MINES AND MINING.

Centennial-Eureka Stock Sells on the Exchange for $60.

ALL EYES FIXED ON MERCUR.

The Morgan Hardcrabble Well Thought Of—Dalton Stockholders Meet.

Today's mining call was a fairly good one and bidding was greatly encouraging. As will be seen from the figures below, buyer and seller got pretty close to each other occasionally, but not close enough to consummate a deal. Centennial-Eureka stock, although one which is not tampered with by the brokers, scored a sale of fifty shares at $60. Mercur is a property upon which all eyes are eagerly fixed, and when that is reached by the caller, the bells and bears begin to jump. No sales of the stock were made today, but the figures reached brought it to a very interesting point.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED STOCKS.

Stocks	Bid	Ask
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Stocks	Bid	Ask
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TODAY'S SALES.

Fifty shares of Centennial Eureka, at $60; 3,000 Little Pittsburg, at 2 cents; 200 Dalton, at 3 cents.

WEEKLY MINING LETTER.

Richard L. Colburn Review the Week's Mining Business.

Richard L. Colburn, one of Salt Lake's prominent mining stock brokers, and an active member of the Stock Exchange, issued his first weekly letter yesterday in which he says:

The minority of business this week was in the listed and dividend-paying stocks, and although the number of sales fell in the Exchange was somewhat less than last week the monetary value of the same was far above the average. The investment stocks, such as Centennial-Eureka, Ontario, Daly and Mercur, found ready buyers, and prices advanced each day. Money is seeking good paying investments and while this continues the speculative stocks receive very little attention.

The unlisted stocks were practically out of the race this week and the scalping done in them was manipulated by the bear faction and resulted in low prices all along the line.

American Natural Gas had few supporters, and gradually dropped until 50 cents was reached. Dalton is having its slump, as usual, just before the annual meeting, which will be held tomorrow. Little Pittsburg suffered severely from the bear raids, and unless some supporters soon come to the rescue this stock will unquestionably go lower.

Mercur stocks continue the favorites in the eyes of investors and speculators. Developments reported from properties in the district during the week are most favorable and point to a steady advance in the shares of the leading companies of the Mercur district. East Golden Gate continues strong; development work is being pushed with vigor. The double-compartment shaft is going down at the rate of four feet per twenty-four hours. The same formation is being encountered that they have at equal depth in the De Lamar Golden Gate property adjoining.

MORGAN HARDCRABBLE.

From All Present Indications the Owners Have a Bonanza.

"It's a big thing, and will make one of the best paying mines in Utah, if it can be properly treated," was the remark of Judge John W. Harlan, who approached in his office by a Tribune representative today and asked him what he thought of the Morgan Hardcrabble mine.

"I visited the property the other day," said the judge, "in the interest of some of my clients, and I can say that the quantity of ore in the mine is simply inexhaustible. I went into the tunnel about 1,200 feet, and there all around me I saw virtual mountains of the mineral-bearing rock. Here is a piece," said he, turning to the witness, "which is a fair sample of what can be found there in rich abundance. It contains gold, silver, cobalt and I don't know what else, and if it can be properly treated and segregated by the ordinary process with which it is to be handled, then I say that the mine will rapidly take its place at the top."

The owners of the mine are very enthusiastic over their possession, and state that on Monday, carpenters will begin work on the new mill, which it is expected will be finished about the end of March. There are now fifteen men employed in hauling lumber from the railroad to the mine, a distance of nine miles. Thirty men are employed steadily on the property, making excavations and doing all other work necessary to bring the mine into active operation in the shortest possible time. Water can be had in streams and everything bids fair to make the properties of the Morgan Gold Mining and Milling company, something "worth having."

DALTON STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

A New Board of Directors and Officers for the Ensuing Year Elected.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Dalton Mining company was held at the secretary's office in the Central block yesterday, at which 340,225 shares of the stock were represented. A new board of directors was elected in the persons of F. A. Drusbi, E. G. Rognon, O. R. Young, C. N. Garrison, E. E. Crooks, W. J. Hatemon and Dr. A. C. Ewing, out of which officers for the ensuing year were named as follows: F. A. Drusbi, president; E. E. Crooks, vice-president; E. G. Rognon, secretary, and C. W. Garrison, treasurer. The meeting was harmonious throughout and it was decided that no assessment should be levied on the stock at the present time, but rather that sufficient of the treasury stock should be sold as would be required to meet the indebtedness of the company and the cost of operating the mine. The secretary's report which was submitted showed the indebtedness to be $2,085.49, while the cost of operating the mine during the year of 1895 has amounted $3,547.76. A report of the condition of the mine as found when inspected by Messrs. Rognon and Crooks, was also submitted which showed that everything pertaining thereto was in good condition and being well taken care of by the employes of the company.

