

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS.

PRICES WERE HIGHER TODAY.

Uncle Sam Sold as High as \$1.91 On the Exchange.

CENTURY WAS STRONGER.

Star Con. Advancing—May Day Weakness—Ben Butler Active at Better Prices.

An improvement was recorded today in the prices of a number of active stocks. For all that, however, the market remains quite weak, the excessive heat having apparently affected the market temporarily. Uncle Sam was the feature of the call. No heavy sales were reported, but the stock sold up to \$1.81, closing a little weaker. Star Con. at prices ranging between 13 1/2 and 14, while Tesoro sold up to \$1.07. Ben Butler released upwards of 14,000 shares at prices ranging between 13 1/2 and 14. Century climbed to \$2.64, while May Day opened at \$1.50 and sold down to 14 1/2. Ajax was firm around \$1.50. Sacramento weakened to 31, while South Swansea dropped 300 at 55. La Reine was traded in at 55. Tetra declined to 15. Daily West led an odd lot at 42.50. Northern Light was active at 44. Closing quotations were posted as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax	15 1/2	15 5/8
Alcoa	22 1/2	23
Anchor	2 1/2	2 5/8
Black Jack	1	1 1/4
Boss Tweed	1	1 1/4
Bullion Bank	2 50	
Buckeye	1	1 1/4
Ben Butler	13 1/2	14
Con. Merc.	2 58	3 05
Centennial Eureka	29 00	32 00
Creole	1	1 1/4
Century	2 64	2 68
Daily West	42 1/2	43 00
Dexter	70	70 00
Dillon	7 1/2	7 50
Diamond Con.	1	1 1/4
Emerald	13 1/2	14
Eagle & Blue Bell	1 1/2	1 3/4
Golden Eagle	1 1/2	1 3/4
Galea	18	22
Grand Central	4 75	4 85
Hercules	1	1 1/4
Ingot	2 1/2	3
Joe Bowers	5 1/2	5 3/4
Lower Mammoth	3 50	3 75
La Reine	55	55 00
Little Pittsburgh	2	2 1/4
Little Chief	12 1/2	14 1/2
Mammoth	2 25	2 30
Manhattan	1	1 1/4
Northern Light	44	45
May Day	14 1/2	14 3/4
Ontario	9 25	11 00
Petro	5	5 15
Richmond Anacostia	21	25
R. G. W.	7 1/2	14
Rocco Homestake	86	90
Sacramento	30	31
Silver Shield	2 1/2	2 5/8
South Swansea	55	55 00
Star Con.	13 1/2	14
South Swansea	55	55 00
Shovers Con.	10	10 1/2
Tesoro	1 07	1 08 1/2
Uncle Sam	1 85 1/2	1 91
West Morning Glory	6	6 1/2
White Rock	1	1 1/4
Yankee Con.	5 00	5 30

STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Ajax, 600 at 1.50; 1,700 at 1.51; 1,600 at 1.50; 100 at 1.51; 800 at 1.50; 200 at 1.50, seller 10 days.
Daily, 100 at 1.52; 100 at 1.50; 100 at 1.48; 100 at 1.47, seller 10 days.
Northern Light, 1,000 at 44.
Sacramento, 500 at 31.
South Swansea, 300 at 55.
Star Con., 50 at 48; 100 at 48; 400 at 49; 600 at 49; 200 at 49; 1,000 at 50; 1,100 at 50; 500 at 50; 300 at 51.
Tesoro, 100 at 1.05; 400 at 1.06; 100 at 1.07.
Uncle Sam, 100 at 1.82; 100 at 1.86; 200 at 1.90; 100 at 1.91.
Ben Butler, 500 at 13 1/2; 2,500 at 14; 2,500 at 14; 2,000 at 14; 2,000 at 14; seller 10 days.
Century, 100 at 2.64.
La Reine, 100 at 55; 200 at 55.
Tetra, 1,000 at 15.
Shares sold, 19,975.
Selling value, \$18,495.62.

