

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

NEW WAGE SCALE IS AGREED UPON

Park City Miners Hereafter Will Participate in Uniform Rate.

IN EFFECT ON 15TH INST.

Storekeepers Asked to Adjust Prices So as to Fit New Schedule.

At a meeting of mine operators held in Park City on Saturday the proposition of a uniform wage scale came up for consideration and after some discussion a new schedule was adopted, which becomes effective on the 15th inst. In some instances there is a reduction of from 25 to 50 cents a day, but according to advices received from camp within the last few hours, the miners are willing to accept the new order of things.

This is the first time in the history of Park City that all the mines there have been operated on the same scale of wages, and while to begin with the arrangement may work some slight hardship to a few, it is on the whole a good measure.

On Saturday General Manager Thomas Kearns of the Silver King Cattle company, accompanied by other prominent operators of the district, called upon the local merchants and represented to them that under the new order of things they would do well to make a readjustment of prices to fit the case.

The following is the new scale of wages which will go into effect on the 15th inst.:

Engineers	\$4.00
Timbermen	3.50
Machine men	3.50
Station tenders	3.50
All underground men	3.00
Carpenters	4.00
Carpenters' helpers	4.00
Blacksmiths	4.00
Tool sharpeners	3.50
Motor men	3.50
Pitmen	3.00
Millmen, carpenters and construction	4.00
Repair men	3.50
Repair men's helpers	3.00
Engineers	3.00
Mill men	3.00
Laborers, pick and shovel men to be employed on the surface, in or outside of the mine	2.75

This scale does not apply to boys employed under 21 years of age, who are employed underground at the rate of \$2.50 per day, or outside at \$2 per day.

LARGE ATTENDANCE PRESENT.

Eleventh Session of American Mining Congress Opens Today.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 10.—A number of delegates and visitors arrived today to attend the eleventh annual session of the American Mining congress, which will convene in this city tomorrow morning in sessions which are to continue through the week.

First Vice President Thomas Ewing of Vivian, Ark., was the first of the national officers to arrive. Delegates came today from Mexico City, New York, Nevada, California, Wyoming, Pennsylvania and Colorado.

There will be a spirited contest for the honor of entering the next annual congress at Spokane, Wash., Los Angeles, Reno, Nev., and Columbus, O. are the ambitious cities now active in the race. The candidacy of a movement is in the congress yet more national and international than it has been heretofore. Previous congresses have been held in the West.

Joplin and its people are extending the glad hand to the visitors. The downtown sections of the city are tastefully decorated with flags and bunting, and the principal streets are shaded on arches over the principal streets, and a number of the larger stores are decorated with flags and bunting.

Incidental to the regular work of the congress there will be a series of lectures on the life of the city. The Missouri-Kansas and zinc districts, for which purpose more than a hundred automobiles will be placed at the disposal of the entertainment committee.

WALKER.

Fifty Thousand Tons Purchased for Early Delivery.

New York, Nov. 11.—A pool in which the largest copper consumers of Europe are represented, says the Times today, was recently formed in London and has purchased 50,000 tons of copper. The price paid is slightly above the prevailing price in the market. The copper is to be delivered in December and is approximately 11,000,000, which is to be paid in London on delivery.

OUTLOOK DARK.

Exodus from Nevada Continues, Many Mines Closed Down.

Fresh arrivals from Nevada are pouring into Salt Lake on nearly every train and apparently there is nothing in sight to stem the exodus. All those people tell the same story. They have faith in the ultimate future of the country, but they object strenuously to remaining there with absolutely nothing coming in and just as much if not more than ever, going out.

A recent arrival in the city from White Pine county says: "Ely has her mines and always will have and the future of the camp is not in the least impaired by the present financial stringency, merely postponed. At the same time the effect on Ely has been had."

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This Morning's Metals.

Local ore buyers are making settlements today for the last 10 days' work. The price for silver is 55 1/2 cents a pound for casting copper, 14 cents a pound for cathode copper and \$4.75 for 100 pounds for lead.

