# IN MINING CIRCLES.

## The Brokers Felt Better On the Exchange Today.

### NORTHERN LIGHT SELLS FREELY.

**Methow Mines Bonded by Salt of Salt Lake—The Dexter a Winner—Keel's Good Fortune.**

The bulls and bears felt better than usual in the pit today and as a result in their convalescence got together in a greater number of instances than was the case on the previous call. Northern Light, Rover and Honeystake were the sellers, the trading aggregating 4,030 shares with a selling value of $757.05.

Another regained its normal strength in the bidding and was eagerly sought for at a dollar, although the stock failed to come out as an offering. Ajax stood as of yore with 62½ cents bid and 70 cents asked, while Bullion-Beck suffered another decline and went down the scale to a bid of $6.60. Gelena was offered at 95 cents but could not get a bid above 91 cents, hence the lack of transfers, while $1.57½ was freely posted for Geyser-Marion, which, however, stood ten cents higher in the offerings, holders refusing to sell under that figure. Mercur was stronger than on yesterday's call, the stock being represented by a freely-offered bid of $7.85 as against holders' figures of $7.40. Mammoth stood stationary and received very little attention, but Northern Light sold freely, although figures were slightly indicative of a downward tendency. Utah held its own and nothing more.

With the unlisted class the bulk of interest centered in the Rover and Honeystake stocks, both of which battered transfers, the former at 30 cents, the latter at yesterday's low figures, sales being made at 1½ cents a share. The Spokesman still held their own, and also Dexter which was freely bid for at $1.65.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED STOCKS.

| MINES | Asked. | Bid. |
|---|---|---|
| Anchor | 8 | $ 5 |
| Ajax | 70 | 60½ |
| Alliance | | |
| Beck Tunnel | | |
| Bullion-Beck | 6 75 | 6 50 |
| Centennial-Eureka | 18 50 | 18 00 |
| Daly | 2 10 | 2 00 |
| Daly West | 7 10 | |
| Dalton & Lark | 35 | 27 |
| Eagle | | 5½ |
| East Golden Gate | 2 | |
| Four Aces | 10 | 5½ |
| Gelena | 95 | 91 |
| Germania | 1 30 | 1 17 |
| Geyser Marion | 1 57½ | 1 37½ |
| Herschel | | |
| Horn Silver | 2 00 | 1 90 |
| Iagersoll | 7 40 | 7 30 |
| Mammoth | 1 60 | 1 55½ |
| Northern Light | 60½ | 60 |
| Ontario | 8 25 | 7 00 |
| Overland | | |
| Opohongo | | |
| Silver King | 17 00 | |
| Sunshine | 1 00 | 90 |
| Utah | 1 10 | 1 05½ |

UNLISTED STOCKS.

| NAME. | Asked. | Bid. |
|---|---|---|
| Alice (Mont.) | 65 | 60 |
| Buckeye Tunnel | | |
| Buckeye (Nacor) | | |
| Camp Floyd | | |
| Cleo S. | | |
| Dexter (Nevada) | 1 65 | 1 60 |
| Union | 3½ | 3¼ |
| Emerald | | |
| Galena | 3 | 2 |
| Grand Central | | |
| Honeystake | 2 | 1½ |
| Little Pittsburg | 4 | 3 |
| Lucky Bill | 15½ | 10 |
| Little Mayne | | |
| Morgan (Park City) | | |
| Monarch (Tintic) | | |
| N. A. Nature (Ida.) | | |
| Omaha | | |
| Ontario Extension | 3½ | 2½ |
| Rover | 45 | 27 |
| Tetro | | |
| Stemwinder Extension | | |
| Swansea | 2 00 | 1 75 |
| South Swansea | 1 00 | 1 05 |
| Tribune | 7 | 5 |
| Uncle | | |
| Utah Consolidated | | |
| Vanderbilt | | |
| Wasatch | | |

TRANSFERS OF STOCKS.

Four hundred shares of Northern Light at 90 cents per share, 100 at 90½ and 100 at 91 cents; 500 Rover at 30 cents; 3,500 Honeystake at 1½ cents. Total shares sold, 4,600, selling value of stocks, $757.05.

### TWIN CREEK DIGGINGS.

**Excitement Over Rich Gravel Near Lander, Wyoming.**

Great excitement exists over the discovery of a deposit of rich gravel underlying a stratum of sandstone originally supposed to be bed rock, at the Twin Creek placer diggings, eighteen miles south of Lander.

