

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

FEDERATION OF MINERS IS SUED

A Sequel to the Great Cripple Creek Miner's Strike Ordered In August 1903

COMPANIES WANT DAMAGES.

Sums Aggregating \$1,000,000 Asked for—Vindicator Company Wants \$200,000 for Stoppage of Pumps.

Denver, April 24.—Suits for damages aggregating \$1,000,000 have been filed in the state and federal courts by the U. S. Reduction and Refining company and a number of Cripple Creek mining companies against the Western Federation of Miners and its officers. The complaints are all of similar nature. They charge the defendants with unlawfully conspiring to injure the plaintiffs by preventing the mining and shipment of ore. The Vindicator Gold Mining company asks for \$200,000 damages for losses occasioned by the stoppage of its pumps. The suits are an outcome of the strike which was ordered in the Cripple Creek district Aug. 10, 1903, and has not been deposed off, although all the mines are now operating with full force.

ON MINING EXCHANGE.

Carlsbad Gets Into Line With Other Tintic Stocks and Advances.

There was a good tone to the mining stock market today and a half dozen or more of the traders called into the pit displayed a great deal of animation. Something started Carlsbad to moving, but no one seemed willing to offer any solution for the sudden move upward any more than that the opportunity was offered to shove it forward in sympathy with the upward movement in other Tintic stocks. One broker jokingly remarked that it might be due to Anna Eva Fay's somnolency, as it was recalled that this mystery making lady had predicted an early strike in the Carlsbad property. At any rate the stock went up this morning and brokers seemed quite eager to get hold of it. Lower Mammoth opened during the regular call with a bid marked up at 30 cents, but it afterwards settled to 27 cents. May Day remained at about where it was during yesterday's calls, but New York Bonanza stiffened to \$74 cents. Little Chief found takers at 43 cents while Uncle Sam displayed activity around 36 cents. The closing quotations and sales were posted as follows:

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Alice	35	36
Alex	15 1/2	15
Bullion Beck	1.00	1.00
Carlsbad	1.44	1.45
Con. Mercur	.39 1/2	.40 1/2
Creole	.24	.25
Daly	2.45	2.50
Daly-Judge	4.75	5.00
Daly-West	14.50	15.00
E. & B. Bell	.12	.13
Galea	.12	.13
Grand Central	3.00	3.50
Horn Silver	1.50	1.50
Ingot	.01 1/2	.02
Little Bell	.25	.25
Lower-Mammoth	.25	.25
May Day	.22 1/2	.22 1/2
Mammoth	1.10	1.10
Ontario	2.50	2.50
Petrol	.07 1/2	.08
Sacramento	.07 1/2	.08
Silver King	56.00	60.00
Silver Shield	.30	.32 1/2
South Swansea	.90	.90
Star Con.	.07	.11
Sunshine	.07	.11
Utah	.60	.60
Uncle Sam Con.	1.50	1.50
Victoria	1.80	1.85
Boston Con.	8.00	8.00
Butler Liberal	.14	.14 1/2
Century	.11 1/4	.10 1/2
Joe Rogers	.09 1/2	.09
Little Chief	.04 1/2	.04 1/2
Beck Tunnel	.06 1/2	.06
Martha Washington	.00 1/2	.02
New York	.85	.85 1/2
Richmond Amador	.85	.85 1/2
Tetro	.17 1/2	.17 1/2
Victor Con.	.04 1/2	.04
Wahash	1.75	1.80
Yankee	.34	.35

NEVADA STOCKS.

Tonopah	12.50
Tonopah Belmont	1.15
Tonopah Midway	1.55
Tonopah Extension	4.25
Montana Tonopah	3.25
Jim Butler Tonopah	1.00
MacNamara	.40

Gardner Daily Store News : Gardner Daily Store News



It matters not what your underwear whims are; Whether you put on the light-weights in April, Or make the first change to the medium weights, Either way we have you suited to a nicety, So thorough is the variety of our showing, We have your kind of underwear at the price you wish to pay. 25c to \$5 per garment.

ONE PRICE. J. P. GARDNER, 136-138 MAIN ST. THE QUALITY STORE.

Today's Metal Quotations:

Local setting prices as reported by the American Smelting and Refining Company:

SILVER	57 1/4
COPPER, CASTING	14 1/2
" ELECTRO	14 1/8
LEAD	\$3.50@4.50

New York Quotations:

LEAD, quiet	4.55@4.60
COPPER, dull	15@15 1/4

REGULAR CALL SALES.

Rocco-Homestake	27
Goldfield Bonanza	69

OPEN BOARD SALES.

