STOCK BROKERS UNNERVED TODAY

Challenge to Play Ball Has Its Effect on Business.

TRANSACTIONS VERY FEW.

Market Was Weak, but Swansea Sold High, and Good Figures Were Offered for Some Others.

TODAY'S METALS:
SILVER 60
LEAD, $4.25
CASTING COPPER, 10½c a lb

Accepting a definite challenge from their fellow brokers to play ball, rather incapacitated members of the Salt Lake exchange for business today, and the result was a game call with figures generally on the toboggan. Sales were scarce, very scanty, and amounted to a total of 23,200 shares, which had a value of $1,062.10.

The only stock to come out with firing colors was Swansea, which did business at 61.25 and 61.25 and closed with a ready bid of 61. Daly was likely dealt in at and below 30, while Dalton & Lark was taken at 16 and 19½, Sacramento at 47½, and Sunshine at 48½. South Swansea continued strong with a bid of $1.45, while Utah was also a favorite, the stock being wanted badly at a dollar. Ontario had a bid of $5.75, but holders would not let under $5, this being the lowest figure at which it was offered.

In unlisted stocks Joe Bowers was perhaps the leading seller, 4,000 shares going at 15. North Swansea was taken at 1.25 and Gladstone bought at 7 and 7½, while International brought 4. Midnight Bowers 2 to 3½ and Value 8.12½ to 8.14, this stock being a decided decline from figures of the day before.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED PROSPECTS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Alice	12	20
Alpha	10	
Ajax	1.12½	1.25
Albion	20	30
Bullion-Beck	1.00	1.10
Chloride Point	45	1.00
Centennial Eureka	50.00	55.00
Cowboy	10½	1.00
Daly	1.25	1.45
Daly West	8.50	9.00
Dalton & Lark	16½	19½
Daly	30	35
Dexter	2.12½	2.37½
Eagle	4	6
Four Aces	22½	25
Geyser-Marion	70	75
Gladstone	7	7½
Golden King	40	50
Grand Central	7.50	7.50
Golden Fleece	4	6
Herschel	2	4
Horn Silver	1.00	1.00
Iron Blossom	1.00	1.10
Mammoth	1.00	1.07
Mercur	2.12	2.40
Lower Mammoth	12	15
Northern Light	22	25
Ontario	5.00	5.75
Ontario	8.00	10.00
Petro	12	20
Sacramento	45	47½
Sunshine	47½	50
Silver King	58.50	60.00
Star Consolidated	1.00	1.50
Shamrock	40	
Swansea	4.00	
South Swansea	1.40	1.47
Footback	40	45
Utah	1.00	1.02

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Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Blue Bird	12	14
Sacramento Con		7

UNLISTED MINES.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Big Canon	20	1.00
Boss Tweed	20	
Bow Bird Extension		9
Bright Light		2
Bill Nye	2½	3
Bullion-Beck Tunnel	2½	4
Burkeye	2½	3½
Boston-De La Mar	2½	3½
Crown Point	2	10
Comstock	15	20
Central Mammoth	1	2
Camp Floyd	1	2
Columbia	2	4
Dalton	2½	3½
Diamond City	10	20
Eagle and Blue Bell	1.12½	1.50
Emerald	12	14
Fissure	2	3
Frisco	5½	6½
Golden Eagle	7	10
Golden Star	10	15
Gold Hill	1	2
Homestake	14½	18
Hercules	2½	3½
International	3	4
Joe Bowers	15	15½
Joe Bowers Extension	9½	10½
Kremlin	67½	70
Le Roi	2.60	
Little Pittsburg	7½	8½
Little Chief	4	6
Midnight Bowers	2	3½
May Day	60	65½
Manhattan	8	12
Martha Washington	10½	12½
McKinley	4	
North Swansea	1.25	
Odell	1	2
Richmond Anaconda	11	12
Rabbit's Foot	3	12
Silver Cloud	8	9
Success	5	
Sox Sewell	12½	15
Tetro	8½	10
Triangle	1	2
Value	8.12	8.14
West Mountain Placer	30	
West Mercur		25
Yankee Consolidated	11½	12

TRANSFERS OF STOCKS.

Daly, 500 at 29½; 1,000 at 29¾; 4,000 at 30.

Dalton & Lark, 1,000 at 19½; 500 at 19¾.