Peter Beck, an old-timer, the original locator of the famous Carbon mine near Lander, made the discovery and attempted to jump a claim belonging to William Heilesleiger, a wealthy storekeeper of Twin Creek. A row ensued in which Schlesinger struck Beck over the head and shoulders with a hoe, inflicting several serious and painful wounds. Beck was brought to Lander and his wounds were dressed.

The sheriff at once left to arrest Schlesleiger, returning with him Monday. A preliminary examination at once took place before Judge Wallace, in which Schlesinger was held to appear at the next term of the district court in the sum of $1,000, charged with attempt to murder.

The newly discovered deposit of gravel is at least three feet in width and is declared by Beck to clear $500 per cubic yard in easily ground. Dr. J. A. Shinskie, now in Philadelphia, and Hon. James A. McAvoy, the newly appointed postmaster of Lander, own all of the adjoining property.—Carbon County, Wyo., Journal.

**Another Mining Company.**

Articles of incorporation of the Salt Lake Gold Mining association were filed in the office of the county clerk yesterday afternoon. The incorporators are Andrew Closson, William Monto Howat, Hans Closson and Hugh Cawsey, all of this city, each holding 250 shares of the capital stock, which has been placed at $100,000, in shares of $100 each. The company owns the New York lode in the Rush Valley district. Andrew Closson is president; Hans Closson, vice president; Billy Howat, manager, and Hugh Cawsey, secretary and treasurer.

**A SALT LAKER IN IT.**

**Reported Rich Discovery in the Carbon Mine Near South Pass.**

Present in the state of Wyoming is at present transpiring a series of very important strikes, one of the latest of which is a gladly welcomed discovery to a property in which George W. Keel, a Salt Lake inventor of repute, is greatly interested. Of the strike the Carbon county, Wyo., Journal, has this to say:

A wonderfully rich strike has been made on the Carbo mine, which is located one mile from old South Pass City. Some local miners took a bond and lease upon the property last fall and have spent the winter looking for a rich vein which they believed existed.

Early in the fall a large body of high grade ore was uncovered and going down the vein widened out to twenty feet. The first assay showed $125 per ton and numerous tests made during the winter showing not less than $100 per ton in any instance. There is now on the dump somewhere near 350 tons of this rich ore, and it is expected by the first of the month to have 400 tons, which it will be milled, the lessee only waiting for the snow and ice to disappear which surrounds the mill. Title is the larger portion of ore that has been made in that country for more than 20 years.

Experienced miners say that the ore on the dump at the present time will net over $50,000 in gold. One of the best things about it is that the vein appears to be continuous and the lessees have to do least of the giving out. The strike has caused no little excitement at South Pass, Atlantic, Lewiston and Miners' Delight.

**METHOW MINES BONDED.**

**A Salt Laker Secures Properties for an Eastern Syndicate.**

The Spokesman-Review says that John H. Waite of Salt Lake City, on behalf of an eastern syndicate, has taken a bond on the Hopeful, Montana and Concord mineral claims, in the Methow district, the consideration being $75,000, one-tenth of the consideration being paid. The claims are owned by D. J. McKay of Salt Lake, William Hoff, N. G. Jones and W. F. McCrea of Spokane. The properties are fairly well developed. There is a 70 foot tunnel on the Montana, the ore being free milling at the surface, but a taser on the face of the tunnel, and will require smelting. The ore, however, runs high in gold. The Concord is developed by a 60 foot tunnel, and the ore in the face will run 21 per cent copper, besides carrying considerable value in gold. The hopeful is not much more than a prospect, an 18 foot shaft being the only development. An expert will be sent up to examine and report on the properties.

These claims are located in the Methow district, a short distance east of Goat river.

**THE DEXTER A WINNER.**

**Not Half Explored, It Shows Bodies of Rich Ore.**

That the story of the Dexter mine in Tuscarora, Nev., has not been half told, is evident from the fact that the company operating it has managed affairs in a half-hearted manner, so to speak, but without the returns have been such as to rank the mine among the great paying properties of the great West.

