

Manager Sawyer, of the Utah Copper Summit company, came down from the mine Thursday and gave out the information that the long looked for starting up of the Dyer smelter was set for today. He was in town looking after a number of business matters, among which was the securing of men to work at the mine and the securing of the necessary equipment. He will be at the mine for the next few days, and about twenty-five at the latter.

The smelter will be in charge of Mr. W. B. Short, of Salt Lake City, a smelter expert.

He had charge of the Hanger smelter when it was bought in by the smelter trust, and was one of the men who lost his situation when the trust brought Mr. Connor with him to do the smelting.

## GILSONITE SHIPMENTS.

St. Louis Gilson Asphaltum Company Ship Ten Carloads.

Special Correspondence.  
Price, Carbon Co., Aug. 12.—Ten carloads of gilsonite from the mine of the St. Louis Gilson Asphaltum company, shipped from Price in the last ten days is the record of this property for the time mentioned, so far as tonnage is concerned. Local Manager Lee has received orders from St. Louis to go to the property every thirty days with State Mine Inspector Gomer Thomas in order that the property may be kept in safe condition. It is thirty-four miles from Price, the nearest railroad point, and the entire output comes here by wagon. The mine is owned by the Carbon Co., and is a very active one, and this product promises to become, in value, and tonnage, second only to the coal industry of Carbon county.

## Ferris-Haggarty Mine.

The famous Ferris-Haggarty copper mine will probably be sold, says the Record.

It is reported that a telegram was received here last Saturday stating that the parties would accept the proposition of the Ferris-Haggarty company, viz: \$1,000,000 cash and the right to purchase the property for further examination.

An agent of the company arrived at Fort Steele Monday, and was met by Mr. George Ferris, president of the Ferris-Haggarty company, and they drove to the mine. L. C. Miller, secretary and treasurer of the company, is also at the mine, and it is expected that the deal will be closed immediately.

## Red Creek Claims.

C. P. Lively and John D. Thompson crossed over the mountains from Red Creek and reached Vernal Thursday night, says the Vernal Express. They say that the work on the Red Creek tunnel is progressing rapidly. For some time they have been working in some extraordinary hard rock, but lately they have encountered vein matter, and the rock is much softer and thoroughly impregnated with copper ore. From pre-pregnated veins the Richmond lode, a vein that shows four feet of copper at the surface will be encountered.

Messrs. Munday, Terrell and Thompson have been working constantly on the tunnel for three months. James Warren has assisted them part of the time. Mr. Munday and companions are backed by capitalists at Washington, D. C., who have incorporated under the title of the Utah Copper and Gold Mining company.

## MINING NOTES.

Col. Hoffman will visit the Teosora of Tintic tomorrow.

The Conklin sampler reported 17 cars of ore from Tintic today.

The Mammoth of Tintic had 13 cars of ore on the market today.

President Houghton was visiting the Highland Bay smelter today.

The Erie of Bingham was on the market today with a car of ore.

The setting price of lead this week is the same as last week.

Four cars of ore were reported today from the Bullion Creek of Tintic.

P. E. Wilson, who has been ill for several days, is now improving.

Five cars of concentrates were on the market today from the Eureka Hill.

The May Day of Tintic reached the market today with four cars of ore.

Superintendent J. B. Fleming of the Silver King mill is back from Idaho.

J. J. Trenam expects to go to the Ben Harrison property near Milford tomorrow.

Two cars of ore from the Silver Shield of Bingham were on the market today.

The Taylor-Bruntson sampler reported nine cars of ore from Tintic and three from Bingham today.

Dr. Meyer will go out to Tintic tonight to pay off the men employed at the Ridge and Valley.

The Lower Mammoth people are still waiting for the electric motor which is weeks behind time.

A lease and bond may shortly be executed on the Tintic Tunnel in favor of a well known Utah mining man.

W. J. Lawrence is back from a visit to the Star Consolidated which is reported to be looking well on the 200 level.

A. Van Patten, of Ogden, is now interested in the Blackfoot property in Bingham on which a lease and bond has been secured.

The work of laying 3,000 feet of pipe line has commenced at the Elly mine at Elly, Nevada. The ground is being prepared for the work.

Price Advocate. Sam King, brother of the Utah Congressman, went through a private elevator in Indian country, where he has a tin mine in sight in the way of a copper proposition. He was joined here by Wren Hatch and another gentleman who are interested in the deal.

Price Advocate. Judge McConnell, manager of the Ray-Mining company, a private elevator in Indian country, has returned to Salt Lake City from a tour of inspection of the mines, where he reports work going on steadily. The company has a heavy demand for the product in the eastern markets and preparations are under way for the dispatch of one of the largest single shipments made from the state.

