

Mining, Business and Stocks.

BIG BUSINESS ON THE EXCHANGE

Buying Orders Were Plentiful and Prices Climbed.

DAILY-JUDGE THE FEATURE.

Demand Was Large at Figures Higher Than \$12-Wabash Was Heavily Traded in and Tobogganed.

This morning's session of the mining exchange was decidedly interesting and was characterized by heavy trading and higher prices. Buying orders for outside accounts were much in evidence and prices climbed in quick response to the increased demand for stocks. The general situation of the metal market and the satisfactory condition of so many of the mines give to the mining share market a bullish tendency that only needs the impetus of a little steady buying for outside accounts to become wildly apparent.

Many stocks were firmer and higher this morning and trading was heavy. The business involved \$3,275 shares and \$24,442, and was generally satisfactory.

The features of the session were Daily Judge and Wabash. The former was much in demand at figures above \$12, but there was a very marked scarcity of the stock at any price and some of the transactions made were simply "wash sales."

Wabash was steadily tobogganed from 2.40 to 2.25, closing at 2.32 after transactions involving 1,800 shares had been recorded.

Day-West was decidedly stronger and California was firmly held around 88.

The session closed on the following market:

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax.	40	40 1/2
Alcoa.	10	10
Anchor.	8	8
Bullion Beck.	3 1/2	3 5/8
Carlin.	13 1/2	13 1/2
Concor.	5	5
Con Mercur.	2 03 1/2	2 03 1/2
Creole.	2	2
Daily.	2 00	2 00
Daily-West.	51 52 1/2	51 52 1/2
Dillon & Lark.	20	20
Dexter.	20	20
Eagle & Blue Bell.	90	110
Balena.	10	10
Grand Central.	5 55	5 59
Horn Silver.	1 00	1 00
Ingot.	10 1/2	11 1/2
Lower Mammoth.	1 36	1 44
Mammoth.	1 50	1 70
May Day.	2	2
Northern Light.	3 1/2	4
Ontario.	8 40	9 00
Petro.	3 1/2	3 1/2
Sacramento.	25	28 1/2
Sunshine.	2	2
Silver King.	75 00	80 00
Silver Shield.	7	7
Star Consolidated.	16 1/2	17
Swansea.	20 1/2	20 1/2
South Swansea.	20 1/2	20 1/2
U. S. Con.	35 1/2	35 1/2
United Submarine.	6	6
Utah.	65	9
Valco.	18 1/2	24

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Ben Butler.	3 1/2	3 1/2
California.	3 1/2	3 1/2
Century.	1 25	1 27
Dalton.	2	2
Emerald.	2	2
Golden Eagle.	2	2
Joe Bowler.	2	2 1/2
La Reina.	2	2 1/2
Little Chief.	4	4 1/2
Martha Washington.	5 1/2	5 1/2
Richmond Ana.	4 1/2	4 1/2
Petro.	18 1/2	20
Sunshine.	22 1/2	25
West Morning Glory.	1 1/2	1 1/2
Yankee Con.	65	66

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax.	700	40
Alcoa.	5,000	20; 3,000 at 17 1/2; 2,000 at 15 1/2.
Anchor.	100	200; 700 at 2.03; 800 at 2.01; 2,000 at 2.00.
Carlin.	2,000	2,500.
Concor.	2,000	2,500.
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CENTENNIAL SHIPPING.

Manager Allen Reports Mine in Admirable Condition.

The ore bins at the great new smelter of the United States Mining company will, within the next few hours, receive the first consignment of ore from the Centennial-Eureka mine and from there on, the smelter is ready to be put in commission shipments of ore will be made on a limited scale. That is the announcement which General Superintendent Allen made when he returned from Eureka last evening. When he left, the railroad cars were being loaded with the first shipment.

At the smelter the final touches preparatory to testing the machinery are being made and it is expected that within a very few weeks that testing may be underway to be followed by the firing up of the furnaces soon after.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD.

Vabash Company Elects Officers and Considers Reports.

The annual meeting of the Vabash Mining company held yesterday resulted in the election of Messrs. Trowell, S. H. Lewis, John M. Daugherty, W. Mont Perry and Thomas Cupid as directors and Messrs. A. Dougherty as secretary.

The regular reports were submitted and were generally satisfactory. In the treasury of the company are 47,000 shares of the company's stock and the management reports sufficient money on hand to carry on developments.

The condition of the mine is excellent and Manager Trowell's report on it was extremely satisfactory. During the year \$50,000 was disbursed for employment and mine expense while \$5,000 was paid on the purchase price of the Stoney group.

It was decided to list the stock of the company on the local exchange.

CON. MERCUR DIVIDEND.

Big Company Orders October Distribution of \$30,000.

At the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Consolidated Mercur company the October dividend of 3 cents a share or \$30,000 was ordered. The company will with this dividend, which is payable on Oct. 9, have distributed seven consecutive monthly dividends of that amount. The transfer books will close on Oct. 10.

Reports from the mine and mill are that everything is as usual looking fine and working splendidly.

Notes From Provo.

