MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

MINERS WIRE THOMAS LAWSON.

Officials of Butte Union Take Exceptions to Statements of Boston Broker.

SAY FRIENDLY RELATIONS

Exits Between Miners and Mine Owners—That Fair Wages Are Paid To the Workers.

The Butte Miners' union is out for the scalp of Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston broker, who came into the public eye conspicuously during the past year because of his "Frenzied Finance" articles in a well known magazine. The miners take exceptions to the declaration of Lawson that there is a plan on foot to decrease the wages of miners in Montana.

A message received over the Pollock wires today gives the contents of the curt reply sent to Lawson, which received the sanction of Frank O'Connor president, and William Malloy, secretary of the Butte union. The message said:

"The Butte Miners' union takes notice of your warning that plans are being made to reduce wages of miners in Montana only to say to you that the miners of Montana need no stock jobber or bucket shop manipulator to take care of their interests. The Butte Miners' union has for 27 years maintained a satisfactory scale of wages for its members, and has at the same time maintained friendly relations with the managements of the companies employing them, and at the present time the management has the entire confidence of the members of our union. In your effort to depreciate the value of Butte properties, by your attacks on the companies employing 10,000 miners in Butte and on the banks of Butte, you will not be aided by men who are today, as they have been for over a quarter of a century, getting steady work and fair wages, with the friendliest of feeling between companies and employes."

MAY DAY HIGHER

Tintic Stock Sells up to 27½ Cents—Closing Quotations and Sales.

May Day was the big center of attraction on the floor of the mining exchange today. The stock sold up to 27½ cents and then softened slightly, closing with a sale at 26¾ cents. Carisa, Tetro and Victoria were other Tintic stocks that participated. On the open board, Butler Liberal started the ball rolling at 20 cents, while Columbus Consolidated found favor at $6.15@$6.20.

The closing quotations and sales were as follows:

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Albion	$ .60	$ .....
Alice	3.00	3.25
Ajax	.33¼	.35
Bullion Beck	1.00	.....
Carisa	.24¾	.25
Creole	.22½	.....
Con. Mercur	.62	.67½
Daly	1.13	1.27
Daly Judge	10.40	10.55
E. & B. Bell	2.50	3.50
Grand Central	3.85	4.05
Galena	.03½	.....
Horn Silver	1.50	.....
Little Bell	6.50	7.10
Lower Mammoth	.32½	.35
Mammoth	1.20	1.60
May Day	.26¾	.26⅞
Ontario	2.12½	.....
Petro	.00 1-16	.00½
Silver King	.....	35.00
Sacramento	.16	.....
Silver Shield	.16	.20
Star Con.	.....	.13½
Swansea	.35	.80
South Swansea	.....	.06¼
Sunshine	.00¾	.02
U. S. Mining	56.00	58.00
Utah	.57½	.60
Uncle Sam Con.	.40½	.41½
Victoria	2.67½	3.00
Boston Con.	.....	23.25
Butler Liberal	.18	.22
Beck Tunnel Con.	.78½	.80
Century	.12	.17
Black Jack	.....	.65
Cyclone	.....	.08
Ingot	.01⅞	.02¼
Joe Bowers	.02	.03
Little Chief	.03¾	.04¼
New York	.18	.....
Tetro	.15	.15¼
Victor Con.	.02½	.04
Wabash	1.00	1.25
Yankee	.33	.....
NEVADA STOCKS.		
Montana Tonopah	.....	3.00
MacNamara	.....	.85
Tonopah	.....	18.25
Tonopah Belmont	5.75	.....
Tonopah Extension	.....	15.00
Rocco Homestake	.15	.....

REGULAR CALL SALES.

Carisa, 500 at 24¾; 500 at 25.
Daly Judge, 125 at 10.50; 500 at 10.47½.
May Day, 1,000 at 26½; 2,500 at 26¾; 500 at 26⅝; 5,000 at 27½ b 60; 2,500 at 27; 2,500 at 26⅞; 500 at 27¼ b 60; 3,000 at 26½ s 60; 1,000 at 27⅛ b 60.

Today's Metal Quotations.