Crittenton at the Lyceum.

At the Lyceum theater tomorrow at 4 p. m. a special service for men only will be conducted at which the following program will be presented:

Leonard: Chorus.....Verdi
Orchestra.
Postlude, in E flat—op. 59.....A. Jungmann
Orchestra.
Benedicite and Invocation.
Hymn.....Coronation
Chorus, Orchestra and Congregation.
Prayer.....Mrs. E. G. Hale
Hymn.....Come Thou Almighty King
Chorus, Orchestra and Congregation.
Scripture Lesson.
Solo.....Selected
Mr. Frank Wallace.
Offertory.
Address.....Evangelist Chas. N. Crittenton
Solo.....Selected
Mr. Frank Wallace.
Hymn.....Fit Stand By
Chorus, Orchestra and Congregation.
Benediction.
Tannhauser March.....Orchestra

All men are invited.

MINOR MENTION.

The Utah Forestry association will will hold their regular meeting at 8 o'clock this evening at the office of the county superintendent of schools in the joint city and county building. All interested in forestry are invited to attend.

Elder David McKenzie will deliver a lecture before the joint meeting of the Young Men's and Young Ladies' Mutual Improvement Associations of the Fourteenth ward, on Tuesday evening next, beginning at 7:30, in the ward assembly hall.

A large and enthusiastic audience assembled last evening at the Y. M. C. A. parlors to hear the prohibition debate between the rhetoricians of the Politic and Hamilton debating societies. Interesting remarks were made by Messrs. Adams, Hayes and Johnson of the Politic club and Messrs. Sloan, Lucas and Altman of the Hamilton society. The decision of the judges was in favor of the anti-prohibitionists—the Politic club. Some of the members of the legislature were present. Preceding the debate an excellent musical and literary program was rendered. Miss May Critchell amused the audience very much with her comic recitations.

Lecture.

Dr. J. M. Tanner will deliver a lecture on Popular Government, in the Fourteenth ward hall, Tuesday evening, Feb. 4th, under the auspices of the Woman's Suffrage association. Lecture to begin at 7:30 sharp; sale free; everybody invited.

MRS. KATE H. GROSSCUPP, President.
MRS. CARRIE NEUMAN, Secretary.

The Gold Mountain.

Articles of incorporation were filed with County Clerk Stanton this afternoon by the Gold Mining and Milling company. The capital stock of the corporation is placed at $50,000, divided into $50,000 shares at the value of $1 each, taken by each of the incorporators as follows: Charles F. White, $1,450; William A. Coleman, $1,450; Martin L. Wheeler, $12,400; Homer E. Wheeler, $12,400; J. W. Judd, $100, and J. W. Styer, $100.

The following are the officers named: Charles F. White, president; Homer E. Wheeler, vice-president; William A. Coleman, treasurer, and Martin L. Wheeler, secretary.

Supreme Court.

On motion of W. T. Gunter James G. Gwin was admitted to the bar of the supreme court.

In the case of E. D. R. Thompson vs Le Grand Young, chief justice being disqualified, Judge Holmgn was requested to sit as associate justice, the case occupied the court's attention throughout the day and was still being argued at press time.

Personal Paragraphs.

E. H. Leary, of Moab, is at the Cullen.

H. S. Hoot, of Butte, Mont., arrived at the Knutsford this morning.

Dr. G. Taylor, a well known physician of St. Paul, is registered at the Templeton.

A. C. Butler, of Del a, Colo., is among the late arrivals at the Cullen.

Oscar F. Simpson, a prominent businessman of Baltimore, Md., has his autograph on the Knutsford register.

J. L. Bradley, who has been traveling for some time in the interest of Meyers Brothers, the well known drug firm at St. Louis, can be found at the Templeton.

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GOOD GOVERNMENT.

