MINES AND MINING.

The Local Stock Market In a Decidedly Deplorable State.

STOCKS AT THE BOTTOM NOTCH.

Weekly Reviews of Operations In the Bingham and Park City Districts—Dips and Spurs.

The local mining market is in a deplorable state at present, and the chances are that it will remain so for some time to come. Although the market is replete with good "buys," there seems to be no inclination on the part of brokers or investors to "take a chance" and the result is that the amount of business transacted verges close on to a nonentity.

Today's call was featureless. The stocks went begging for sales and among the listed ones, not a single transfer was recorded. During the entire call but one block of stock changed hands, that being 100 shares of South Swansea which found a taker at 56 cents per share. The Yankee Girl, a Tintic proposition made its first appearance and received quotations of 40 cents asked and 20 bid. Four Aces, notwithstanding the recent splendid strike failed to bring out any material enthusiasm, the stock being offered at 26 cents, while bids of 21 cents were freely posted.

Immediately after the call today a toilet was taken upon the proposition to amend article 10 of the by-laws, so as to require only five days notice of an election to change the rules, instead of ten days as heretofore; likewise on the proposition to reduce the rate of commission from $4 per thousand to $2.50 per thousand on stock selling from 5 cents to 25 cents. The voting resulted in nine votes being cast in favor of the proposition, while but one went against them.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED STOCKS.

MINES.	Asked.	Bid.
Anchor	8	7
Ajax	70	60
Alliance		
Beck Consolidated		
Bullion Beck	5	
Capitol Hill Extension	65	55
Daly	1 37	
Daly West	20	15
Dalton & Lack		
East Jackson Gold		
Eagle		
Fair Area		21
Galena	7	3 75
Grand Central	1	72½
Horn Silver	2	
Iron Silver	7	
Ontario	6	4 50
Silver King	2 75	
Uncle Sam	70	
Yankee Girl	40	20
Wonder	7	5½
Richmond Anaconda	5	3½
Utah	20	
Mammoth	1 90	1 60
Morgan (Pays Copy)		
Bingham Copper Co		
Cracker		
Lewiston		
Bay	15	
Mt. Hope C. & I. Co		
Comet		
Tetro (Tintic)		
South Eureka	5	
Mammoth		
South Swansea	55	52
Gladstone	10	
Eagle		
Clay Canyon		
Impregnable Marble		
Salt Consolidated		
Emerald		

UNLISTED STOCKS.

NAME.	Asked.	Bid.
Barkers Tintic	9	
Little Pittsburg		
No. 4. Bassick Gold		
Dalton	8	3½
Northern Light	4	
Yankee Girl	40	20
Wonder	7	
Richmond Anaconda	5	3½
Uncle Sam	1	
Uintah		
Gold Mountain		
Grand Central	1	
Mammoth	1 90	1 60
Morgan (Pays Copy)		
Bingham Copper Co		
Cracker		
Lewiston		
Bay	15	
Mt. Hope C. & I. Co		
Comet		
Tetro (Tintic)		
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PARK CITY'S MINES.

A Review of the Week's Operations as Given By the Record.

Another sale of Creole stock was registered this week, the transfer being made at $1 per share. The deal was consummated by J. J. Thomas, Berry Brothers being the sellers. James Berry informs the writer that 4,000 shares were sold for spot cash and the balance of their holdings were put in escrow for 90 days. The Creole is reported as looking fine and the shaft is going down steadily. With the sale of Berry Brothers' stock the control and management of the property will pass into the hands of the Spencer syndicate and some important changes may be looked for in the near future. It is intimated that hoisting works will soon be erected and the mine equipped for deep mining. The recent rumor that ore was cut in the shaft is denied by the secretary of the company and others connected with the property.

The Crescent company has had a large force of men at work for some time timbering the big incline shaft and strengthening work upon in the mine. The work will be completed by Tuesday next and the property will be in shape for immediate and active work or for continued idleness which ever policy the company elects to follow. To date the Park Consolidating company has refused to make a direct bid for Crescent ore and the company is undecided whether to prepare the tramway for active work or not, as the value of the ore on hand cannot be estimated until a bid is made.