Local settling prices are reported by the American Smelting and Refining company:

SILVER,	65
COPPER, (Casting)	18
COPPER, (Electro)	18¼
LEAD,	$5.35

NEW YORK QOUTATIONS.

LEAD, quiet,	5.35@5.45.
COPPER, Firm,	18½@¾.

Victoria, 100 at 2.70.
New York, 500 at 18¾.
Tetro, 500 at 15; 500 at 15⅛.

OPEN BOARD SALES.

Butler-Liberal, 375 at 20.
Columbus Con., 35 at 6.15; 100 at 6.20.
May Day, 400 at 26¾.
Thompson, 500 at 15, 500 at 16½; 1,000 at 17.

RECAPITULATION.

Regular call	21,725	$12,320.75
Open board	2,910	1,347.75
Forenoon totals	24,635	$13,668.56

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SALT LAKERS AT FAIRVIEW.

Hodson and Mead on a Bonanza Chasing Expedition.

The Fairview News, the latest newspaper venture in one of Nevada's newest camps, says:

"John T. Hodson of Salt Lake has purchased for $5,000 the Boulders 1 and 2 in the Nevada camp, the vendor being P. Langdell of Reno. Messrs. Hodson and Webber, who have been operating together at Fairview, and who have heretofore secured some valuable holdings, have been quietly prospecting the Boulder claims for several weeks. The assay returns, together with the general formation of the outcroppings convinced both that these properties were what they had been looking for, and the deal just mentioned is one result of the careful and painstaking expert examination they have been giving the Fairview district for more than a month.

"E. H. Mead of Salt Lake City visited Fairview Thursday. He was much disappointed that the weather conditions were such as to preclude a thorough inspection of the fields, but went away well pleased with the best idea he could get of Fairview under snow. Mr. Mead is interested in properties here.

CAMP WILBER ACTIVE.

Ore Shipments to Start When Road Conditions Will Permit.

Special Correspondence.

Camp Wilber, Idaho, March 18.—The outlook for an active year for mining in this section is very bright and the pioneers of the camp are more confident than ever that it is going to be the location of some big producing mines. Quite a number of new locations and discoveries have been made during the past few months.

It is gratifying to note that outside capital is coming this way. The Daisy Black group of claims, recently bonded to W. P. Young and I. A. Brim, is the scene of an active exploratory campaign and, it is claimed, they have 100,000 tons of lead-silver ore available in the mine and 6,000 tons broken for shipment. As soon as the roads get in better shape the ore will be moved towards the Salt Lake smelters.

The Great Western Mining company, operating a property between Camp and South creeks, has a car load of lease ore ready for market.

The Red Bird group, was recently bonded to I. A. and A. A. Brim for $10,000. The property has a good showing of gold, silver, copper and lead ore. Some high assays have been obtained.

Among the visitors to this camp last week were Joseph T. and B. S. Rupp of Blackfoot and F. M. Langford of Salt Lake. The latter came to look over the district and is reported as having formed such a good impression of it that he may decide to get a foothold.

THE LATHAM CASE.

Suit Brought by D. J. Evans Decided By Judge Morse.

Judge Morse has rendered a decision in the case of D. J. Evans against the Latham Mining & Smelting company in which he finds in favor of neither party and each is ordered to pay its own costs. Evans sued to recover 25,000 shares of stock in the company and also $27 alleged to be due on a contract for selling stock. The company filed a cross-complaint, in which it asked judgment for $1,712.75, alleged to be due for money advanced to plaintiff. The court found in favor of defendant on the complaint and in favor of plaintiff on the cross-complaint, hence neither side secured a judgment and each must pay its own costs.

NEVADA CON.'S REDUCTION PLANT.

Will be One of the Most Modern Ones Over Built in This Country.

TO PRODUCE BLISTER COPPER

Battery of Six McDougall Roasters—What Other Equipment Will Consist Of.

The ore reduction works to be erected at Ely, Nevada, for the Nevada Consolidated Mining company's properties will be equipped to handle 1,000 tons of ore per day and will consist of concentrating, roasting and smelting departments.

The new works, when completed, will constitute one of the most carefully equipped and thoroughly modern plants in the United States. It is intended to produce blister copper; and the process of treatment will consist in concentration of the ore, roasting in McDougal furnaces, matting in reverberatory furnaces and bessemerizing. The machinery, much of which is of special and unusually heavy design, aggregates 11,400 tons in weight.