NEW YORK QUOTATIONS.

LEAD, weak. 4.45@4.75

COPPER, weak. 13 1/2@13 3/4

and this will be felt for many a long month after present conditions have been entirely readjusted themselves.

There are now practically no mines in operation in the district and consequently little or no money in circulation, while the proposed shutting down of the big Steptoe Valley smelter just a few miles from here has rendered the outlook darker than ever. To date per cent of the entire force of 1,400 to 1,500 men has been let go, and it is generally regarded as a foregone conclusion that the balance will follow just as soon as arrangements for paying them off can be made.

In a business way there have not been many failures in the district, although a number of small ones have closed and their owners moved away. Neither are there a great many idle men to be seen on the streets. There is simply nothing there to keep a man out of work in the camp and all those who have left it leave for Utah or the coast with just as little delay as possible.

NORTH BINGHAM MINE.

Articles of incorporation of the North Bingham Mine have been filed. The property is situated in Harker's canyon, in Bingham, and has already shown splendid assays. The corporation has for its basis nine claims, and the place of business is given as Salt Lake City.

The directors are: D. W. Adamson, Lawrence S. Marler, L. J. Haddock, Horace S. Ensign and George E. Brown. D. W. Adamson is president, Lawrence S. Marler, vice president, and L. J. Haddock, secretary and treasurer.

WYOMING OIL FIELDS.

Special Correspondence.

Garland, Wyo., Nov. 5.—The Montana-Wyoming Oil & Gas company, and other companies, are planning the erection of a large refinery at Garland. The proposed plant is to be built next year, and with its completion, a large number of wells will be opened.

WORKING ON SMELTER.

Nevada Utah Company Shaping Up to Treat Its Own Ore.

"Well, how does that take you?" was the remark made by one visitor to another as they gazed at the amount of construction work that is going on at the smelter, says the Pioche Record. And it would certainly cause one to look up and pay attention to see the many teams and men employed there.

Most of the work heretofore has been by the railroad company, but that under way for the Nevada-Utah people is of no small proportions. A new line has been laid over the old one and a new line is at present being dumped into them. Some of this ore will be transported by teams to the standard gage, until such time as the sidetrack for the new line is completed. The sidetrack is being graded from the round house to the depot site of the C. & P. railroad so that all freight for the Nevada-Utah company can easily be transferred to their line.

A sidetrack is under way. The standard gage will run up to these and thus the ore can easily be handled. Pioche has needed a railroad many days and the companies are anxious to wait long before it is demonstrated that we have the resources to keep the one which has at last been constructed busy.

HIGH VALUES OBTAINED.

Important Strike in Gold Mountain Mining District.

Another good find has been made on the Great Western Mining & Milling company's ground, situated on the northwest slope of local mountain. At a depth of 100 feet, there is now showing 18 inches of very high grade silver ore that carries values in gold as well. Picked pieces of the ore show native silver in abundance, and would assay thousands of ounces a ton. The company has on the dump nearly two carloads of ore that has been taken out in the past few days, and which was broken in the east drift, where a little stoping has been done. Owing to the inability of the company to secure quick settlements from the players and the miners, shipments have been suspended, and the entire force is now engaged in development work.

SHOWS RICH SAMPLES.

Old Time Camp of Hawville May Again Come to Front.

The old mining camp of Hawville, in Nye county, situated eight miles south of Tuba, and 10 miles northeast of Stone Cabin, is liable to come to the front as an important producer of gold and silver. The district has been revived by the energy of Goldfield prospectors. Years ago some ore was shipped from the camp, but it was not rich enough to justify the early discoveries of the district to continue work. The railways now bring the means of transportation, and the region is again being visited by the early discoverers of the district. Lately returned from the camp yesterday, where he is interested in a number of claims with Martin Dean, and he brought back with him a number of samples that when tested by fire went as high as \$63 a ton in gold and silver. The ore was taken from general samples of the veins, that vary in width from four to seven feet. Values are about equally divided between gold and silver.