Eureka (Nev.) Sentinel. S. W. Masby and P. A. Flindt, mining experts from Salt Lake, arrived here by Tuesday's train and that afternoon went through the Eureka mine, which they thoroughly examined, together with the mill, dump and other property. On Thursday they left for the Star Consolidated in company with E. L. Smith, and after examining that property returned for Eureka. They left for home Friday morning, but were not disposed to give out any information regarding their impression of the mine. They took a number of samples of ore away with them, the assays of which will undoubtedly influence the reports they may make.

## ST. LOUIS WOOL MARKET.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 12.—Wool quiet; territory and eastern medium 100; fine, 120; coarse, 130.

## DENVER LIVE STOCK.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 100. Market steady; beef cows, 1.00; calves, 1.00; heifers, 1.00; yearlings, 1.00; stockers, 1.00; sheep, 1.00; goats, 1.00.

## 55,000,000 Gold For Europe.

New York, Aug. 12.—Hondell, Lockheimer and Co. will ship \$50,000,000 gold for export from the assay office to Europe tomorrow. The gold is to be shipped on the Atlantic Ocean liner, the Republic, which will leave New York on Wednesday for London.

## With Transatlantic Liners.

Liverpool, Aug. 12.—Arrived, Georgia, from New York, Umbria, New York, Hamburg, Aug. 12.—Arrived, August, from New York.

## LIVE STOCK NOTES.

Denver Stockman. Receipts were five carloads of grass-fed muttons from the Utah range that will go on to the river. The receipts of the week were 7,000. The receipts of last week and 6,000 better than the same week last year. The demand for killers was poor. The eastern market was therefore somewhat slack. A couple carloads were sold during the week.

Receipts, Madison & Anderson, Colton, Utah, 125.

Ogden Journal-Stockman, 7th. M. K. Parsons, of Salt Lake City, was among the visitors today. Mr. Parsons says it is very dry in the west, and some of the stockmen are pretty badly frightened at the outlook. He expects to start shipping his cattle about the 20th.

Another attempt will be made this afternoon to get a meeting of cowboys to launch the "cowboy" rancher's protest for this fall. The meeting will be held in the office of the National Live Stock association, Chamber of Commerce building. Quite a number of interested people from all over the country will be present.

Denver Stockman. M. K. Parsons of Salt Lake stockman, dropped in today from the river markets. Mr. Parsons is a man of few words, and when he replies to the question as to his opinion of the future of the market, he said: "I was good, but never all the word in the market, the last few days were of very poor quality; that he never thought there were such poor cattle in the market, yet he never said so, but the market was a bit lower—no doubt from an overabundance of such stuff."

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## VACATION EXCURSION.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12TH.

Via Ogden Short Line to Northern Utah and Idaho, as follows:

Brighton	2.35	St. Anthony	2.10
Highland	2.50	Minidoka	2.10
Frederick	2.50	Shoshone	2.10
Ogden	2.50	Idaho Falls	2.10
Idaho Falls	2.50	Boise	2.10
Boise	2.50	Butte	2.10
Butte	2.50	Helena	2.10
Helena	2.50	Great Falls	2.10
Great Falls	2.50	Missoula	2.10
Missoula	2.50	Spokane	2.10
Spokane	2.50	Walla Walla	2.10
Walla Walla	2.50	Tri-City	2.10
Tri-City	2.50	Portland	2.10
Portland	2.50	Seattle	2.10
Seattle	2.50	Tacoma	2.10
Tacoma	2.50	Olympia	2.10
Olympia	2.50	Seattle	2.10

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## PATENTS.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—Wheat farmer, December, 1, 1899, cash, 1.00; barley, 1.00; corn, 1.00; oats, 1.00; rye, 1.00; flax, 1.00.

## OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 12.—Receipts, 2,000. Market steady; native beef steers, 4.50; calves, 4.50; heifers, 4.50; yearlings, 4.50; stockers, 4.50; sheep, 4.50; goats, 4.50.

## PRODUCE.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—September wheat opened at 1.15 1/2, dropped to 74 1/2, rallied to 74 1/2.

Close Wheat—Aug. 74 1/2; Sept. 74 1/2; Oct. 74 1/2.

May—Aug. 74 1/2; Sept. 74 1/2; Oct. 74 1/2.

June—Aug. 74 1/2; Sept. 74 1/2; Oct. 74 1/2.

July—Aug. 74 1/2; Sept. 74 1/2; Oct. 74 1/2.

August—Aug. 74 1/2; Sept. 74 1/2; Oct. 74 1/2.

September—Aug. 74 1/2; Sept. 74 1/2; Oct. 74 1/2.

October—Aug. 74 1/2; Sept. 74 1/2; Oct. 74 1/2.

November—Aug. 7