One of the features of the equipment will be a battery of six McDougal furnaces, each standing 19 feet 6 inches high and 18 feet in diameter. The main shafting for the entire group of six furnaces will be driven from a 20-hp. Bullock induction motor, running at 850 r. p. m. The operator will be enabled to control the operation of each furnace from any one of three floors or stages about them.

The concentrating machinery will include six 6-ft. Huntington mills of the Anaconda type. They will be equipped with to special step box and with a continuous shaft for three mills, dividing the six mills into two groups. Two Blake crushers, eight Overstrom tables, 91 vanners, and 24 Richards classifiers are also to be installed.

The power house equipment consists of two 22 and 48x49-in. compound condensing engines, a 16x31-in. blowing engine with a capacity of 6,000 cu. ft. of free air per minute; and two 800-kw. Allis-Chalmens-Bullock engine type alternators, with two exciters. Seven motors, ranging from 30 to 100 h. p. are provided for the operation of various ore machinery, furnaces, eac.

Thomas W. Cox is engineer for the company. It is expected that the new plant will be ready to begin operations during next autumn.

ALTA CONSOLIDATED.

Dr. C. S. Jones of Duluth Returns From Inspection Trip.

Dr. C. S. Jones of Duluth, one of the most extensive shareholders in the property of the Alta Consolidated properties at Alta, has been in the latter camp on an inspection trip and returned to the city last evening greatly impressed with the camp in general and the Alta Consolidated in particular. The doctor expressed himself as being eminently pleased with the campaign being carried on under the direction of Supt. Beveridge, who came in from camp with him.

HE LIKES MANHATTAN.

W. H. Clark Comes in From Nevada And Boosts for That Camp.

W. H. Clark, formerly a well known stock broker of this city, but who is now prominently identified with mining enterprises in the camps of Nevada, came in from the west last evening on a brief business trip.

Just before leaving Tonopah for this city, Mr. Clark paid a visit to the thriving camp of Manhattan, and in speaking of it to a "News" representative today expressed the opinion that there are very good reasons to believe that it will eclipse all others ever discovered in Nevada, not discrediting in the least the wonderful richness of the mines of Tonopah, Goldfield and Bullfrog, which have been a great attraction of late to men possessed of millions of capital. "The Manhattan district," said Mr. Clark, "has been examined very thoroughly by J. H. Shockley, the well known mining engineer, and he new entertains very optimistic views as regards the future of that camp. He says the geological conditions there are right for the development of some big mines and would feel surprised if the camp does not make as good, if not a greater, record than either Tonopah or Goldfield. The surface showings there are something great and no mistake.

"The new Fairview camp, I believe is going to turn out all right, too," continued Mr. Clark. "Myself and associates have secured quite a lot of property there and a message received from John T. Hodson yesterday advised me that out of 10 assays taken from one property showed values running from $37 up to $1,000 per ton. John A. Kirby is interested with us in Fairview and he is now in the camp looking it over."

As to the Gibraltar mines, at Bullfrog, Mr. Clark reports conditions as being fine. The advent of Charles M. Schwab and Samuel Newhouse into that district has had a wonderfully stimulating effect. In fact all the southern Nevada camps are looking good and the year promises to be a very eventful one throughout the state.

NEVADA STOCKS.

James A. Pollock & Co. furnish today the following San Francisco mining stock quotations:

Tonopah Belmont, 5.87½@6.25; Cash Boy, 20@21; Golden Anchor, 1.30@1.32½; Home Tonopah, 25 bid; Jim Butler, 1.75@1.77½; MacNamara, 77@79; Tonopah Midway, 2.30@2.40; Montana Tonopah, 3.02½@3.05; North Star, 57@58; Tonopah Extension, 12.50 asked; Ohio Tonopah, 54@55; Tonopah (Com.), 17.75@18.25; West End, 2.90@2.95; Adams, 23@24; Blue Bull, 12@14; Conqueror, 17@19; Diamondfield, 43@45; Dixie, 11@13; Goldfield, 63@64; Jumbo, 1.57½@1.65; Jumbo Extension, 25@25; Kendall, 87@89; Laguna, 24@25; May Queen, 32 bid; Mohawk, 56@58; Red Top, 2.02½@2.10; Sandstorm, 1.30@1.40; Silver Pick, 26@27; St. Ives, 33@34; National Bank, 37@39; Denver, 1.70@1.85; Eclipse, 1.05@1.12½; Eclipse, 1.05@1.12½; Gold Bar, 1.30@1.40; Original Bullfrog, 21@23; Steinway, 38@40; Montgomery Mountain, 59 bid; Great Bend, 65@69; Tramp, 1.10@1.15.