Big Majority in the Senate for it in Fire and Police Matters.

JONES'S INTEMPERATE REMARKS.

In the House the Elections Committee Report is Made Special Order for Tuesday Next.

In continuing the debate on the fire and police commission bill in the Senate yesterday afternoon, Senator Sutherland exposed the inaccuracy of Senator Jones's statements and the sensational coloring he had given the affair. He was followed by Senators Booth and Allison who pointed out that the proposed measure was an advance in municipal government.

On the other side Senator Glen Miller assisted the present system of a commission. Senator Jones followed him in another bitter speech in which he cast insinuations upon everybody who did not cause to his fiddling. He brought in the newspapers for a share of his undeserved censure, saying of this paper, "The News, I believe, has been told, as many of us have, that the Mayor of this city would refuse to appoint Mormons."

Senator Evans next spoke in favor of the bill, and afterwards President of the Senate Cannon took the floor on its behalf. He cited how Frank Kinney, L. S. Hills and George Mr. Downey had signed the petition against the bill under a misapprehension, as they had informed him. Mr. Cannon challenged Mr. Jones to go with him, with the bill explained, and get more signers against than in favor of it among the citizens.

Senator Warner then argued against the bill, urging that it was contrary to the voice of the people. At the conclusion of his remarks the bill passed the Senate by a vote of 15 to 4, as follows:

Ayes—Allison, Booth, Candland, Chisholm, Driscoll, Evans, McKay, R. G. Miller, Warren, Snow, Sutherland, Zundel, Mr. President—15. Nays—Chambers, Jones, Glen Miller, Warner, 4. Absent—Hayes.

The Senate then adjourned till Monday.

THE HOUSE.

After the close of NEWS report of the House proceedings yesterday afternoon the attempted settlement of the Utah county election contest cases was deferred until Tuesday evening next at 7:30, at which time it will be taken up as special order. New bills were introduced as follows:

H. B. No. 85, by Morrison (by request) "An act to amend chapter 7, title 9, of the Compiled Laws of the Territory of Utah, 1888."

The bill provides that every person who keeps open on Sunday any store, workshop, bar, saloon, banking house or other place of business, for the purpose of transacting business therein, is punishable by a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $100. It thus increases the minimum fine from $5 to $50.

H. B. No. 86, by Thompson of Sanpete, for the prevention of foul brood in bees. The bill provides that it shall be the duty of the county court of each county to appoint from among beekeepers of the county one or more suitable persons as inspector of bees.

No. 87, by Harris, to amend section 3444 and section 3445 of the compiled laws of Utah, 1888. The bill extends the time of redemption to two years.

No. 88 by Monson—An act to prevent the exposure for sale of unwholesome or diseased meats in cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants or over within the State of Utah. And to repeal chapter 80 of the session laws of 1894 entitled, "An act to prevent the exposure for sale of unwholesome meats, etc." The office of meat inspector is created for cities having a population of 10,000 inhabitants or over, within the State of Utah.

Adjourned until this afternoon.

IN THE HOUSE TODAY.

H. B. No. 80 by Reddick As It Will Pass that Body.

The House was the only division of the Legislature in session today, the Senate having adjourned yesterday until Monday.

FROM THE SENATE.

A communication from the Senate gave notice of the passage by that body of H. B. Nos. 8—the fire and police bill.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The committee on judiciary in reporting on H. B. No. 51, an act to amend section 2905 of the Compiled Laws of 1888, and to repeal chapter 4 of the Session Laws of 1890 relating to chattle mortgages, recommended its non-passage. The committee recommended the passage of H. B.'s Nos. 34, 81 and 60 with certain amendments and the passage without amendments of H. B. No. 83.

CONSIDERATION OF REPORTS.

On motion of Stevens, the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole, with Goodsker in the chair, for the consideration of the committee reports.

Stevens moved that the committee's report on H. B. No. 35, the militia bill, be first considered, but Critchlow protested against that modus (per cent as several of the judiciary reports, he contended, were of as great importance as the militia bill and should be taken up forthwith.

Stevens consented to the consideration of the judiciary reports, if they were of more importance than the militia bill, and several members contending that they were, that order of business was proceeded with.