The writer was informed this week that Jack Creen had a showing of ore in his Nail Driver tunnel that would drive anybody else wild with excitement. Jack denies the soft impeachment, and while he admits having a fine showing for a mine says he has nothing to cause excitement, for the simple reason that he knows it is going to take depth and considerable of it to prove up his group.

There has been a slight hitch in closing up the lease on the West Ontario group, but the tangle was straightened out this week and the papers were all signed, and Messrs. Hancock and Dunsmore are now in charge. They put a force of men on Thursday morning and will push the work of cleaning up the ore in the big shaft and putting it in working order. As soon as that is completed the property will be thoroughly examined and the course of future developments determined upon.

The Cumberland shaft is down pretty close to the 100-foot mark and work is being vigorously prosecuted. Superintendent Lawrence is well pleased with the ground now being broken.

George Hansen recently made several locations over in Deer valley from which he claims to have obtained gold assays running from $2 to $8 15.

John J. McFoon, Dan Weaver and Jim Swaddle left this week for American Fork to examine and begin operations on a group of claims in which the two former and other Parkites are interested. Mr. Swaddle will remain in charge of the property and put in a summer's work. The group is said to be a very promising one.

Mr. attendant George Hall of the Crown Point says work is being pushed at that property with three shifts and will continue without interruption. The property is thoroughly equipped with an 85-horse power boiler and a 25-horse power engine and Mr. Hall is greatly pleased with the efficient and economical work they are doing.

The machinery for the Daly West's new hoist is all in place and the necessaries are now being made. It is expected that every bolt, lever, pipe, screw and nut will be in place and the hoist ready for service early next week. The big wire rope, made by Andrew Walsh at the Ontario mine, is finished and ready for service. This is one of the few strangers and most powerful hoisting plants in the world and well worth a trip to the mine to see. It is a monument to the energy and ability of J. J. Daly.

Charles Lambourne and Sec. Snyder have obtained a lease on Crescent ground near the old Sampler and are pushing development work. They have some very good ore in sight and expect to make at least good wages out of the lease.

Thursday evening Owen Greenan, one of the Crescent miners, laid off all his men and gave up the lease on the ground. He has made a thorough clean up of all the ore immediately accessible and did not feel like risking the expense of running to another shoot that he had located, so decided to quit. Mr. Greenan has been working Crescent ground for the past three years.

Following are the ore shipments from the Mollstock Sampler for the present week: Silver King, 800,000; Silver King concentrates, 415,000; Verne concentrates, 30,000. Total, 1,245,000.

MINING IN BINGHAM.

The Bullfrog Reports Great Activity In the Old Reliable District.

After several years of laborious active operations are to be resumed on the old Badger mine, situated in Bingham's gulch below the Brooklyn property. Instructed with the Badger are the Happy-in Lucky and Medicine claims, to be worked in connection. The Badger was located in 1874, and worked with more or less regularity until between three and four years ago when it shut down. A large amount of silver lead ore carrying some gold was produced, the values of which are said to have been from $60 to $80 per ton. It has quite extensive development, the largest shaft being down about 400 feet. Some prospecting has been done on the other claims.

The Tilden (Phoenix) group crosscut tunnel, begun in 1896, had been run over 1,600 feet, when last Tuesday it broke into the vein and the whole face is now showing a lead carbonate ore that is undoubtedly of good quality. The strike is very important, as it proves up the Phoenix vein to such depth as to establish beyond peradventure its great value. This tunnel will ultimately form a handy outlet on the Carr fork side for the Commander and in fact all the claims of the Phoenix group.

Three wagon loads of ore (about 15 tons) shipped from the Prince last week sold at $[illegible].

S. I. Paraline came up from the city last Tuesday and is getting down a 10-ton shipment from the Peabody mine, in which he lately secured a half interest.

Report comes that a vein of ore has been encountered in the great Atlantic tunnel, being run to develop several veins known to exist in the Atlantic group.

The Dalton & Lack property at the present time includes six mines actually producing—Dalton, Lack, Brooklyn, Keystone, Richmond, Old Lead mine and Revere-Gladstone. The united output for August promises to be considerably over 3000 tons.

The incline of the Winnemuck, which is to be put down 500 feet, has reached 275 feet depth and is running in good shipping ore. The mine is not being worked for production at present and will hold off for a better market.