COMSTOCK.

Con. Virginia, 1.35@1.40; Ophir, 5.12½@5.25; Caledonia, 35@37; Mexican, 1.15@1.20; Exchequer, 55@58; Norcross, 1.20@1.25.

WYOMING'S METAL OUTPUT.

Last Year's Assessment Returns Show A Valuation of $1,710,612.23.

Special Correspondence.

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 19.—The value of the mineral output of Wyoming, as returned for assessment last year, was $1,710,612.23. The total tonnage mined was 8,606,883.14 tons, of which 534,879 tons were iron, and 25,000 tons were copper. The coal sold for an average of $4 per ton, and the copper netted the producers over $500,000. The tax value per ton on coal and ores was fixed by the bill passed by the legislature four years ago, and is not the actual value of the product, thus explaining the vast difference shown in the valuation of the output for taxation, and the actual value. The tax on mines will bring the state about $50,000 this year.

STRUCK OIL IN WELL.

Special Correspondence.

Casper, Wyo., March 19.—Oil was found in a well being bored at Powder river by the Chicago & Northwestern, a few days ago. The company was after water, but struck a strong flow of lubricating oil instead.

CONCENTRATES.

Col. E. A. Wall has gone to Denver on mining business.

Peter Porter is in Bingham on mining business today.

Manager G. H. Dern of the Consolidated Mercur is in from the Tooele gold camp.

H. S. Joseph spent last night looking over mining interests in the Tintic mining district.

William Ochs returned yesterday from a trip into the Bullion, Nevada, mining district.

Samuel McIntyre, Jr., superintendent of the Mammoth mine in the Tintic district, returned to the mine last night.

John A. Hunt is preparing to leave for the property of the Arrow Mining company, near Indian Springs, Nevada, in a few days.

The ore and bullion settlements reported late yesterday were as follows: Crude ore and concentrate, $26,200; base bullion, $54,000.

Henry M. Crowther, manager of the Continental Alta mines is scheduled to leave for Oregon in a few days for the purpose of buying ties for the railroad up Little Cottonwood canyon.

With the signatures of the proper officials atached, the bonds of the Bingham Central Mining company, to the amount of $250,000 have been forwarded to the Morton Trust company of New York for registration and delivery under the recent subscriptions.

ARE YOU ENGAGED?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided, by keeping their digestions in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown, of Bennetsville, S. C., says: "For years, my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she lost her strength and vigor, and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." Z. C. M. I., druggists, 112-114 South main St., sells and guarantees them, at 50c a bottle.

THE MEN ESCAPED.

But Mountain Queen Mine Houses Were Destroyed.

Silverton, Colo., March 21.—News reached here today that the Mountain Queen mine was swept by a snowslide last Saturday and all the buildings, including the compressor house, were destroyed. A force of 20 men escaped without injury. The financial loss is not heavy, as the company had not installed the expensive improvements planned.

The Mountain Queen is situated in California gulch, over the ridge from the Sunnyside and Gold Prince properties.

A large party of men left today on snowshoes for the Shenandoah mine, in Arastra gulch, above Howardsville, to assist in digging for the bodies of the 12 miners who were swept to their death by a snowslide.

Still another party is on its way to Green Mountain mill to search for the body of Foreman D. A. Hickey.

Considerable alarm is felt for the members of these rescue gangs, as they will be compelled to go over trails where slides are known to run frequently.

SUGAR REBATE INQUIRY.

New York, March 21.—The federal grand jury today resumed its investigation of the alleged rebating between the American Sugar Refining company and the westbound trunk lines running out of New York City, as complained of by William R. Hearst. Among the witnesses who were examined were R. M. Parker and T. P. Riley, who are said to be connected with the traffic department of the Sugar company, and T. A. Meunch and W. J. Whittaker. As usual the examinations were made secretly.