H. B. No. 80, by Reddick, a bill providing for the relief of school districts failing to levy a special school tax, was taken up, and as the committee recommended its passage, a motion by Nye, after slight amendments had been made, that when the committee arose they report favorably, carried unanimously. The bill, as amended, is as follows:

Section 1. That all school districts that failed to levy a special school tax during the year ending December 31, 1895, for the purpose of building or for other school purposes authorized by law, if levied before the 30th day of April, 1896, and such tax shall be assessed and collected at the same time and in the same manner as if it had been levied in the year 1895.

The act takes effect immediately.

H. B. No. 84, by Mansfield, an act to punish the stealing, embezzling and unlawfully appropriating animals, on which there is a mark or brand, the owner of which is unknown, was being discussed when the NEWS report stood.

Notes.

A ripple of laughter was caused in the House today when that portion of the journal relating to the resolution offered by Nye on the report of the committee on election was read. The word "ambiguity" the findings appeared in the journal when it should have been "segregate."

Senator Sutherland was an interested spectator at the House proceedings today. He was presumably watching the police and fire bill.

In the consideration of H. B. No. 34, Howard moved to strike out the provision protecting "dogs" from theft. This brought on a discussion as to the value of a hog, some contending that it was much more valuable than a sheep, while others went so far as to say it was worth more than a horse.

COMMERCIAL.

SALT LAKE CLEARING HOUSE.

Today's clearing house exchanges amounted to $219,629; same day last year, $168,381.

Week's clearings, $1,077,003; same week last year, $1,024,074.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

New York.—Silver, 87½; lead, $2.90.
London.—Silver, 36⅞.

ORE AND BULLION.

T. R. Jones & Co., received today, Ores, $8,303; bullion, $9,100. Total, $17,403.

W. S. McCornick & Co. received today: Silver and lead ores, $5,000; Hanauer bullion, $4,100. Total, $9,100.

Wells, Fargo & Co. received today: Pump. bullion, $5,924.

STOCKS AND MARKETS.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The initial prices on stock exchange were generally fractionally lower than yesterday's final sale. The easier tone was largely due to shaded quotations from London. The market at 11 o'clock showing upward tendency, sugar and Union Pacific advanced important fractions.

The volume of business up to 11 was considerably below the recent average. The temper of speculation, however, continued bullish and material progress towards the establishment of a higher level of values was made. Sugar advanced to 108.

Taking profits, induced by sharply rise in the market, was the alleged cause of the depression in the last hour in which general stocks and Burlington lost a point and other stocks important fractions. The closing was quiet, but heavy.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, CLOSE, Feb. 1.

Wheat—February, 65½; May, 67¾.
Corn—February, 29½; May, [illegible].
Oats—February, 19½; May, 21½@½.
Pork—February, $9.60; May, $9.82½.
Lard—February, $5.35; May, $5.50.
Ribs—February, $5.30; May, $5.40.
Rye—65.
Barley—50@55.
Flax—80½.
Timothy—$4.65.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.

Hogs, receipts 8,000. Market active, 5 cents higher than yesterday's closing.
Mixed, $3.[illegible]@3.[illegible].
Light, $3.[illegible]@3.[illegible].
Heavy, $3.[illegible]@3.[illegible].
Rough, $3.[illegible]@3.[illegible].
Cattle, receipts, 300. Market quiet, unchanged.
Beeves, $2.[illegible]@5.25.
Cows and heifers, $1.[illegible]@3.80.
Texas steers, $2.[illegible]@3.50.
Stockers and feeders, $2.[illegible]@3.75.
Sheep receipts, 5,000; market steady.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Reserve, increase, $1,941,000; loans, decrease, $12,400; specie, increase, $[illegible]; legal tenders, increase, $1,[illegible]; deposits, increase, $7[illegible]; circulation, decrease, $11,000. The banks now hold $[illegible] in excess of requirements.

Silver, Lead.

Silver 87½.

DIED.

EVANS.—In the Third ward, Salt Lake City, January 31st, 1896, of old age—96 years and 3 months, John Evans.

Funeral from the Third ward meeting house, Sunday, Feb. 2nd, at 1 p. m. Friends invited to attend.

FRANDSEN.—In Washington City, Washington county, Utah, Thomas Nelsi Frandsen, son of John D. and Martha Ann Frandsen, born December 2, 1872, died January 27, 1896. Interment at Hebron and also Cedar and a host of relatives.

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