

## MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

## CHANGE IN THE UNITED STATES.

Clarence E. Allen Now Serving Company as Acting General Manager.

## MAY BE MADE MANAGER

Of Utah Properties After Nov. 1—Mr. Fitch, it is said, will retire on that date.

The story is going the rounds that Clarence E. Allen, general superintendent of the Utah mines is to be made manager of the company, succeeding Walter Fitch, resigned.

It is stated in connection with the foregoing that it is the purpose of the executive committee to conduct the Utah and California mining and smelting interests under separate management and that they in turn will report to the managing director, A. F. Holden, and other members of the executive committee.

While none of the local officials are inclined to do any talking, it is learned from a source which claims to keep reasonably well posted on United States affairs, that the future conduct of the company will be about on the line suggested.

In this event, Mr. Allen will be the chief head of the Utah mines and smelters of the corporation, a promotion which he is justly entitled to. Until Mr. Fitch takes his formal leave on Nov. 1, Mr. Allen will officiate in the capacity of assistant general manager. Just who will be placed in the position of manager of the California properties has not been decided, at least no official announcement has been made to indicate that any selection has been made.

The United States company has become an institution of such magnitude, that the system of having local managers, somewhat in line with the policy of its big competitor, is probably as satisfactory as any plan of operation that could be devised.

Manager Fitch is expected home from the east during the next week and until his arrival nothing can be said as to his future plans.

Local officials will not discuss the matter of his leaving, but all speak of him in the highest terms and it is certain that those with whom he has labored since coming to this state, have only the warmest esteem for him. Mr. Fitch has won a host of friends who will regret deeply that he is to leave the United States company, for since his connection with it, it has grown to be a power in the smelting world.

## FORENOON ON EXCHANGE.

May Day the Most Active Stock—Closing Quotations and Sales.

On the mining exchange this forenoon 12,000 shares were transferred, for which was paid the sum of \$2,672.62.

May Day was the most active trader of the day and the price remained steady above 7 and under 8 cents a share. Star Consolidated weakened, as did Uncle Sam Consolidated. Yankee Consolidated was bought at 34 cents, while 500 Nalldriver came out at 20 cents. New York Consolidated, a 4-cent assessment, sold as low as 12 1/2 cents.

The closing quotations and sales were:

## TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Alta	12 1/2	13
Carroll	18	20
Crescent	20	22
Day	8	9
Daily Judge	5.90	6.25
Daily West	13.75	14
E. & B. Bell	1.00	1.12 1/2
Grand Central	1.50	1.75
Galea	1.50	2.00
Horn Silver	1.40	1.50
Little Bell	1.30	1.50
Lower Mammoth	2.50	3.00
May Day	7.00	7.75
Mammoth	61.50	60.00
Star Consolidated	.09 1/2	.09
Silver Shield	.13	.14 1/2
Star Con.	.16 1/2	.17
Swansea	.25	.30
South Swansea	.02	.03
U. S. Mining Co.	\$5.00	\$7.00
Utah	.35	.38
Uncle Sam Con.	.26 1/2	.27
Victory	1.80	1.87 1/2
Yankee Con.	9.00	9.50
Butler-Liberal	.06	.06 1/2
Beck Tunnel Con.	.13 1/2	.14 1/2
Century	.10 1/2	.11
Joe Bowyer	.09	.10
Little Chief	.01 1/2	.01 3/4
Black Jack	.35	.40
New York	.14	.15
Tetro	.08	.09
Victory Con.	.09 1/2	.10
Wabash	.85	1.14
Yankee	.32 1/2	.35
Richmond Anaconda	.04	.05
Emerald	.01	.02
Dayton	.01	.02

## NEVADA STOCKS.

Goldfield Bonanza	Bid.	Asked.
Jim Butler Tonopah	.75	.75
Montana Tonopah	2.75	2.80
MacNamara	.25 1/2	.25 1/2
Tonopah Belmont	13.00	14.00
Tonopah Belmont	1.35	1.35
Tonopah Midway	1.37 1/2	1.35
Hocoma Homestake	.45	.45

## REGULAR CALL SALES.

May Day, 500 at 7 1/4.  
Sacramento, 1,000 at 9 1/4.  
Star Con., 1,000 at 17 1/2; 500 at 17 1/4.  
500 at 17, 500 at 15 1/2.  
Uncle Sam Con., 500 at 37; 500 at 35 1/2.  
500 at 24 1/2, seller 30.  
Yankee Con., 300 at 5 1/2, seller 30.