ROYAL ARCANUM TROUBLES.

Syracuse, N. Y., March 22.—Frank Z. Wilcox, who is one of the leaders of the opposition of the increased rates of the Royal Arcanum, and who was recently expelled by Supreme Regent Howard C. Wiggins of Rome, on findings of a committee of the supreme council after trial, has secured from Justice Watson M. Rogers here an injunction, the effect of which is to give him all privileges of membership in the order, pending the final determination of a suit brought by him against the supreme council for reinstatement. The injunction forbids the publication of the proceedings before the trial committee which were to have been published in the April Bulletin, the organ of the order.

SNOW STOPS TRAFFIC.

Wooster, Ohio, March 22.—All traffic on the Cleveland and Southwestern traction line between this city and Boca, forty miles, has been abandoned because of snow drifts in cuts. Three cars with 50 passengers have been stuck in a terrible drift five miles north of the city since 5 o'clock last night.

Many men are shoveling snow, but a steady wind blows it back almost as fast as they get it out.

Passengers east from Chicago to Fort Wayne, Findlay, Fostoria, Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, New York City, Boston and all points east, will consult their interests and find advantage in selecting the Nickel Plate Road east from Chicago. Three through trains are run daily, with through day coaches to New York City, and modern Pullman sleeping cars to destination. Rates always the lowest, and no excess fares are charged on any train, for any part of the journey. Modern dining cars, with individual club meals, ranging in price from 35 cents to $1; also meals a la carte. Ask for tickets via the Nickel Plate road. Chicago depot, La Salle and Van Buren streets, the only station in Chicago on the Elevated Loop. Chicago City Ticket Office, 111 Adams street. Detailed information may be secured by addressing Charles E. Johnson, district passenger agent, No. 811 Seventeenth street, Denver, Colorado.

GENERAL LIST MOTIONLESS.

Sales of New York Central Carried it Down Below Last Night's Close.

WEAK STOCKS RECOVERED.

It Was Entirely Owing to Support Given in Several Directions.

New York, March 22.—Sales of New York Central carried it down 1½ from last night's closing price at the opening of the stock market today, and Chicago & Northwestern lost 1¼ of yesterday's large advance. The general list was not affected by these movements and was almost motionless. Dealings were on a very meager scale. Hide and Leather preferred rose ¾.

Buying orders were placed in many of the active stocks before the weakness of New York Central, and Missouri Pacific had time to bring about any sympathetic depression. This display of support stopped the selling of the weak stocks and they recovered fully. Reading was bought confidently and so were certain railroads and specialties which have recently been liquidated freely. Lackawanna rose 4¾, Reading and Lead, Northern Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio and International Paper preferred 1½ and St. Paul, Louisville & Nashville, Illinois Central, Colorado Fuel and Consolidated Gas 1 to 1¼. Profit taking cut into these advances largely but the market rose again before 11 o'clock.

Missouri Pacific and Great Northern preferred rose 1, Tennessee Coal 1½ and Northwestern 3.

The market showed a firm undertone, but movements were narrow and trading small. Union Pacific and Smelting rose 1¼, and Southern Pacific, Amalgamated Copper and Sugar about a point.

LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, March 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market slow to steady. Native steers, 4.25@5.90; native cows and heifers, 2.25@5.25; stockers and feeders, 3.60@4.75; bulls, 3.00@4.25; calves, 3.00@7.00; western fed steers, 3.75@5.25; western fed cows, 2.75@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market strong to 5 cents higher. Bulk of sales, 6.15@6.25; heavy, 6.20@6.30; packers, 6.15@6.27½; pigs and lights, 5.90@6.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; market strong. Muttons, 4.50@5.85; lambs, 5.80@6.60; range wethers, 5.25@5.80; fed ewes, 4.25@5.25.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000; market slow, prices steady. Beeves, 4.00@6.30; cows and heifers, 1.75@5.10; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.90; Texans, 3.75@4.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market strong to 5 cents higher; estimated tomorrow, 19,000. Mixed and butchers, 6.15@6.45; good heavy, 6.35@6.45; rough heavy, 6.15@6.25; lights, 6.15@6.40; pigs, 6.00@6.25; bulk of sales, 6.35@6.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market slow, prices steady. Sheep, 3.75@6.00; lambs, 4.70@6.80.