Rory McDonald is home from a visit to his ranch at Idaho Falls, Idaho, and with his partners is skirmishing for a bonter for the Antelope mine. The property has been idle for some weeks, as it can no longer be worked to advantage with the old whim. The incline is down over 600 feet and in big ore.

The mines of Bingham are estimated to be in condition to make a present output of 10,000 tons per month, and practical demonstration would occur if the markets offered sufficient stimulus. Over a dozen properties capable of heavy piebis that are now practically idle can be named.

Johnny Hagland and F. W. Noreen are developing their claim, the Golden Dream, situated in Butterfield gulch, one-half mile south of the Yosemite millsite. They have an incline to 50 feet following a small streak of crystalized lead, and will raise in the hanging wall hoping to open up a good body of ore. They are in a good locality, and may make a big find.

Dave Teschemar began work on the Republican several days ago, and is getting the claim in shape for putting on a force. It has a tunnel in 30 feet, and in clearing it out Mr. Teschemar prospected an indication and has uncovered a good looking streak of ore which is being tested. The Republican is a very promising property and bids fair to be a prominent before snow flies. It belongs to Mr. Teschemar and Attorney Marioneaux of Salt Lake.

THE STATE LINE DISTRICT.

Ore Discovered Three Thirty Years Ago By Joseph Millett.

Joseph Millett Sr., one of southern Utah's veterans and father to the Millett boys, somewhat prominent in mining circles at Lime District, Beaverdam mountains and elsewhere, dropped into our sanctum and indulged in a short chat yesterday, says Friday's Iron County Record.

According to Mr. Millett's story he was one of the first to discover the copper metals in Lime district. He says that some thirty years ago while he was residing at Spring Valley he happened to be traveling in company with Kirkpatrick, a mining expert of extensive experience from Belmont, Nev., who had been sent for by Ebenezer Hanks—then one of the principal owners of Iron City—to make a test of the ore in order the better that it was also rich in silver.

While Mr. Kirkpatrick and Millett were camped in the vicinity of where the Lime mines are now situated, Kirkpatrick picked up a piece of float from the surface of the ground, which he tested and found to assay 216 to 240 to the ton. So particularly striking was said to be the discovery, however, until some five years later, when Mr. Millett continued with a prospector, McGuire, to hunt for the lodes, on stumbling the treasury supplies. After working some time McGuire sent a piece of rock to be assayed, but the returns came back "nothing."

From that time up to two years ago last July, Mr. Millett lost his eye on the property, believing that some time there would be rich finds there, and all the time trying to get men to prospect there for the gold. About two years ago, in company with his son, Nelson Millett, he was doing some prospecting there and they found some ore that assayed $20 in gold. This started the latest excitement that has since proven so substantial. He was located in some of the Beaverdam, notwithstanding sickness he was deterred from carrying his assessment work and they were subsequently jumped. Now Mr. Millett has no interest there, which seems rather hard after all he has done to expose the treasure and after his long-expected find.

The mining expert Kirkpatrick also designated some spots of earth which he told Millett to watch as they contained gold, and he is still of the opinion that there will yet be some rich placer claims developed there. Mr. Millett has been visiting his brother in Spring valley and is now on his way to the Uinta country.

ROSE OF THE WEST.

The Adelphia Company's Property to be Thoroughly Developed.

The Adelphia Mining company, operating in the Minnehaha district, is about to commence work on a more extensive scale than heretofore.

The company owns the Rose of the West, upon which there is now a well-defined ledge, six from which shows values running 38 per cent lead, 25 ounces silver and about $1 in gold to the ton, and the stock has enhanced so materially in value of late, that the company has been able to dispose of a good number of shares, thus placing it on a good footing for actively prosecuting development work. On Thursday morning next a force of men will go out to the mine to commence vigorous operations.

Dips and Spurs.

The Cleandriam and Anticline mines in the Willow Creek district, Idaho, are about to be developed with renewed vigor.

The Dalton and Lack mine at Bingham was visited last Friday by Judge Street and Mr. Joe Bush. These gentlemen are very enthusiastic in their praise of the property and they predict for it a great future.