## OPEN BOARD SALES.

May Day, 2,500 at 7 1/2; 1,000 at 7 1/4, seller 60; 2,000 at 7 1/2, seller 30; 1,000 at 7 1/4, buyer 30; 1,500 at 7 1/4, seller 30; 2,000 at 7 1/2.  
Nalldriver, 500 at 20.  
New York Bonanza, 1,000 at 14; 500 at 13 1/2; 500 at 13 1/4; 500 at 14 1/4.  
Uncle Sam Con., 500 at 24 1/2.

## RECAPITULATION.

Shares	Value
Regular	7,500 \$1,247.62
Open	11,500 1,325.00
Forenoon totals	19,000 \$2,672.62

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## Today's Metal Quotations:

Local selling prices as reported by the smelting and refining companies:

SILVER,	61 3/8
COPPER, CASTING	16
" ELECTRO	16 1/4
LEAD,	\$3.50 @ \$4.85

## New York Quotations:

LEAD, steady,	\$4.85 @ \$4.90
COPPER, quiet,	16 3/8 @ 16 3/4

## AFTER NEVADA MINES.

United States Experts are busy around Old Eureka.

There does not seem to be much doubt but that the United States Mining company is seeking to get control of some of the principal mines at Eureka, Nev.

A number of months ago Superintendent of Mines C. E. Allen, made a trip to Eureka and since that time the company's experts have been busy conducting a series of examinations.

According to the Sentinel of Eureka, the Sampling of the old Eureka Consolidated has been undertaken. On Friday last, says the Sentinel, Superintendent G. D. Abbott of the Eureka & Palisade railway was at camp looking over the new line of road that is being surveyed from the town to the Ruby hill mines. He stated that if the pending deal with the United States company was consummated the increased traffic that would go to the Ruby hill mines would enable it to make much lower freight rates than now prevail, both as regards the shipment of ore and the rates on merchandise, machinery, etc., into camp.

## AN ASSESSMENT LEVIED.

New York Bonanza Directors Call on Shareholders for Funds.

As was expected they would do, the directors of the New York Bonanza Mining company have just levied an assessment upon shareholders for an assessment. The amount is four cents a share and, if all collected, will bring into the treasury \$18,000.

Manager McGill, who was present, stated that while the present condition of the mine looked encouraging, it has been impossible to make the proposition pay its way an therefore the present action of the board became necessary. The new development forward along vigorous lines.

## STRIKE IN THE KENDALL.

Property on Columbia Mountain at Goldfield Attracts Attention.

Special Correspondence.  
Goldfield, Nev., Oct. 7.—The sensation of the week is the great strike made in the Kendall mine on Columbia mountain, within a mile of the town of Goldfield. A vein of ore four feet wide that averages clear across 100 feet per ton has been disclosed at the 20-foot level. On the surface, the strike was made, the owners of the Gardner-Oddis lease had taken out \$150,000 worth of ore. The lessees didn't have time to go to any depth, and the present strike has been made with three feet of their workings by the company itself. When first disclosed, the vein showed to be two feet wide. A few feet more of development work revealed it to be 20 feet wide. Ore is now being brought to the surface from this vein and is being sacked preparatory to shipment.

In addition to this strike, the company has been working in another vein, a few hundred feet away and here, at the 100-foot level, they are sacking shipping ore from a vein that is five feet wide. A shipment of 50 tons of this ore was made to the Union Pacific on Thursday. It will net \$100 per ton.

The Kendall adjoins the Sandstorm, and is said by experts to now have as good a showing as the Sandstorm itself. Its ledge is apparently a continuation of those of the Sandstorm property, and the two properties are practically of the same character. Three shifts of men are at work on the Kendall, and every effort is being made to push development work with the utmost speed.