Sacramento, 500 at 47½.

Swansea, 700 at 61.25; 200 at 61.38.

Sunshine, 200 at 48½.

Golden Eagle, 2,000 at 7½; 1,000 at 7; seller 30 days.

International, 1,000 at 4½.

Joe Bowers, 4,000 at 15.

North Swansea, 1,000 at 1.25½; 200 at 1.25.

Midnight Bowers, 500 at 3c; 2,000 at 3½; 1,000 at 3¾.

Value, 100 at $1.12; 200 at $1.13; 100 at $1.12½.

Total shares sold, 23,200.

Selling value of stocks, $1,062.10.

For proceedings of the Utah Mine and Stock Exchange and late mining and business news, see page 2.

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MARKET REPORTS

NEW YORK MARKETS.

New York, May 12.—Owing to the diversified interests of the late Russell P. Flower, which included a number of speculative plays in the New York stock exchange, the best faction, who have been very conspicuous of late for bearish sentiment, thought the time prepared for a concerted raid against these stocks. If the opening, they thought, obtained a substantial following of the rank and file of traders who have so dogged attitude of mind and are prepared to go short or long as the case may be when a favorable opportunity presents itself. Before the opening commenced some clients were called upon to put up additional margins in order to provide the necessary for the expected drop. The opening was very wide in the Flower speculation and Tennessee Coal, the stocks came out on a scale down of from 1 to 6 points, the latter in Brooklyn Transit, Pacific Mail, Sugar, Tennessee, 5 points and Federal Steel, New Jersey and other Flower issues dropped off from 1 to 3 points. Almost 50,000 shares were thrown over in Brooklyn transit during the first 15 minutes. New York Air Brake dropped 8 points to 125.

The fact that an extremely favorable bank statement was expected was ignored for the moment and the inevitable downward rush of the speculative carried along with it, along with it, Standard stocks averaged ½ points down.

Metropolitan street railway, Manhattan and sugar dropped 7 points. The attendance on the floor of the exchange was unusually large and many brokers who generally are absent on a Saturday put in an appearance. The gallery was packed with sightseers who came down town in expectation of witnessing exciting scenes. After the first quarter of an hour the market turned decidedly upward. New York Air Brake recovered 20 points to 145. The feeling in the stock exchange during the first hour eclipsed anything ever witnessed in the market for the sense of dreadful suspense. Variations of 2 to 3 points were common and in one instance there was a gap in New York Air Brake of 15 points in a single transaction. There appeared to be some unanimity of action among substantial interests to support the market after the opening demoralization and stocks were purchased at rapidly improved prices. Although the movement was very feverish, Brooklyn Transit rallied from 120 to 136. Pacific Mail from 19 to 21 and Sugar from 115 to 118 in other specialties were from 1 to 3 points. Railroad stocks also recovered very slowly. Burlington being a conspicuous figure in the gain. Brokers were overwhelmed with orders to buy and sell. While the activity abated towards the close of the first hour there was still considerable excitement in speculation.

Heavy selling started prices on the down grade again but the market steadied for a time upon the appearance of the bank statement. The statement was interpreted variously by the traders, some contending that it was favorable in every respect, while others maintained the cash increase did not fully reflect the expansion of the banks of the $11,000,000 Spanish indemnity money. Although there was a lack of spontaneity in the market for stocks after the report the market nevertheless went off after its publication, some broker points being in evidence while others realized as is customary on what is considered good news. The market closed very irregular, but with the general level of prices materially above the lowest.

The selection subjected to a considerable extent as time progressed, but there was no diminution of excitement. Professional in the trading stocks continued a very wide range and although the market rallied to the, conditions and hammering for bears at the vulnerable points made the movement very irregular.

Decline occurred in the Flower speculation of from 5 to 15 points, but at the high level realization coupled with reports of the death of the faction who expressed dissatisfaction at the bank statement caused another brisk selling movement in the final dealings.

Sales today, 724,22 shares.

MONEY.

New York, May 12.—Money on call steady at 2 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 3@4½ per cent.

Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.86¾@4.87 for demand and 4.84¾@4.85 for 60 days; posted rates, 4.85@4.89 and 4.87@4.88½; commercial bills, 4.84.

Silver certificates, 61@62.

Bar silver, 60½.

Mexican dollars, 46¾.

State bonds inactive; railroad bonds weak.