A. S. CAMPBELL.

Stock Broker, 315 E. P. Walker Block.

E. M. West & Co., stock brokers, D. P. Walker Bldg. Both 'phones offices and residence.

GEO. C. CANNON ASSOCIATION, BROKERS, 24 E. So. Temple. Both 'phones 210.

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Custom Assayers and Chemists, 160 South West Temple St.

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UTAH STOCKS SHOW STRENGTH

Several Substantial Gains Recorded With Outlook Encouraging.

MARKET FIRM DURING DAY.

Sales Fully Equal to Average of The Past Few Weeks.

While the sales during the morning session of the Salt Lake Stock and Mining exchange were not large, they were well up to the average and the market, in spite of the prevailing low prices, showed a firmness in marked contrast to conditions a whole during the past few weeks.

With the exception of Seven Troughs there was but little activity outside of Utah stocks. Of these South Columbia Con. on the regular call and Beck Tunnel on the open board led the way, the former moving up from 32 to 34 during the forenoon and the latter from 49 to 52, notwithstanding the passing of the dividend decided upon at the directors' meeting held in Provo this morning.

Nearly all stocks dealt in showed slight advances and a feeling of confidence appeared to exist throughout both sessions.

A. M. LISTED STOCKS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Albion	1.30	1.50
Alice	1.30	1.50
Ajax	1.30	1.50
Bullion Beck	1.30	1.50
Carls	1.30	1.50
Crook	1.30	1.50
Con. Merc	1.30	1.50
Columbus Con.	1.30	1.50
Daly	1.30	1.50
Daily Judge	1.30	1.50
Eagle's Nest	1.30	1.50
Eagle & Blue Bell	1.30	1.50
Grand Central	1.30	1.50
Indian Queen	1.30	1.50
Little Bell	1.30	1.50
Lower Mammoth	1.30	1.50
Nevada Hill	1.30	1.50
Nevada Fairview	1.30	1.50
Ontario	1.30	1.50
Sacramento	1.30	1.50
Silver King	1.30	1.50
Stray Dog	1.30	1.50
Utah Mine	1.30	1.50
Uncle Sam Con.	1.30	1.50
Victor Con.	1.30	1.50
Yankee Con.	1.30	1.50

FORENOON SALES.

Columbus, 200 at 2.70.
Daly, 100 at 1.25.
Grand Central, 100 at 2.50; 100 at 2.60.
Lower Mammoth, 200 at 1.35; seller 1.15, seller 300 at 1.15.
May Day, 300 at 35; 500 at 35; 500 at 35.
Colorado, 200 at 2.85.
Crown Point, 200 at 33.
Mountain Lake, 500 at 2.50.
South Columbia Con., 200 at 82; 100 at 81; 100 at 80; 200 at 83; 300 at 85; 100 at 86.
Seven Troughs, 100 at 45; 100 at 48; 100 at 49; 100 at 50; 500 at 48.

OPEN BOARD.

Beck Tunnel, 1,000 at 49; 200 at 50; 500 at 51; 100 at 52.
Colorado M., 100 at 2.85, seller 40.
Crown Point, 3,000 at 32; Dalton, 3,000 at 31.
Lower Mammoth, 200 at 1.35; 200 at 1.17.
Mammoth, 100 at 1.90.
Seven Troughs, 400 at 49; 500 at 48; 100 at 48.
Silver King, 4,500 at 32 1/2; 600 at 33.
Uncle Sam Con., 500 at 60; 500 at 61; 500 at 60.

RECAPITULATION.