OMAHA.

Omaha, March 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,800; market steady to lower. Native steers, 4.00@6.60; cows and heifers, 3.00@4.50; western steers, 3.50@4.60; canners, 1.75@2.85; stockers and feeders, 2.75@4.50; calves, 3.00@6.50; bulls and stags, 2.50@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; market shade lower. Heavy, 6.17½@6.25; mixed, 6.15@6.17½; lights, 6.00@6.17½; pigs, 5.00@6.00; bulk of sales, 6.15@6.17½.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,500; market steady. Yearlings, 5.20@6.70; wethers, 5.10@5.50; ewes, 4.50@6.25; lambs, 6.00@6.50.

WOOL.

ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, March 22.—Wool, steady. Territory and western medium, 22@29; fine medium, 21@25; fine, 18@21.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, March 22.—The wheat market opened firm today, chiefly because of an active demand by shorts. May opened unchanged to ⅛ higher at 77½ to 77⅝ and advanced to 77¾@77⅞.

Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 263 cars against 381 cars a year ago.

The corn market was firm on a good demand by commission houses. May opened unchanged to a shade lower at 44@44¼ and sold up to 44¼.

There was a fair demand for oats by pit traders. The market generally was firm. May opened unchanged at 30¼ and sold up to 30½@30⅝.

The market in provisions was steady on a good demand by packers. May pork was unchanged at 16.40; lard unchanged to 7½ higher at 8.32½ to 8.35, and ribs unchanged at 8.15.

Cash: Wheat—No. 2 red, 83¼@85; No. 3 red, 80@83; No. 2 hard, 78¾@81¼; No. 3 hard, 73½@78½; No. 1 northern, 78½@81½; No. 2 northern, 76@80½; No. 3 spring, 73@80.

Oats—No. 2, 30¼@30½; No. 3, 30.

Corn—No. 2, 43¾@44; No. 3, 42¾@43¼.

Close: Wheat—May, 78¼; July, 77⅝@77¾.

Corn—May, 44⅝@44¾; July, 44⅞.

Oats—May, 30⅝@30⅞; July, 29¾@29⅞.

Pork—May, 16.47½; July, 16.37½.

Lard—May, 8.37½; July, 8.45.

Ribs—May, 8.17½; July, 8.07½@8.10.

Rye—Cash, 60@62.

Flax—Nominal.

Timothy—March, 3.17.

Clover—Cash, 1.20.

Barley—Cash, 37@53.

Later in the session the May option sold off to 77¾@77⅞ on profit taking.

During the last half-hour prices became strong. May closed ⅝ up at 78⅛.

Corn—The corn market became strong in the last half. May reached 44⅝@44¾, where it closed strong.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 22.—Sugar, firm. Fair refining, 3 1-16; centrifugal, .96 test 3 9-16; molasses sugar, 2¾.

Refined—Steady. Crushed, 5.40; powdered, 4.80; granulated, 4.70.

Coffee—Steady. No. 7 Rio, 8¼.

Butter and Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Weak. Western firsts, 15¾; do. seconds 15¼@15½; southerns, 14½@15¾.

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN.

San Francisco, March 21.—Wheat—Steady. May, 1.25½; Dec., 1.26.

Barley—Steady. May, 1.18; Dec., 96.

The Original Laxative Cough Syrup is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It expels all cold from the system by acting as a cathartic on the bowels. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is a certain, safe and harmless cure for colds, croup and whooping cough.—Sold by F. C. Schramm, druggist; where the cars stop.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Small vegetables from a number of diverse directions are being received in the Salt Lake markets. Moapa, Nev., is sending in asparagus, lettuce, spinach, onions, radishes, with shipments from that section now being regular. Southern Texas is sending in radishes and lettuce and California is furnishing among many things, fine looking cucumbers, asparagus and rhubarb. Florida tomatoes are being received, but they are comparatively few in number and high in price; and Bell peppers are from the same state. Cuban egg plant is now in the Salt Lake market, a curiosity here.