Provo, Sept. 15.—Branch Young of Provo, and Benjamin F. Roper and Otto Nielsen, of Salt Lake, have returned from a trip to the Mount Malpais district, where they inspected 13 mining claims owned by the Silver Cave Mining company, which they are interested in. The mines are located on the Annie Laurie belt and the company expects to develop them into a great bonanza. Assays returned from the ore shows 15 to 45 per cent copper, from 34 to 42 gold and from 10 to 71 ounces silver. The Loretta mining claim, situated in the Manhattan mine shaft, is being quit claim deed to the Par Value Gold Mining company by Jos. H. Real of Victor, Colo., and Francis A. Real of Colorado Springs. The consideration in each case is \$1, and other valuable consideration.

MINING NOTES.

Ore and bullion settlements in this city yesterday, as reported by McCornick and Co., amounted to \$35,800.

On the mining exchange yesterday the total business transacted involved 71,635 shares and \$73,107.25.

Michael Harrington, manager of the La Plata Consolidated, operating in the Box Elder county, came down yesterday and left this morning for Park City. The La Plata is being vigorously developed.

The Taylor and Brunton management this morning reported the following shipments as having been shipped: Eight carloads of ore from the 300 level from Tomahawk; two from Bingham, and two from Alta.

Tomahawk ore to the extent of five carloads will be settled on controls obtained today.

Seven cars of Grand Central ore will be forwarded to the Bingham Company smelter today.

Col. Heffron of the Bingham Consolidated has returned from a trip to Oregon and Idaho mining camps.

The control of the Galena King of Stockton has passed to Duncan McVie and his Wisconsin associates the final payment of \$45,000 having been made to Col. Dorsey and Robert C. Gemmel.

The Grizzly and Lavina of Alta is on today's market with two carloads of very nice ore.

Manager Hatfield of the Albion of Alta and the Snowflake of Tintic is again in the city.

The Highland Boy has two carloads of lead ore en route to the American smelter.

One carload of high grade Mammoth ore will be marketed today.

Manager Dusseldorf of the Comstock returned from Park City last evening and reports that the foundations for the new mill already nearly completed, while the lumber and machinery necessary for its erection and equipment have been ordered and are en route.

The Martha Washington management has one more car of very good ore on the local market today.

The Conklin sampler reports the receipt of one car of ore from Tintic.

Six cars of Yankee ore are en route from Tintic to the valley smelters.

Grows from Mont Pele.

New York, Sept. 16.—Grows from Mont Pele are diminishing, says a Times dispatch from Martinique by way of London. The volcano is still in eruption but its activity is now insignificant. All necessary measures to assist the sufferers have been taken by the government. The native population is calming down.

It is the opinion of observers that Fort de France is not threatened even if the delayed tidal wave comes.

RELAXATION IN MONEY MARKET.

It Induced the Shorts to Cover as Soon as Possible.

PRICES AT HIGHER LEVEL.

Slipped Back Through Exhaustion of Demand—Losses at Opening Were Restricted to Fractions.

New York, Sept. 16.—Prices showed a sagging tendency at the opening, notwithstanding the announcement of an engagement of \$200,000 gold for import. The losses were restricted to fractions. Bear traders put out short lines when the list failed to respond to the gold imports and there was some selling of long stock when money loaned at 13 per cent. Losses reached a moderate fraction, but ran to a point or over in a few stocks. The market was virtually at a standstill, scarcely any of the usually active stocks showing any life.

Bonds were irregular.

Relaxation of the tension in the money market induced shorts to cover very generally and prices rose above last night's level. Gains reached a point or over in Mexican Pacific, W. U. Colorado Fuel and Chicago Terminal. Northwestern advanced 3/4. The market became very dull at the higher level and prices were again slipping back through exhaustion of demand.

Prices yielded slowly on small offerings, but the reaction was not important. Buying of Almagamated and the Wabash issues sent them up a point over yesterday and the general list steadied.

MONEY AND BONDS.

Money on call, strong at 10 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 48 1/2 for 60 days. Posted rates, 4.83 1/2 for 30 days and 4.85 for 60 days. Commercial bills, 4.81 1/2 for 30 days. Government bonds, steady; ref. 2 1/2 per cent, 104 1/2; 3 per cent, 104 1/2; 4 per cent, 104 1/2; 5 per cent, 104 1/2; 6 per cent, 104 1/2; 7 per cent, 104 1/2; 8 per cent, 104 1/2; 9 per cent, 104 1/2; 10 per cent, 104 1/2; 11 per cent, 104 1/2; 12 per cent, 104 1/2; 13 per cent, 104 1/2; 14 per cent, 104 1/2; 15 per cent, 104 1/2; 16 per cent, 104 1/2; 17 per cent, 104 1/2; 18 per cent, 104 1/2; 19 per cent, 104 1/2; 20 per cent, 104 1/2; 21 per cent, 104 1/2; 22 per cent, 104 1/2; 23 per cent, 104 1/2; 24 per cent, 104 1/2; 25 per cent, 104 1/2; 26 per cent, 104 1/2; 27 per cent, 104 1/2; 28 per cent, 104 1/2; 29 per cent, 104 1/2; 30 per cent, 104 1/2; 31 per cent, 104 1/2; 32 per cent, 104 1/2; 33 per cent, 104 1/2; 34 per cent, 104 1/2; 35 per cent, 104 1/2; 36 per cent, 104 1/2; 37 per cent, 104 1/2; 38 per cent, 104 1/2; 39 per cent, 104 1/2; 40 per cent, 104 1/2; 41 per cent, 104 1/2; 42 per cent, 104 1/2; 43 per cent, 104 1/2; 44 per cent, 104 1/2; 45 per cent, 104 1/2; 46 per cent, 104 1/2; 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