Shares.	Value.
Regular call	12,210 \$7,607.00
Open board	28,750 \$5,560.00
Totals	40,960 \$13,167.00

P. M. LISTED STOCKS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Albion	1.30	1.50
Alice	1.30	1.50
Ajax	1.30	1.50
Bullion Beck	1.30	1.50
Carls	1.30	1.50
Crook	1.30	1.50
Con. Merc	1.30	1.50
Columbus Con.	1.30	1.50
Daly	1.30	1.50
Daily Judge	1.30	1.50
Eagle's Nest	1.30	1.50
Eagle & Blue Bell	1.30	1.50
Grand Central	1.30	1.50
Indian Queen	1.30	1.50
Little Bell	1.30	1.50
Lower Mammoth	1.30	1.50
Nevada Hill	1.30	1.50
Nevada Fairview	1.30	1.50
Ontario	1.30	1.50
Sacramento	1.30	1.50
Silver King	1.30	1.50
Stray Dog	1.30	1.50
Utah Mine	1.30	1.50
Uncle Sam Con.	1.30	1.50
Victor Con.	1.30	1.50
Yankee Con.	1.30	1.50

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Indian Queen

Indian Queen	1.30	1.50
Lower Mammoth	1.30	1.50
Nevada Hill	1.30	1.50
Nevada Fairview	1.30	1.50
Ontario	1.30	1.50
Rocco Homestead	1.30	1.50
Sacramento	1.30	1.50
Silver King	1.30	1.50
South Columbia	1.30	1.50
Sunshine	1.30	1.50
Utah Mine	1.30	1.50
Uncle Sam Con.	1.30	1.50
Victor Con.	1.30	1.50
Yankee Con.	1.30	1.50

REGULAR P. M. SALES.

Columbus Con., 100 at 2.70; 100 at 2.75; 300 at 2.75; 100 at 2.70.
Lower Mammoth, 200 at 1.25; 300 at 1.25; 500 at 1.25; 1,000 at 1.25; 1,500 at 1.25; 2,000 at 1.25; 2,500 at 1.25; 3,000 at 1.25; 3,500 at 1.25; 4,000 at 1.25; 4,500 at 1.25; 5,000 at 1.25; 5,500 at 1.25; 6,000 at 1.25; 6,500 at 1.25; 7,000 at 1.25; 7,500 at 1.25; 8,000 at 1.25; 8,500 at 1.25; 9,000 at 1.25; 9,500 at 1.25; 10,000 at 1.25.

THE CON. MERCUR.

Manager G. H. Dorn Tells About Conditions in Gold Camp.

George H. Dorn, general manager of the Consolidated Mercur properties at Mercur, was in the city last evening and has expressed himself as well satisfied with the conditions in the camp, and treating with confidence 700 and 300 tons of ore a day," he said this morning, "and are employing 400 men. This number is rather more than for some months past, but the camp is doing better than it has for some time. The ore we are now treating averages close to \$4 a ton. The second section of the mines plant is in operation and is giving very good results."

"At the Ingot property, which has been shut down for some time past, things are again in active operation. A new electric hoist has been installed and commenced work last Thursday. An incline has been started on the vein on the 400-foot level and the face looks fine. The values obtained so far are 30 to 40 ounces of silver and there is every indication that these will be perfectly satisfactory before many feet more have been cut."

Mr. Dorn said that the city only a day or two before returning again to the property.

DECLARE DIVIDENDS.

Well Known Power Companies Order Profit Distribution.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Beck Tunnel Mining company, held at the company's headquarters at Provo this morning, it was decided to pass the usual monthly dividend for the past month.

No reason is given for this other than the existence of financial conditions which render it advisable to conserve the company cash for the present. The dividend last month was paid according to custom but the preceding month was also passed for reasons similar to those given here.

The Colorado Mining company directors also met this morning and passed a dividend of 6 cents, while the Nevada Hill Mining company with a distribution of 4 cents per share.

BOSTON COPPER CLOSE.