Oranges and bananas are plentiful and in good condition. Fancy lemons are here from California; also, Hallowi dates from Persia; and Utah potatoes are being received. Utah poultry continues scarce with the deficiency supplied from the plains states. The prices obtaining in the local markets today are as follows:

RETAIL.

Timothy, per cwt.	.90
Alfalfa	.75
Corn, per cwt.	1.35
Wheat, per cwt.	1.60
Oats	1.85
Barley, rolled, per cwt.	1.60
Flour, family, per cwt.	2.00
Flour, straight grade, per cwt.	2.20
Flour, high patent, per cwt.	2.40
Bran and shorts	1.10
Straight shorts	1.20
Corn meal, per cwt.	2.20@2.40

MEATS AND POULTRY.

Dressed beef, lb.	12½@25
Dressed pork, lb.	15@17½
Dressed veal, lb.	12½@20
Dressed mutton, lb.	8½@15
Lard	15
Dressed springs, lb.	22
Dressed hens, lb.	20
Broilers, each	50@60
Turkeys	25@30

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter, lb.	30
Cheese, lb.	20@25
Utah eggs	20
Eastern cheese, lb.	25

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Cauliflower, per pound	20
Cranberries, per quart	15
Turkish figs	25
Fresh figs, lb.	10@15
Carrots, per peck	20
Mixed nuts, two pounds	35
Oranges, per box	3.50@4.50
Lemons, per dozen	25
California cabbage, per lb	$ 1-3
Onions, per peck	50
Utah potatoes, per bushel	85
Turnips, peck	50
Artichokes	10
Green peppers, per lb	50
Tomatoes, per lb	30
California lettuce, two for	25
Bananas, per doz.	25@30
Cider, per gallon	30@00
Honey	15
Stuffed dates, per box	25@30
Rhubarb, per lb	10
Beets, 6 pounds	25
Asparagus	25
Pineaples	50
Dry onions, bushel	1.50
Cocoanuts, each	10
Beets in cans, each	20
Maple sugar, per lb.	20
Radishes, per bunch	5
Apples, peck	50@75
Dates, lb.	10@20
Tangerines, doz.	25
Grape fruit, four for	25
Canned pumpkins	20@25
Hot peppers, per pound	40
Walnuts, per pound	20
Almonds, per pound	25
Mixed, per pound	20
Pecans	20
Celery	5, 10@25
Green onions, 3 bunches for	10
Chicory, per bunch	5
Asparagus, per lb.	20
Utah water cresses, per bunch	5
Parsley, per bunch	5
Oyster plant, 3	10
Brussel sprouts, per lb.	15

FISH.

Halibut, per pound	15
Smoked halibut, per pound	20
White fish, per pound	20
Shad, per pound	15
Select oysters, per can	50@60
Selects, per quart	60
Standards, per quart	50
New York counts, per dozen	25
Steelhead salmon, pound	17½
Codfish, per pound	15
Perch, two pounds	25
Flounders, two pounds	25
Striped bass, per pound	20
Soles, two pounds	25
Smelts, per pound	15
Catfish, per pound	15
Sturgeon, pound	17½
White fish, per pound	20

WHOLESALE.

FARM PRODUCTS.

Alfalfa, per ton, baled	$13.00
Timothy	16.00
Wheat, per cwt.	1.50
Corn, per cwt.	1.25
Corn, cracked, per cwt.	1.30
Oats	1.70
Barley, per cwt	1.45
Flour, family, per cwt.	1.70
Flour, straight grade, per cwt.	1.90
Flour, high patent, per cwt.	2.10
Bran and shorts	1.00
Straight shorts	1.10
Corn meal, per cwt.	1.90@2.00

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Creamery butter, per lb.	26
Ranch butter, per lb.	15@20
Cheese, pound	14@15
Ranch eggs	5.00
Eastern fancy cheese	16

MEAT AND POULTRY.

Dressed beef, pound	5½@6½
Dressed pork, pound	3
Dressed veal, pound	8½
Dressed mutton, pound	8@9
Lard	15
Dressed springs, pound	18
Live hens, pound	14
Dressed hens, pound	15½
Turkeys, pound	22@25
Broilers, per pound	18@20

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