Its exploration has hardly been commenced as the shaft has reached a depth of but 125 feet, the vein showing ore with values of from $30 to $60 per ton. There are two streaks of this rich mineral, one on the hanging wall the other on the foot wall. The Kincaid mills are working over fifteen tons of ore a day—ore taken from the high valued streaks—and the marketing of the rich product is being made to place the mine's owners on a firm financial footing.

Work on the property is almost at a standstill at present, nor can much be done by the company until a modern plant is put in. Considerable trouble is encountered with the water in that locality and fuel and other necessary working materials come quite high. The mine's value has not been half demonstrated, nor will it be until more progressive methods are resorted to in its operation, but this much can be said, that surface indications show it to be the making of a very valuable property and the only one of great worth in the Tuscarora district. It already yields from $15,000 to $16,000 per month.

**Dips and Spurs.**

Eleven cars of Horn Silver concentrates came in from Frisco today.

The Austin mine at Austin, Nev., sent in a car of rich silver ore today.

The Mammoth mine is said to be yielding plenty of good milling ore these days.

It is reported that the Creole at Park City is showing large bodies of good shipping ore.

Isaac Jennings has resigned his position as superintendent of the Vanderbilt mine near Hailey, Idaho.

Frank Y. Taylor went out to Tintic this morning, his purpose being to inspect the Buckeye, which is said to be coming very well at present.

Pitchel Sangers are out announcing Sunday's excursion to Mercur and Tintic points over the Oregon Short Line. The fare is $2 and the train leaves this city at 8:15 a.m., returning at 7:30 p.m.

### STATE NEWS.

Park City Record: A most distressing accident befell Frank, the Georgie Gray, son of William N. Gray, Friday morning. The little fellow, whose parents reside on Rosie hill, set his game about half-past eight to go down town on an errand. While crossing the tailings dump just south of Chimney on an unmounted trail, he passed pretty close to a horse that was there running loose, when the animal without the least warning without seeming ado kicked the lad in the face, cutting the right cheek frightfully. Dr. Wilson was summoned and dressed the wound, eight stitches being required to sew it up. The injury is not considered dangerous, but it will disfigure the child for a long time.

Brigham City Bugler: Hyrum Smith, formerly of Brigham, was in town on business Thursday. He lives on his farm near Bear River, a few miles north of Preston. He says he has not seen the river so high since 1862 when it spread over the now dry flats near Bear River City and Corinne, reaching from bluff to bluff. There is no telling how much higher the water may rise within the next month; probably they will exceed high water mark. Out at Corinne and down near the mouth of the river the waters are now unusually high, spreading out over hundreds of acres of land that are seldom submerged. But it is thought the damage will not be great.

Nephi Republic: Jim Bringhurst's boy got the finger of one hand jerked off the other day. He was leading a horse to water, his parents being in Nephi at the time, when his horse got scared and made a rush towards the stables, jerking the fingers off the boy's hand, leaving the cuts about six inches.

## LOGAN.

LOGAN, UTAH, May 3, 1897.

**CACHE JUNCTION SHOOTING.**

**Caldwell, the Tramp Who Fired at a Brakeman, Held to Answer.**

Walter Caldwell, the tramp who fired at H. C. Crampton, a brakeman on the O. S. L., last Saturday morning, at Cache Junction, and who afterwards was detained in jail at Brigham, was brought to Logan this morning by Sheriff Turner and arraigned before Justice of the Peace J. P. Smith. He was charged with assault with a deadly weapon with attempt to do bodily harm, and pleaded not guilty. Witnesses J. M. Lee, H. C. Crampton and C. H. Beebe testified substantially as follows: Just as the freight, on which they were employed, was leaving the Junction, Lee noticed that one of the box car doors was open, and upon looking in found the car occupied by a number of tramps. He jumped into the car and ordered them to get out, whereupon the defendant pulled his gun and said, "You —— of a ——, you get out or I will kill you." Lee got out and stopped the train, and then the tramp jumped out and took to the trees, followed by H. C. Crampton, who, upon hearing the trouble, had gone to the caboose for his gun. In making the chase, Crampton's pistol was discharged accidentally, the ball just missing his own foot. Then the fleing tramp turned and fired at Crampton, missing him by about six feet. The pursuer and pursued exchanged three shots each, when the latter halted to reload, and while doing so was persuaded to throw up his arms and submit to arrest. The defense produced one witness, an unwashed and uncombed "tramp" by the name of Wilson, who walked most of the way to Brigham in order to testify there, and who, upon learning that the prisoner had been brought to Logan, stole a ride up here. In appearance, both the defendant and Wilson are very young men, and certainly neither of them appear to be hardened criminals. They admitted the defendant's guilt but sought to prove sufficient provocation for acting as he did. The pistol he used was shown in evidence. It is a Smith & Wesson 38-calibre, and around the handle was inscribed the letters: "H. G. R. 4 R. 4 Rinehe Sept. 1882."