Government Bonds, strong; U. S. 2s reg., 96½; U. S. 5s reg. and coupon, 108½; 4s reg. and coupon, 112¾; 4s reg. 112¾; 4s coupon, 113¾; 2s reg. and coupon, 97½.

SUGAR.

New York, May 12.—Sugar raw steady; fair refining, 3¾; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¾; molasses sugar, 3¾; refined, quiet and steady; crushed, 5¾; powdered, 5¾; granulated, 5¾.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

New York, May 11.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes:

Surplus reserve, increased, $7,765,875; loans, decreased, $5,926,700; specie, increased, $6,797,600; legal tenders, increased, $64,700; deposits, increased, $1,426,800; circulation, decreased, $21,700.

The banks now hold $21,187,625 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent rule.

BOSTON MARKETS.

Boston, May 12.—Butte, $1; B. & M. 55.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

PRODUCE

Chicago, May 12.—July wheat opened 70¾@70¾, advanced to 70¾, declined to 69¾ and recovered to 70.

CLOSE

Wheat—May 69½; July 70; Sept. 69¾.
Corn—May 33¾; July 33¾@33½.
Oats—May 22¾; July 23¾.
Pork—May 8.35; July 8.40@8.42½.
Lard—May 4.90; July 4.97½@4.95.
Ribs—May 4.65; July 4.72½.

CASH

Wheat—No. 2 red 71¾ to 72; No. 3 red 70; No. 2 hard winter 69; No. 3 hard winter 67; No. 1 northern spring 70 to 70½; No. 2 northern spring 69½; No. 3 spring 67 to 69.

No. 2 corn, 33½; No. 1 oats, 22¾; No. 2 white 23¾@23¾; No. 3 white, 23¾@23½.

Barley—27@40.

Rye—May 45¾.

Timothy—$2.60.

Flax—$1.

LIVE STOCK.

Estimated receipts of hogs today 15,000; tomorrow 5,000; left over 2,000. Market mostly 5 to 10 higher; mixed and butchers 3.60@3.90; good heavy 3.80@3.90; rough heavy 3.15@3.40; light 3.45@3.65.

Cattle—Receipts 1,300. Market steady.

Sheep—Receipts 400. Market steady.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Omaha, May 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 700. Market active, steady. Native beef steers, 4.20@5.35; western steers, 3.60@4.70; Texas steers, 3.00@4.40; western cows, 2.50@4.00; native cows and heifers, 2.30@4.15; stockers and feeders, 3.00@5.10; calves, 4.00@6.75; bulls, stags, etc., 2.50@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,800. Market shade higher. Heavy, 3.65@3.75; mixed, 3.65@3.72½; light, 3.60@3.70; pigs, 3.50@3.65; bulk of sales, 3.62@3.67.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000. Market steady. Fed wethers, 4.00@4.40; fed ewes, 3.75@4.00; stock sheep, 2.50@4.00; lambs, 5.00@6.40.

KANSAS LIVE STOCK.

Kansas City, May 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 700. Market unchanged.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000. Market strong to 5c higher; bulk of sales, 3.60@3.67½; heavy, 3.60@3.70; packers, 3.60@3.67½; mixed, 3.60@3.67½; light, 3.50@3.67½; yorkers, 3.60@3.67½; pigs, 3.60@3.67½.

Sheep—Receipts, 300. Market steady; lambs, 15@25c higher; others steady.

DENVER LIVE STOCK.

Denver, May 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 300. Market steady to 10c higher; steers, 3.00@4.00; cows, 2.00@4.00; heifers, 3.00@4.00; bulls, 2.50@4.00; stockers, 2.50@4.00; feeders, 3.00@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 200. Market steady; light, 3.60@3.65; mixed, 3.60@3.65; heavy, 3.60@3.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 300. Market steady; good to choice, 4.25@4.35; lambs, 4.75@5.30.

LONDON WOOL AUCTION.

London, May 12.—The attendance at the wool auction sales today was large and the offerings numbered 16,400 bales. There was much animation, although continental buyers were less active than yesterday. A good deal of German, Austrian and Russian buyers was taken by the continental buyers at high prices. Well-known Australian wools sold readily and advanced to the home trade at higher rates. There was some competition for cross-breds, which showed a hardening tendency. The number of bales sold so far at this series number 117,000.

MINES AND MINING MEN.