A recent strike in the Four Aces at Silver City, shows ore which assays 142 ounces silver, 64 per cent lead and 55 cents in gold to the ton. The discovery was made on the 300-foot level just as cross-cutting was being commenced. The stream is said to be [illegible] inches in width.

Beaver County News: W. H. Dodge, and his son Anthony are ready to start their works at Bullionville, on a run of several months, having secured 1,000 tons of gold ore from the Advance and Democrat mines, situated on the east side of the Panaca Wash, and several miles south of that place.

The camp of La Plata is beginning again to assert its claim for recognition among the mining districts of the State. A good deal of development work is being carried on and ore bearing excellent values has been recently unearthed in several claims. Mining is also taking on a decidedly good aspect in and around Willard City.

The Moon mine, an Ophir property, is said to be disposed of at a receiver's sale in this city on Saturday, Aug. 29, and it is reported that a bond of which he possesses will be on hand to put in bid for it. The sale is ordered to satisfy a judgment issued out of the Superior court of Hartford county, Conn., and in favor of the Charter Oak Life Insurance company.

Chas. Hawkins and Geo. Hatch, says the Payson Header, have returned from near Blackrock where they have been sinking on a mining claim known as the Payson group that promises to be a big thing for its owners who are all prominent Payson men. The latest assays show 18 per cent copper, 60 ounces silver and $20 in gold. The mine is ten miles from a railroad and near a good traveled wagon road. They are will pay from the top of the ground and can be put on the cars at a little expense. A force of men will be put to work soon as possible and shipments will begin.

The Ogden Standard in speaking of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting company's properties near Brigham City says that in an inspection of the mines a large body of decomposed quartz was found at a distance of about 1,300 feet, extending 400 feet. A drift to the north wall showed a width of 60 feet. This immense body of ore can be concentrated on the company's ground, thus saving freight charges. Several cross cuts from the tunnel, varying all the way from 40 to 100 feet in length, have been driven and ore has been encountered in many places.

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Henry Day's Found Dead at Provo This Morning.

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This morning, about 8 o'clock, Mr. John Grier found the dead body of Henry Davis back of the post office block. He was lying across the front end gate of his wagon, with his arms around some building, and death had apparently come to him as he was getting out of the wagon. His team was unhitched and tied behind the wagon, and a box of provisions and some cooking utensils had been removed from the wagon and placed under an adjoining shed. When Mayor Halloock became acquainted with the death and came on the ground, he recognized the deceased as being from Fillmore, and said he had for several years past been engaged in bringing produce from the People's store of Fillmore to Salt Lake and Provo and taking merchandise back, and he was evidently on a trip of that kind now as he had canned meat and eggs in his wagon. The supposition is that he was preparing camp for the night last evening, and was seized with an attack of heart failure which caused his death. Mayor Holbrook further informed the News correspondent that the deceased was over seventy years of age and leaves two daughters and three sons. He was an Englishman by birth and an honorable, hard-working old gentleman. The mayor telegraphed J. D. Smith of the People's store, acquainting him with the circumstances. Coroner Berg was also notified and at request is being held, bringing out nothing different from the facts suggested above. Several parties saw him yesterday evening when he was unhitching his horses and moving his effects from the wagon. His remains will be held till his relatives can be heard from.

County Teachers' Institute.

The Utah County Teachers' annual institute opened in Payson this forenoon at 10:00 o'clock, with a large attendance of teachers, trustees and others interested in educational work. The institute will continue for six days and the following excellent program has been prepared for the session:

August 17th.—Invocation, Mr. Chas. Brewerton. Music. Words of welcome, Mayor Peery of Payson and Chairman J. J. McClellan of the Payson school board. Response, Supt. W. S. Rawlings, of Provo. Elementary Psychology, Professor N. L. Nelson of the Brigham Young Academy, Provo. "The Science of Numbers," experimental Attendant Weston of Wasatch county. "Opportunity?" Professor N. L. Nelson. "Promise and Hybrotation," Superintendent Weston. A popular lecture in the evening.