An important strike has been made on the January. They are sacking ore on this property at four levels in the Kendall, and now that the Kendall is here, shipments will be made regularly. The ore now being sacked averages \$400 per ton. That part of the Goldfield uplift that lies directly on the Dixie mine in the line of the Golden Horseshoe, is now the scene of a lot of activity. Knickerbocker Mountain, which adjoins the Dixie on the east, has just passed into new hands, and the W. W. group, which lies directly east, adjoining the Knickerbocker Mountain, is reported to have been bonded to the Broughton brothers for \$50,000. Immediately adjoining the W. W. group on the east lies the Dixie mine, in which Jack McKee and Key Pittman own a half interest. D. H. Poy has just purchased a quarter interest in this group from Harry Knickerbocker. Withing a thousand feet of the Windsor, midway between the Windsor and the Blizard groups, lies the Dixie claim, and here a shaft, that has been sunk to a depth of 60 feet, has revealed \$500,000 in silver ore on the surface. On the Blizard group, a shaft is being sunk on the ledge where assays on the surface of \$25,000 per ton were obtained two weeks ago, and the entire ledge is being prospected on the surface. There are six parallel ledges on the Blizard that can be seen on a full force of men is at work. Several leases have been applied for on the Davenport and the Blizard with in the past fortnight, but none of these applications have as yet been granted.

There are more men at work in the Goldfield district now, three to one than there were last spring, and tremendous activity is observed in every direction. In the shipment of ore to the smelters and smelters, Goldfield is rapidly shattering all previous records of mining districts. This has not been so much in the gross tonnage as in the remarkably high average in the values. During the remaining three months of 1905, the output of Goldfield is conservatively estimated by Mining Engineers J. F. Mitchell and W. A. Stanton at over \$750,000 per month. The first week's output from the district—dating from the completion of the railroad, Sept. 14, aggregated \$340,000 tons of ore, having a total value of \$220,122. This is at the rate of \$1,280,028 per month. If this rate is kept up, Goldfield will be producing close to as much wealth every 30 days, as Cripple Creek is after 15.

## MAY BUILD SMELTER.

Tonopah papers say Charles M. Schwab may decide to build a smelter at that point.

## STRIKE IN THE STOCKTON MINE.

First High Grade Copper Ever Encountered in This Property.

## FOUND ON THE 850-FOOT LEVEL

Other Important Developments—West Drift from Shaft Shows Something Interesting.

Several days ago the "News" printed a story to the effect that what had the appearance of being an important strike in the property of the Stockton Gold Mining & Smelting company at Stockton was attracting quite a little attention in this camp.

It was learned during today that the first report sent out was no way an exaggeration; that the new find is in fact better than it was supposed to be at that time.

The disclosures have been made on what is known as the east drift from the shaft and consists of a three-foot body of high grade ore in which copper is a conspicuous element. The significance of this lies in the fact that this is the first copper ore of any consequence ever found in the mine and goes to show that with depth this metal is going to cut quite an important figure. The find was made about 200 feet from the shaft and on the 850 level.

In what is known as the west drift, 60 feet west and 100 feet north of the shaft, has been opened another ledge containing a large quantity of millable ore with which is associated a great deal of shipping stuff. Ninety feet away from this is still another ledge of high grade galena, also recently developed.

The Stockton has been making some rapid strides of late and is rapidly approaching the point of becoming one of Stockton's principal producers. The installation of a more powerful hoisting plant and a new air compressor will be undertaken before the end of the present month.

## WILL ADVERTISE RESOURCES.

A New Departure for the Mexican Republic.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 10.—A new departure for the Mexican republic is a decision to advertise her mining resources abroad, and there is now pending before the Mexican congress a bill to make application for this work. The sister republic considers her mining resources as paramount to all other resources of the country, and prefers to exploit these before the American republic avail of all others.

Her mountains are rich in gold, silver, and copper, many of them have never been searched and many of them are yielding their millions annually to the operating companies. 50 per cent of the wealth is controlled by United States capital.