Superintendent J. M. Whistler of the South Swansea is in the city.

The Ontario has another car of ore en route to this city.

The Highland Boy smelter bands were paid off today.

Col. E. G. Hoffman spent the day at Bingham.

Work has commenced on the new shaft for the south Swansea.

The old Swansea Mining company is asking for bids for an extension of the Bullion-Beck tunnel.

The members of the Utah and Salt Lake exchanges are agitating the organization of a baseball club.

The directors of the Utah mine, Fish Springs, will return from the property on Monday.

The Utah Exchange has purchased the set of bankers' and miners' mineral exhibit, which is now placed at exchange headquarters.

Three cars from Tintic and two from Bingham were received at the Taylor-Stratton sampler today.

On Monday next the Centennial-Eureka will send out a dividend of $12,000, while the Bullion-Beck will pay $10,000.

Mr. Mackenzie returned from Bingham Thursday night and immediately went out to Mercur. The gold tension brought in some nice ore samples from the Gold Hill.

The Golden Eagle of Humboldt county, Nevada, has a car of ore at the sampler. It is said to show good gold values and the mine is reported in excellent shape.

The Tintic Miner says the recent strike in the White Chief south of Dividend has proved the most valuable and successe sister. The winze has been sunk 12 feet on the vein, and the ore runs well in lead, with native copper through it.

Capt. J. H. De La Mar is reported to have an option on the Flower group at Mercur, which were running until January 1, 1900, at which time, if the deal does go through, the captain pays $50,000 for the property.

During the week shipments from Tintic amounted to 11 cars of ore and 8 cars of concentrates.

It is intimated that Col. Theodore Dreiberk, in his attempt to get hold of the Morgan of Park City, is acting for and in behalf of Jay Gould. The suit which the Morgan will be attached. The latter's board consists of Ezra Thompson, John J. Healy, H. C. Chambers, H. H. Walker, J. H. Walker, Jr., Henry Dalwerder and James H. Moyle. Mr. Thompson is president; Mr. Chambers, vice-president; M. H. Walker, treasurer, and C. L. Rood, secretary.

TINTIC MINING EXCURSION.

Rouder: May 14th.

On Sunday next the Rio Grande Western Ry. operates another of its popular outing excursions to Eureka, Mammoth and Silver City. Special train will leave Salt Lake City at 8:45 a. m. for Eureka, Mammoth & Silver City at 4:30 p. m. Mammoth 4:45 p. m. and Eureka at 5:30 p. m. Fare $1 round trip from Salt Lake City and $1 from Utah county.

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DENVER PEOPLE AFTER UTAH MINES

Reynolds and Shear Get a Foothold in Bingham.

OPTION ON BOB ROY GROUP.

Will Run a 5,000-Foot Tunnel Thirty Hours for Nevada Other Mining News.

Early Friday morning there arrived here from Bingham Mr. Calvin R. Johnson, the local representative of Reynolds and Shear, of Denver, Colo., and his partner in the same enterprise, Mr. Johnson. The principals (Reynolds & Shear) were met at the Knutsford; business was talked over, and again the latter, who have been both on mining matters, left for the East yesterday morning.

For the above named gentlemen, Mr. Johnson has been looking for a good principle of operation in Bingham or anywhere else, or in securing property that in his judgment would be the most suitable for the purpose sought for. Mr. Johnson commenced his work in Bingham early in January last, and, as he has been quietly writing has staked off, recorded and otherwise secured over twenty claims, all that he considers, under the local conditions, some more being necessary at times, but the work was commenced, and, and that in a satisfactory manner.

The Bob Roy group of claims was secured on an option from the owners, and seems to be the center of operations. Considerable work has been done, but on the 1st of June a big tunnel will be commenced—a tunnel 5,000 feet long—which will tap the vein 2,000 feet below. This it will be admitted is development work of considerable magnitude. But, it appears that Mr. Reynolds, the senior partner of the firm of Reynolds & Shear, is noted for the adoption of long tunnels, he being interested in one of the largest tunnels in Ouray, Colo., which is about one mile and three-quarters long, and another in Creede, Colo., which is about one mile long. Mr. Reynolds, it may be incidentally mentioned, got into more heavy work in connection with the Ouray tunnel, but, to test the matter to an extremity, carried the matter before the supreme court of the United States, and finally settled the open and ado for questions.