James A. Pollock & Co. furnish the following, received over their private wire, this afternoon:

Albion, 100 at 1.30; 100 at 1.35; 100 at 1.40; 100 at 1.45; 100 at 1.50; 100 at 1.55; 100 at 1.60; 100 at 1.65; 100 at 1.70; 100 at 1.75; 100 at 1.80; 100 at 1.85; 100 at 1.90; 100 at 1.95; 100 at 2.00; 100 at 2.05; 100 at 2.10; 100 at 2.15; 100 at 2.20; 100 at 2.25; 100 at 2.30; 100 at 2.35; 100 at 2.40; 100 at 2.45; 100 at 2.50; 100 at 2.55; 100 at 2.60; 100 at 2.65; 100 at 2.70; 100 at 2.75; 100 at 2.80; 100 at 2.85; 100 at 2.90; 100 at 2.95; 100 at 3.00; 100 at 3.05; 100 at 3.10; 100 at 3.15; 100 at 3.20; 100 at 3.25; 100 at 3.30; 100 at 3.35; 100 at 3.40; 100 at 3.45; 100 at 3.50; 100 at 3.55; 100 at 3.60; 100 at 3.65; 100 at 3.70; 100 at 3.75; 100 at 3.80; 100 at 3.85; 100 at 3.90; 100 at 3.95; 100 at 4.00; 100 at 4.05; 100 at 4.10; 100 at 4.15; 100 at 4.20; 100 at 4.25; 100 at 4.30; 100 at 4.35; 100 at 4.40; 100 at 4.45; 100 at 4.50; 100 at 4.55; 100 at 4.60; 100 at 4.65; 100 at 4.70; 100 at 4.75; 100 at 4.80; 100 at 4.85; 100 at 4.90; 100 at 4.95; 100 at 5.00; 100 at 5.05; 100 at 5.10; 100 at 5.15; 100 at 5.20; 100 at 5.25; 100 at 5.30; 100 at 5.35; 100 at 5.40; 100 at 5.45; 100 at 5.50; 100 at 5.55; 100 at 5.60; 100 at 5.65; 100 at 5.70; 100 at 5.75; 100 at 5.80; 100 at 5.85; 100 at 5.90; 100 at 5.95; 100 at 6.00; 100 at 6.05; 100 at 6.10; 100 at 6.15; 100 at 6.20; 100 at 6.25; 100 at 6.30; 100 at 6.35; 100 at 6.40; 100 at 6.45; 100 at 6.50; 100 at 6.55; 100 at 6.60; 100 at 6.65; 100 at 6.70; 100 at 6.75; 100 at 6.80; 100 at 6.85; 100 at 6.90; 100 at 6.95; 100 at 7.00; 100 at 7.05; 100 at 7.10; 100 at 7.15; 100 at 7.20; 100 at 7.25; 100 at 7.30; 100 at 7.35; 100 at 7.40; 100 at 7.45; 100 at 7.50; 100 at 7.55; 100 at 7.60; 100 at 7.65; 100 at 7.70; 100 at 7.75; 100 at 7.80; 100 at 7.85; 100 at 7.90; 100 at 7.95; 100 at 8.00; 100 at 8.05; 100 at 8.10; 100 at 8.15; 100 at 8.20; 100 at 8.25; 100 at 8.30; 100 at 8.35; 100 at 8.40; 100 at 8.45; 100 at 8.50; 100 at 8.55; 100 at 8.60; 100 at 8.65; 100 at 8.70; 100 at 8.75; 100 at 8.80; 100 at 8.85; 100 at 8.90; 100 at 8.95; 100 at 9.00; 100 at 9.05; 100 at 9.10; 100 at 9.15; 100 at 9.20; 100 at 9.25; 100 at 9.30; 100 at 9.35; 100 at 9.40; 100 at 9.45; 100 at 9.50; 100 at 9.55; 100 at 9.60; 100 at 9.65; 100 at 9.70; 100 at 9.75; 100 at 9.80; 100 at 9.85; 100 at 9.90; 100 at 9.95; 100 at 10.00; 100 at 10.05; 100 at 10.10; 100 at 10.15; 100 at 10.20; 100 at 10.25; 100 at 10.30; 100 at 10.35; 100 at 10.40; 100 at 10.45; 100 at 10.50; 100 at 10.55; 100 at 10.60; 100 at 10.65; 100 at 10.70; 100 at 10.75; 100 at 10.80; 100 at 10.85; 100 at 10.90; 100 at 10.95;