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TRANSMISSISSIPPI CONGRESS.

Twelfth Annual Meeting Opens in Cripple Creek.

Cripple Creek, Colo., July 16.—The twelfth annual meeting of the Trans-Mississippi congress opened today at Odd Fellows hall with nearly 1,000 delegates present. Many of the most prominent men in the western states and territories are among the membership which includes half a dozen governors, twice that number of ex-governors and many senators and congressmen. Every state and territory in the west is represented.

The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock by the president of the congress, Walter Gresham, of Galveston, Texas.

An adjournment was immediately taken until 1:30 this afternoon in order to give a large number of delegates on route, who had been delayed by missing railroad connections, a chance to participate in the opening session. The program outlined for the morning was carried out this afternoon.

Gov. J. B. Orman, for Colorado, and Mayors F. J. Crane of Cripple Creek and Nelson Franklin of Victor, welcomed the delegates. Responses were made by Gov. W. E. Stanley of Kansas, and others.

PATENTS FOR UTAH PEOPLE.

[Special to the "News"]

Washington, D. C., July 16.—Patents issued Utahns today: Benjamin Farrist, Plain City, lifting jack; Dora Rencher, assignor of one-fourth interest to A. H. Cowley, Salt Lake, garment fitter.

BIG SHUT DOWN AT SUNSHINE.

Overland Mine and Mill Unexpectedly Suspend Operations.

CAMP IS WRAPPED IN GLOOM

Over One Hundred Men Thrown Out of Employment—They Receive Only Forty Per Cent of Their Wages.

(Special to the "News.")

Sunshine, July 16.—A pall of gloom was spread over this camp this morning when the Overland mine and mill were closed down and something over one hundred men thrown out of employment. The management assigned no reason for the unexpected action but it is believed that broken machinery and constant repair work are responsible for the shut down.

The town has grown rapidly during the past few months and from forty to fifty families have made their homes here. There are two stores, quite a number of boarding houses, butcher and barber shops, saloons and other business establishments. The shut down of the property will result in heavy losses to all and to a practical abandonment of the camp in the event that the suspension becomes permanent. At the present there is no prospect of work being resumed in the near future, if at all. The men were told that forty per cent of their wages this afternoon. Some who were discharged a few days ago have been unable to realize on their time check.

The Sunshine mill near by, it will be remembered, closed down four years ago and has not been in operation since that time, although a party of eight or ten men are employed in the mine itself, and the promise is made that the mill will be put in operation again on August 1st. Of course this will help matters materially. If it does not begin work at that time the result certainly will be disastrous to this part of the district and a great loss to those who have recently been making their homes and investments therein.

The principal owners of the Overland are Boston people who recently spent a large sum of money in enlarging the old plant in the hope of making the property pay. G. A. Duncan of this city has been in charge of the work. Mr. Duncan could not be seen today in reference to the matter, but it is believed that the ore could not be profitably worked, which has caused suspension of work after a fair test of several months.

CHANGE AT THE COMSTOCK.

J. D. Wood Reports Fine Showing in Lower Drift.

A very interesting change has taken place in the lower drift of the Comstock at Park City. Rumors of the change have been current on the streets for several days, but Manager Dusseldorf stated that the ore change has not been tapped. This is true, but the change is so very important that J. D. Wood considers it almost certain that the big chute encountered on the upper level, will shortly be fully exposed in the lower drift. Mr. Wood visited the property a few days ago, and is very sanguine about the results. On last Friday night the top of the drift entered a body of fine foot quartz. A little later the full face of the drift was in quartz carrying a fine grade of carbonate ore. The same condition is said to prevail now and more important developments are hourly expected. The Comstock, which is one of the newer properties of the Park, is located near the California. A fine bolting and pumping plant has been installed and there is little doubt that the property will give a good account of itself during the next few months.

ENCOURAGING AT THE STAR.

Gold Values are Being Encouraged in the Lower Tunnel.