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To Export Buffalo Pump Mines.

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NEWS FROM PARK CITY.

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Special Correspondence.

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THE LION CONSOLIDATED.

Big Bonanza of High-Grade Ore Exposed—A Projected Mill.

That the Lion Consolidated of Stockton has in it the elements of a full-fledged bonanza, seems quite certain from inquiries recently made from that property. An officer of the company informs the "News" that there is now a 12-foot breast of shipping and concentrating ore, some of which would be sacked and sent to the smelter, but, to test the matter to an extremity, carried the question before the supreme court of the United States, and finally settled the open and ado for questions.

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REVIEW OF THE WEEK'S BUSINESS

Aside from Stocks it Shows a Decided Increase.

IRON INDUSTRY RUSHING.

Advance in the Price of Wool Failures Less Than for Same Period Last Year.

New York, May 11.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly Review of Trade will say: "To speak truly of business this week one must free the mind of stocks, for a severe decline in manufacturing stocks has created an impression that it has some relation to business, when in fact it has none. There was no change in the money market worth mentioning, and the volume of business shown by payments through the principal clearing houses was 13.5 per cent larger than in 1897, the gain in greatest proportion hitherto, while it is more than double the gain anybody considered possible a year ago.

"Never before touching a quarter of a million tons per week, the iron manufacture has expanded May 1st, to an output of 250,000 tons weekly, which, with 14,453 decrease in warrant and furnace stocks, indicates a consumption of 11,522 tons daily, against 27,100 in March, 31,611 in February, and 36,934 in January. The average of four months is 28,857 tons daily, against 22,200 last year. An increase of 14 per cent in the year would be less interesting if consumption a year ago were not far beyond anything hitherto realized. Yet prospects continue blighted by strikes, orders and fears and shorts, while the structural business or so large as ever in small lots, with mill interests alone in sight at Chicago for the drainage canal and new bridge, and nothing big for all the works to handle, letting no considerable, the Chicago and Philadelphia would be being billed to Pittsburg, and Pittsburg works troubled by demands for a 200 foot travel plates and 400 foot beams, and the Chicago movement decks at Algoma. Only pig iron advanced, December 50, and gray forge for Pittsburg, and local pig 50c at Chicago.

"In minor metals no decline at London to 20 pounds, and tin is weak at 28 for spot and 27½ for future.

"Hides at Chicago come about 10 per cent, with actual receipts of cattle in four months twice less than last year, and since 30-lb number than in 1893-4, notwithstanding the gain in population.

"Nobody who has studied statistics can tell why purchases of a million pounds Australian wool for export this week, following others in previous weeks, should advance prices of wool, for where purchases of 20,000 pounds territory wool by a speculator recently appreciable. But it is just the time for speculation to be active, and it is and just when the largest manufacturers were ready to buy only the smaller lots they could use to advance the price. Sales generally advanced with higher demands from the interior holders, but it remains a question whether the movement of 10,000 pounds for the week, against 2,300,000 in 1892, and only a little more in 1897, will prove sufficient to make room for woolen goods is waiting for evidence of demand which do not yet appear, and the delay in getting the new combinations into working order causes some hesitation.

"If government estimates were considered reliable instead of one based on entirely unknown average of wheat and cotton, it would be quite another matter. Thus, with official returns pointing to a good crop, demands in winter wheat production the price advanced 3c, and cotton declined for options through reports of the advance of a quarter for spot which was established before the government report appeared. Nobody knows what the cotton or wheat crop is, this which takes no account of the acreage of winter wheat killed and abandoned. The best thing can be said is that worse returns were expected in both markets, so that the government report had practically no influence.

"Failures for the week have been 163 in the United States, against 240 last year, and 20 in Canada, against 24 last year."

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NOTICE OF A CALL OF SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Deseret Water & Milling company for the purpose of electing directors and officers of the company, to take place at the new company office, on the 20th day of May, 1899, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may come before the meeting, and for the purpose of ratifying and confirming the action of the board of directors in the sale and transfer of its real and personal property to the Deseret Water, Light & Power company, and to ratify the action of said company hereby taken in accepting said property, and to ratify the action of said company in the sale of its stock in the city and county of Salt Lake and State of Utah, and Lincoln and Bear Lake counties, Idaho, and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

Dated this 6th day of May, A. D. 1899.

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