To further interest American capital in her wonderful mining resources, and furnish data that is accurate and authoritative, the Mexican government proposes to establish government bureaus in connection with its consular service, in various large cities of the country. Whether the bill passes congress in the United States, the Mexican government proposes to have a large exhibit at the American Mining congress when it meets in this city on Nov. 14 for a week's session.

## FERRIS HOGGERTY MINE.

Wyoming Property Has Been Closed for the Winter.

Special Correspondence.  
Encampment, Wyo., Oct. 8.—Supt. E. K. Hum of the Penn-Wyoming Copper company has ordered the closing of the Ferris-Hoggerty mine for the winter months, and says he will not again reopen it until the arrival of the Saratoga & Encampment Railroad company's line at this point. He says he has positive information that the mine is rich in copper and it will then cost \$50,000 per ton to get the ore to market than by the present method. He says that nothing can stop the building of the road and that preliminary arrangements have been made and money is on hand to do the work.

## DIVIDENDS DECLARED

By the Utah of Fish Springs and Rocco Homestake of Nevada.

The directors of the Utah mine at Fish Springs met yesterday afternoon and posted a dividend of a cent a share, or \$1,000. The books of the company close against transfer on next Saturday and the date of payment is fixed for the following Monday. The company has about \$100,000 in its treasury at the present time. Shipments of ore are being made at the rate of about a carload a week.

The Rocco Homestake company has declared another dividend. The amount is two cents a share, or \$5,000, payable on the 13th.

## Nevada Stocks.

James A. Pollock & Co., brokers, restate the following quotations from San Francisco today:

	Bid.	Asked.
Montana Tonopah	2.75	2.75
Tonopah Midway	1.45	1.47 1/2
McNamara	.87	.89
Tonopah Belmont	1.45 1/2	1.47 1/2
Victory	.07	.07
Rescue	.07	.07
Gold Mountain	.10	.11
Jim Butler	.71	.73
Tonopah Con.	13.00	13.25
Tonopah Extension	6.00	6.12 1/2
Radtop	.61	.62
Goldfield	.50	.60
Sandstorm	.45	.46
Sandstorm EX	.06	.08
Albana	.04	.05
Dixie	.11	.12
Kendall	.18	.19
Columbia Mountain	.18	.18
Jumbo	.74	.75
Junbe Extension	.23	.25
Black Butte	.18	.20
Silver Pick	.08	.08
Golden Anchor	.07	.09
Ray & O'Brien	.05	.05
Ohio-Tonopah	.27	.29
Original Butte	.21	.22
Diamondfield	.26	.29
Lone Star	.08	.09
Home-Tonopah	.08	.10
Cash Boy	.17	.18

## CONCENTRATES.

A. Chester Beatty and S. W. Mudd,

Guggenheim experts, are in the city today.

Development work is soon to be resumed at the Vallejo mining property at Alta.

P. J. Quasally, manager of the Kemmerer coal mines in Wyoming, is in the city today.

Secretary G. W. Lambourn of the Daly-Judge Mining company departed for camp again this morning.

William Statfield has returned to town from the Albion mine at Alta. A shipment of ore is now at the sampler.

The directors of the Yankee Consolidated have decided to defer the building of a new milling plant for several months.

The residents of Alta have been experiencing some real winter weather of late. Quite a heavy fall of snow is reported during the recent storm.

Superintendent A. O. Jacobson of the Columbus Consolidated, who was down from camp yesterday for a few hours, returned to the diggings this morning.

The ore and bullion settlements reported yesterday by McCornick & Co. were as follows: Crude ore and concentrate, \$40,200; base bullion, \$30,100.

The new fissure in the Bullion Beck Tunnel mine, according to Manager Jesse Knight has been cross-cut to a distance of 30 feet, without showing the opposite wall.

Manager C. D. Rookledge of the Nevada Superior mine in Humboldt county, Nev., departed for camp today. He was accompanied by J. M. Harrington, who has accepted the position of mine superintendent.

F. J. Chisholm, an electrical engineer in the employ of the Bullock Electric company, has arrived from New York and will become a member of the local staff of the Allis Chalmers company, local agents.