August 18th.—"Compulsion in Numbers," Professor Wm. M. Stewart, of the University of Utah. "Thought Acquirement," Professor Willard Done, president of the Latter-day Saints' College. "The Recitation" Professor Wm. M. Stewart. "Thought Expression," Professor Willard Done. In the evening, "How to Develop Moral Character," Professor Wm. M. Stewart.

August 19th.—"The principle of Historic Criticism and Interpretation," Doctor Joseph Whitely of the University of Utah. Lecture, Professor J. T. Hickman of the Brigham Young College, Logan. "The Making of History," Dr. Joseph Whitely. Lecture, Professor J. E. Hickman. In the evening, "Educational Features," Professor B. Cluff Jr., president Brigham Young Academy.

August 20th.—"Principles and Methods," by teachers representing the various schools in the county. The teachers will meet at the Central school building in four departments as follows: Section 1, First and Second grades—Literature in reading, Miss Ida Greene; writing, Miss Jane Lowe; number work, Miss Julia Allessee; science work in reading, Mrs. Rosa Sweetser; phonics, Mrs. H. L. Reed; drawing, Mrs. Jennie Willing; the necessary qualifications of the primary teacher, Professor T. D. Lewis. Section 2, Third and Fourth grades—Language and composition, Miss Cora Grosbeck; school management, J. A. Vance; geometry, J. L. Finlayson; geography and history, Miss May Lemoin; drawing, Miss J. Nuttall; literature, Mrs. Hebe T. Best; science work, Mrs. E. J. Taylor; writing, A. C. Swensen. Section 3, Fifth and Sixth Grades—United States history, J. M. Andersen; language and grammar, J. M. Jensen; reading, S. H. Smith; arithmetic, E. J. Cuyner; school discipline, T. O. Creer; science, Arthur Mitchell. Section 4, Seventh and Eighth grades—Geology, J. A. Beck; civil government, H. Christensen; United States history, D. H. Robison; geography, O. N. Cutler; numerical science, C. E. Christensen; school discipline, W. S. Rawlings; general discussion after each session. Thursday evening a musical entertainment at the Opera house under the management of Professor J. J. McClellan and George H. Dunn, late of the Conservatory of Music, Ann Arbor, Michigan. The talking will however attract will appear: Mrs. Laura Thomas-Edwards, husband and Pyne brothers, Miss Lulu Gates, George H. Dunn and others.

August 21st—Forest, Professor George Mathews, of the University of Utah. Lecture, Professor W. J. Kerr, Brigham Young College, Logan.

August 22nd—General assembly—"Drawing in public schools," 9 to 11 a.m.; "Its aims and lines of work," 11 to 12 m. "Ways and means of carrying out the lines of work," Miss S. Durrie Hale, superintendent of drawing in the Evansville public schools, Indiana.

Grammar department—Prof. G. H. Brimhall in charge; 9 to 11 a.m. Psychology; number in teaching grammar; 11 to 12, Needed reform in teaching spelling; 1 to 1:30 p.m., History teaching; 2:30 to 3 p.m., Correlation of studies.

Primary department—Miss Ossie Calista Hall in charge; 9 to 11 a.m., Nature study; 11 to 12, Numbers; 1 to 1:30 and 2:30 to 3 p.m., Best work in reading.

Parlor words, silence and business singing. A social and vocation silver market.

Notes and Personals.

Judge Johnson was here yesterday and in the evening left for Castle Dale where he opened court later at 7 o'clock. Sheriff A. Wolgamott, Jim King and J. W. N. Wolfenstine also went to Castle Dale to attend to legal business.

The second baseball game between the R. G. W. and Provo baseball clubs was played Saturday. It was called after the seventh inning on account of darkness, the score stood seven to three in favor of the Salt Lake players. The game was easily contested throughout and was very good playing was done.

A heavy shower last evening, lasting about an hour, laid the dust and put fine the atmosphere.

Tom Nutting, of Kit Carson, J. K. Carter, a patient in the asylum, committed from Salt Lake county in 1871, died from alcoholic colitis. He was about 55 years of age and a Grand Army man, and the local G. A. R. will take charge of the remains. Mr. Carter was, before he came to Utah, a conductor on the Denver & Rio Grande railway.

Judge George W. Bean of Richfield is visiting relatives here.

W. C. A. Smoot Jr. of Salt Lake is in Provo on business.

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