Development work is being systematically carried out at the Star of Pine canyon, Bingham, and within the next 6 or 8 weeks the management expects to cut the ore chute exposed in the old workings nearly 500 feet nearer the surface. From that point a great deal of ore was taken about 15 months ago and treated in the small cyanide plant nearby. The lower tunnel, which cut the vein about 100 feet from its mouth, is intended to secure about 200 feet of stopping ground. The company is now drifting on the vein which is about 8 or 9 feet wide. Values are being encountered but they are not high enough yet to enable the company to operate its mill. It is quite probable that the crosscut tunnel will be pushed farther into the hill to tap two back veins which are believed to be on the company's ground.

TESTS ON STAR CON. ORE.

Seem to Show That It Cannot Be Handled in Eureka Hill Mill.

In reference to the treatment of the low grade ores of the Star Con. in the Eureka Hill mill Mr. Moyley C. Fox stated today that the tests recently made on a number of samples seem to show that the ore is a little too low grade to pay the costs of mining and hauling and treatment in the mill. In securing the samples the aim was to secure an average such as would enable the Star Con. to send out a heavy tonnage and thus enable the Eureka Hill company to drop all the stamps in the big mill. This, it is considered, is the only way to enable the Star Con. ores to be handled profitably. A heavy tonnage must be put through to secure which requires the excavation of much very low grade ore. The question seems to be, what tonnage of mill ore can the Star Con. ship to the big mill, and in determining this a very low average has to be taken? Mr. Fox says other tests will probably be made, but it looks at present as if the Star Con. ores cannot be profitably handled in the Eureka Hill mill.

New State Ore Body.

The New State at the mouth of Little Cottonwood canyon is said to be booming up in a very promising way just now. It is reported that the parties who have the bond on the property have opened up some good ore in the east drift, from which they are stopping a nice quality of shipping ore. The New State has been bonded until Nov. 20th.

ASSAYS FROM THE R. G. W.

After crosscutting about 32 feet farther west from the fissure encountered several months ago, the R. G. W. of Tintic has cut what is believed to be the main ledge. Samples of the rock was received in town today, which are said to assay nearly an ounce in silver, besides 30 cents gold per ton, with small values in lead. The present work was started as the result of the test of the ground by the electric ore locator. The management expects to continue crosscutting to a point about 30 feet farther west, where the instrument is said to have indicated heavy deposits of mineral.

New Mining Exchange Rules.

The Spokane Mining Exchange has adopted some new rules which may have some local interest. They are designed to prevent brokers making a fictitious quotation on stocks and then withdrawing it. Hereafter, when an offer is made it stands good until a sale is made or the caller passes the stock.

To illustrate: A offers to buy or sell a given quantity at \$5; B also offers at \$4; and C at \$3. Then D shall have the right to avail himself of all that is offered, or such as he desires, if done as one transaction, and at the best prices offered.

MINING NOTES.

The Tlevauke of Bingham had a car of ore on the market today.

The Ophir Hill had 7 cars of concentrates on the market today.

The shaft of the Tesoro is down nearly fifty feet below the 375 level.

Four cars of ore were marketed today from the Mammoth of Tintic.

President McIntyre of the Mammoth has gone to Park City to inspect the Metropolitan Stone company's property.

Some fine looking quartz is reported to have been lately exposed on the 400 level of the Eagle and Blue Bell of Tintic.

Willard F. Snyder returned from Colorado yesterday afternoon, after inspecting some placer claims near Alma, in which he is interested.

A force of sixteen men is engaged at the New Sunnion group in Big Cottonwood. Sinking has been resumed in the winze below the main tunnel.

Nearly 200 out of the 500 shareholders of the Dalton & Lark company have called at W. F. Snyder's office since last Wednesday and received their dividend of 10 cents each per share.

President Moyley C. Fox of the Eureka Hill says that some very nice ore is being opened up in different places in the mine. The company is more than making expenses in its present development work.

At a meeting of the Mammoth No. 2 Mining company held yesterday afternoon, Wm. McIntyre was elected president; Samuel McIntyre, vice president; and Isaac Jennings, secretary. Edward Richards and Pat Condon are the other directors. The property of the company adjoins the Mammoth.