## LOCAL MARKETS.

The feature of the past week in the markets was the clean-up of poultry, eggs, and market produce generally. The city's being full of fall and conference visitors resulted in a tremendous demand on supplies from the hotels, restaurants and boardinghouses, and an immense business was done. The wholesalers are now getting in fresh supplies, and preparing for the regular steady fall demand. Eggs are going to the market at 15 cents a dozen, and the wholesale price is now up to 18 per case, and is likely to go higher.

The sale of lemons is slow owing to the cooler weather which has cut down the sale of food drinks. There will be a crop of lemons in the fall, and in town tomorrow morning, also a car of bananas, and the ordinary potato is also being received in car loads for sale in winter storage by consumers. Oysters are selling well, and the cold weather. Apples are high in price, and likely to be higher, on account of the shipments east of northwestern apples. It seems that the famous New York state apple crop is larger than in any year, and the demand from eastern consumers on the apple crops of the far west. Pecan nuts are arriving from Texas, and almonds from California in plenty. The price of grapes is going up as the crop is about at an end, and not a few districts have shipped out all their crop. The prices obtaining in the local markets today are as follows:

## RETAIL.

Timothy, per cwt	75@80
Alfalfa, per cwt	60
Corn, per cwt	1.15
Corn, cracked, per cwt	1.55
Wheat, per cwt	1.50
Barley, rolled, per cwt	1.50
Flour, family, per cwt	1.40
Flour, straight grade, per cwt	1.30
Flour, high patent, per cwt	2.20
bran and shorts	1.25
Strait shorts, per cwt	1.25
Corn meal, per cwt	2.30@2.40

## MEATS AND POULTRY.

Dressed beef, lb	12 1/2 @ 15
Roast beef, lb	12 1/2 @ 15
Dressed mutton, lb	12 1/2 @ 15
Dressed lamb, lb	12 1/2 @ 15
Lard	12 1/2 @ 15
Dressed springs, lb	22 1/2
Broilers, each	25 @ 30

## DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter, lb	30
Cheese, lb	15 @ 20
Egg, each	25
Utah eggs	25
Eastern cheese, lb	25

## FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Grapes	30 @ 40
Fresh figs	20
Peaches, per box	1.50
German prunes, bushel	1.00
Pumpkins, each	25 @ 30
Turnips, 2 bushels	50
Cantaloupes, each	60 @ 70
Utah water melons	10 @ 40
Utah celery	5
Oranges, per box	5.00
Citrus, each	15
Consignments, basket	15
Lemons, per doz	40
Limes, per dozen	30
Egg plants, each	10
Utah cabbages, per lb	5
Green onions, 2 for	10
Mixed nuts, two pounds	35
Utah lettuce, two bunches	5
Utah potatoes, per bushel	65
California lettuce, 3 heads	25
bananas	25 @ 30
Pine apples, each	30 @ 40
Cider, per gal	60
Honey	15
Dates, one-pound packages	20
Apple, none, bushel	2.50
Tomatoes, 5 lbs	1.25
Fresh beets, 4 for	10
Maple sugar, per lb	20
String beans, per lb	19
Radishes, 2 bunches for	15
Carrots, 1 bunches for	15
Summer squash, each	5
Hubbard squash	15
Cauliflowers 8 for	5
Cauliflower, pound	10
Apples, none, bushel	2.50
Sweet potatoes, 5 pounds	25
Mushrooms	35
Pumpkins	10 @ 20
Bell peppers, 3 lbs	60 @ 25
Hot peppers, pound	15

## WHOLESALE.

## FARM PRODUCTS.

Alfalfa, per ton, baled	\$9.50
Timothy	12.50
Wheat, per cwt	1.35
Corn, per cwt	1.35
Corn, cracked, per cwt	1.40
Oats	1.50
Barley, rolled, per cwt	1.25
Crowns, 2 for	1.50
Flour, straight grade, per cwt	1.60
Flour, high patent, per cwt	2.00
bran and shorts	1.00
Straight shorts	1.10
Corn meal, per cwt	2.00 @ 2.10

## DAIRY PRODUCTS.