Judge Smith thought the evidence sufficient on which to hold the prisoner to answer before the First district court, and accordingly fixed his bail at $250. This he was unable to obtain and was taken back to jail.

## PROVO.

PROVO, UTAH, May 3, 1897.

**County Business.**

The board of county commissioners met in regular session yesterday and transacted the following business:

T. J. Patten was appointed county fruit inspector.

Miss Rose Moore was confirmed as deputy county clerk at a salary of $40 a month.

Liquor licenses were granted to P. Flood and John V. Smith, both of P. V. Junction.

J. C. Nielsen of Lake View appeared before the board and explained that James Christensen had assaulted him and that he had presented the matter to the county attorney and that the official had refused to proceed against Christensen because he did not think there was sufficient evidence to secure a conviction. Referred to the county attorney.

R. C. Kirkwood asked that taxes for 1897 assessed against the Pioneer Liquor company be remitted for the reason that the company had closed its business in Provo city and removed the stock to Salt Lake City. Taken under advisement.

Ex-Sheriff Jones of Huntington of Springville asked for $50 on back salary, which was not allowed.

The treasurer submitted the following report:

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|---|---|
| Balance on hand April 1 | $1,301 22 |
| Receipts | 435 16 |
| Total | $1,736 38 |
| Disbursements | $1,716 68 |
| Balance on hand | $ 19 70 |
| Less jury and witness scrip redeemed in March and April | $ 19 70 |
| Leaving total balance on hand | $ 0 00 |

R. S. Jones applied for a concession to tax on the Provo Theater company's property. Referred to the county attorney.

M. L. Jakeman, county treasurer, withdrew the name of Miss Cora Jakeman as deputy treasurer.

Myron Tanner and W. J. Lewis, members of the city council, appeared before the board and asked that some steps be taken to secure good county roads through Provo canyon as are now existing, providing the Telluride Power and Transmission company is permitted to build the special power dam as proposed.

Commissioner Bullock reported that the Provo river bridge was finished, and recommended that $200, still due thereon, be appropriated, which was done.

The clerk was instructed to notify Governor Wells that Jno. O. Bullock was appointed by the board to take charge of the expenditure of the $1,000 appropriated by the last Legislature for the Provo canyon road.

The resignation of Alan Gay as justice of the peace at Lake Shore was accepted and W. O. Hansen was appointed as his successor.

**Fourth District Court.**

The following business was transacted in the Fourth district court yesterday:

Thos. F. Coulson vs Louisa J. Coulson; application of plaintiff for J. H. Milner guardian ad litem of Hazel and Cola Coulson, minor heirs in the estate of John Coulson, deceased.

H. D. Savage vs F. W. C. Hinckley; trustees at law (two cases); continued for the term.

Ann B. Heath vs John S. Boyer, admitted; submitted.

Estate of Samuel Wright, deceased; order admitting will to probate and appointing Jesse H. Wright and George Larkin executors.

Spanish Fork City vs Spanish Fork East Bench Irrigation Co.; et al; E. L. Carlson appointed referee in lieu instead; and report finding of facts and conclusions of law. The case will be heard in Spanish Fork. It is of great importance, involving the rights of all parties interested in the Spanish Fork river.

State vs David Bennett and Gean Loveless; defendants were permitted to withdraw their pleas of not guilty and a demurrer to the information was filed by their attorney, Jacob Evans. The demurrer was argued and taken under advisement.

Estates Evan Jarman et al, minors; order setting time to hear return of sale of real estate for May 15 p.m.

Thos. Tidwell was given a decree of divorce from Elizabeth Jane Tidwell on the ground of desertion.

**Justice and Correspondent.**

Justice White of the supreme court is known among newspaper men as one of the kindliest men in the world. Not long ago a correspondent found it necessary to call upon the justice at midnight for a copy of an opinion delivered by him in the court that day. Justice White was in bed asleep, and it was with great difficulty his servant was induced to awaken him. "If I did not know him to be the best man in the world, I would not dare to do it," she explained. The correspondent waited anxiously in the hall for the verdict. Would the justice come down stairs? And if he came would he be for the purpose of looking up the desired document or of throwing the disturber of the peace out?