MARKET OPENED HIGHER.

Grangers and Pacific Southwesterns Led in Advances in Prices.

Good Demand for Many Usually Inactive Stocks—Receded Some in Late Afternoon.

New York, July 16.—The grangers and Pacific southwesterns led an opening advance in prices which was quite general. The first sales of United States steel were of 15,000 shares at simultaneous prices of 38 1/2 to 39, compared with 38 1/2 last night while the preferred stock, selling ex-dividend, opened at an advance of 1/2 and then ran off 1/2.

North American rose 1/2. Rock Island, usually inactive, declined a point everything else was affected to a slight extent. Large buying orders then appeared for the corn carrying roads and they rose rapidly under the lead of Atchison, which sold at 7 1/2, an improvement of 1/2. St. Paul, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific were 2 1/2 points higher. A good demand for many usually inactive stocks was noted. These included the Grangers and Pacific Southwesterns, which were up 1/2 to 3/4. American Linseed preferred lost 6 points. The purchasing movement slackened and the market became very dull. Room traders were disposed to realize on yesterday's purchases and the general demand was not sufficient to absorb the offerings.

Bonds were steady.

The market sagged heavily during the noon hour. St. Paul receded 1/2 and Atchison and Union Pacific 1 1/2 each, and others a point.

Stocks went down slightly to about opening prices and a few below, notably United States Steel, which touched 37 1/2. A spurt in Brooklyn Rapid Transit and then in Manhattan carried them up 2 points, and St. Paul recovered 1/2.

There is but little wool in the market. The demand for the lowest before 2 o'clock. Texas & Pacific Land trust jumped 5 1/2.

SUGAR.

Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 1/2-4; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 1/2-5; molasses sugar, 2 1/2-3. Refined, steady; crushed, 5-6; powdered, 5-6; granulated, 5-6.

MONEY AND BONDS.

Money on call nominally at 304 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 40 1/2 per cent.

Sterling exchange easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4 1/2 for 60 days and 4 1/4 for 90 days; steady, 4 1/2 and 4 1/4; commercial bills, 4 1/2 and 4 1/4.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, July 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 25,000. Slow, weak to lower. Good to

prime steers, 5.30@6.15; poor to medium, 3.70@5.00; stockers and feeders, 2.00@4.25; cows, 2.35@4.50; heifers, 2.35@4.65; canners, 1.25@2.40; bulls, 2.00@4.40; calves, 3.75@6.00; Texas fed steers, 3.50@5.00.
Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; tomorrow, 42,000; left over, 7,300. Market low; mixed and butchers, 5.70@6.10; good to choice, 5.90@6.10; rough heavy, 5.75@6.25; light, 5.60@5.90; bulk of sales, 5.85@6.00.
Sheep—Receipts, 15,000. Slow, lambs 10 to 25c lower. Good to choice wethers, 3.90@4.50; fair to choice mixed, 3.40@4.00; western sheep, 4.50@4.80; yearlings, 4.00@4.55; native lambs, 3.50@5.20; western range lambs, 3.00@5.70.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Chicago, July 16.—September wheat opened at 66 1/2¢ and advanced to 67 1/2¢.
Close: Wheat—July 66 1/2¢; August 66 1/2¢; September 67 1/2¢.
Corn—July 30 1/2¢; September 31 1/2¢.
Pork—July 13 1/2¢; September 14 1/2¢.
Timothy—July 7 1/2¢; September 7 1/2¢.
Cash: Wheat—No. 2 red 67¢; No. 3 red 66 1/2¢; No. 2 hard winter 65 1/2¢; No. 3 hard winter 64 1/2¢; northern spring 67¢; No. 2 do 66¢; No. 3 do 65 1/2¢.
Corn—No. 2 49 1/2¢; No. 3 47 1/2¢.
Rye—51 1/2¢.
Barley—40 1/2¢.
Flax—Cash, northwest, 1.88.

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