After a time the big justice came down the stairs in his pyjamas, rubbing his sleepy eyes. He was not enthusiastic about his midnight call, but he was very polite. As soon as the visitor had explained his errand the justice led the way to his library. There he got down on his knees and rummaged about through some dusty old papers in the bottom of a bookcase for the desired document. In a quarter of an hour he found it, and he was very glad he had been able to do so, though not half so well pleased as the newspaper man, to whom this bit of paper meant a "scoop" the next morning for the journal he represented.

"Excuse me a moment," said Justice White. In five minutes he returned, bearing with him a glass of toddy and a couple of Havanas. "Drink hearty, my boy," he said, "and light a cigar. Nasty night out. Good night."

"Now, that is what I call a real gentleman," said the correspondent to himself as he rushed away.—Washington Cor. Detroit Journal.

**Large Shop.**

Among the stories told of early Californian days is one which gives a remarkable picture of a blacksmith shop. In the days before roads had been laid out and sawmills built a blacksmith settled down in one of the river bars, and, entering a forge of clay and stones, set the anvil on a big tree stump, which he had sawed low for that purpose, and did a thriving business sharpening the picks and drills of the miners.

He was himself a miner and did his blacksmithing almost entirely at night. Not knowing when his claim might fail or be disputed and he forced to move on to another place, he did not think it worth his while to build a regular shop.

One day two of the miners left the bar for a town some 20 miles away. As they came into the main trail leading to the blacksmith's haunt they met a man leading a horse which had lost a shoe and was stumbling badly.

"Strangers," said the man in a weary tone, "can you tell me how far it is to the blacksmith's shop? My horse has lost a shoe, and he's mighty lame."

"Well, no," said one of the miners, leaning forward and smiling in a most encouraging way, "don't you be for giving up. You're in the blacksmith's shop now, though I'm bound to tell you it's about three miles before you'll strike the anvil."—Youth's Companion.

**A Wonderful Blind Pianist.**

Signor Arturo Nettini is a blind pianist who is not a freak, but a player of remarkable ability. He was born in Florence 22 years ago and became totally blind in his first year, but he now plays the most difficult rhapsodies of Liszt, sonatas of Beethoven and other classical compositions with wonderful technic and expression. While Paderewski and his contemporaries play Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsodie No. 6," one of the most difficult compositions, in a transposed key, Signor Nettini plays it in the original key—six sharps.

The way Signor Nettini learns his pieces is curious. He has a little machine, consisting of a flat metal board, in which there are deep grooves, over which he has a sheet of thick paper, and, with the aid of a little ruler and awl, performs all his music in a peculiar manner as his intermeter reads it from the regular staff. No music is too intricate for him to copy, and often after once copying the composition he can play it without first running his sensitive fingers over the perforations.—San Francisco Argonaut.

**Did His Best.**

If a servant obeys orders as far as he can and does his work correctly as far as he goes, what more can be expected? And yet the result is not always satisfactory, even to reasonable employers. Here is a story of a lady who owns a large and handsome dog, of which she is very fond, and perhaps a little proud. The other day she sent him out to the stable to be weighed, reaching the scales in a new servant, who looked upon the powerful animal with considerable awe. The man was gone a surprisingly long time, but at last reappeared and announced that the dog weighed 100 pounds.

"One hundred pounds!" repeated the lady. "Are you sure you weighed him right? He must weigh more than that."

"Oh, yes, mum, sure as I weighed him right; but I couldn't get him all on the scales."—Street Magazine.

**Amateur Essays.**

Apropos of extravagant education, there is no more error works, whether in bound scholastic form of higher class, than essay writing to children. A poetry paper quotes a little boy's effort on that subject. "Geese is a nasty animal, for they will jump up your back and beat you with their feathers," writes this budding literary genius, and "the turkey is a large kind of hen." This may be an extreme instance, but it furnishes the text for an essay on "geese" of quite another kind.—London Sketch.

**A Figure of Speech.**

He—What's the matter, my dear?

She—I'm speechless with anger. Then she talked a blue streak for 15 minutes.—Detroit Free Press.


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