Butler-Liberal, 500 at 14, seller 300 at 14 1/2; 200 at 14 1/2; 2,500 at 15; 500 at 15 1/2; 500 at 15 1/2; 500 at 15 1/2; 1,000 at 16.
Daly-West, 20 at 14.75.
Little Chief, 500 at 44; 1,000 at 45; 2,000 at 4.
Lower Mammoth, 100 at 28; 100 at 27 1/2; 100 at 27.
New York, 400 at 87; 100 at 87 1/2; 200 at 87; 100 at 89, buyer 30.
Sacramento, 1,000 at 74.
Victor Con., 1,000 at 4.

RECAPITULATION.

Shares	Value
Regular call	22,500 \$4,524.75
Open board	13,200 2,234.00
Forenoon totals	35,700 \$6,758.75

A. S. CAMPBELL.

Stock Broker, 216 D. F. Walker Block.

INJUNCTION SUIT FILED.

Farmers and Smelters Concerns Ready For Long Legal Battle.

The citizens of the Salt Lake valley who claim their property has been damaged by the fumes issuing from the stacks at the several smelters, after considerable delay, yesterday afternoon filed in the federal court the much-talked-of injunction suit against the smelting corporations. A permanent injunction is asked for enjoining the defendants, the American Smelting and Refining company, the Bingham Consolidated Mining company and the United States Mining company, from further continuing or operating the smelters or either of them, and from permitting the escape of said fumes, gases, dust or other agencies injurious to the complainants and such other and further relief as may to the court seem meet and equitable. The filing of the suit means that the war is on to a finish between the farmers and the smelting concerns and that it will probably take months of tedious litigation to bring the question at issue to a final settlement.

ABE LINCOLN MILL.

Plant at Pioche, Nev., Closed Pending Installation of Machinery.

After running its mill long enough to demonstrate its ultimate success, the Abe Lincoln group of mines, operating the Pioche mill, has closed operations until the several improvements now in course of construction in and about the mill are completed, says the Pioche Record.

The mill operates satisfactorily and the lead concentrates run well in lead and silver. The gold values however lie in the quartz and escape with the tailings. These run about \$8 per ton and the Holderman process is to be used in cyaniding the tailings, as they leave the mill, which is expected to leave the tailings worth little more than \$1 per ton.

Air drills are to be used in the mine, and a compressor for this purpose is now being installed. The most serious difficulty experienced is in the water supply. Enough water cannot be secured to run a full 12 hour day shift when the water is allowed to run in surface ditches to the tailing pit. Although it is pumped back and reused, yet about 70 per cent is lost when it is allowed to run in surface ditches to the tailing pit. The Holderman process holds the water in tanks and it is estimated that this system will save about 70 per cent of the water supply, and that the mill will be able to run day and night when it next starts up.

SMELTER SMOKE CASE.

Jury Empaneled and Hearing Will Proceed at Once.

A jury was empaneled this morning in the federal court for the case of Bird vs. the Utah Consolidated Mining company. The suit is to recover damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained on account of the smelter smoke. The case will probably consume two days. It will be followed by the Forsyth and Pelich cases, in which much public interest has been aroused, and for which a number of witnesses are now in this city.

UTAH MINE SHIPMENT.

Some High Grade Silver-Lead Ore Sold Today.

The Utah mine of Fish Springs is in the market with a car load of ore. The lot was sold on consignment showing values of 144 ounces in silver and 33 per cent lead.

Nevada Ore Shipments.

The ore shipments over the Tonopah railroad last week aggregated 180 tons, of which 65 tons came from Goldfield. The shipments are divided as follows: From Tonopah-Tonopah company, 50 tons; Tonopah Extension, 24 tons; Montana Tonopah, 37 tons; Midway, 55 tons; Belmont, 120 tons; Jim Butler, 110 tons. From Goldfield-Goldfield Ore Sampling company, 10 tons. From Lone Mountain-Nevada-Alpine 30 tons; Bacon & Price, 10 tons. Broad-gauge ties have been laid to within 15 miles of Tonopah, and ties are now being received at the rate of 1,000 a day.

At the Black Diamond.

A party of distinguished Indiana business men, some of them officials of the Black Diamond mine of Stockton, arrived in the city yesterday. They are visiting the mine today and are be-

CAMPAIGN AT MAJESTIC MINES.

Developments at Beaver County Properties Declared to be Entirely Satisfactory.

IMPORTANT STRIKE MADE.

The Enlargement of Newhouse Mill—Samuel Newhouse Talks About Boston Con.

Down at the Majestic copper properties in Beaver county, said Samuel Newhouse, during the day the campaign of development is being carried forward with energy, and at the present time there are 40 men on the pay rolls.

"Since my return home," continued Mr. Newhouse, "I have had but little time to look over the reports of Mr. Johnson, but I am told the work is being carried forward there in an encouraging way. I understand there have been some quite important developments made, but not being in possession of the facts, I am unable to go into any details, and all that can be said at this time is that things are going along very satisfactorily."

As to what is to be done with the smaller near the town of Milford, Mr. Newhouse did not venture a statement; but that it will be some time yet before the furnaces are blown in, there is no doubt, as it is the policy of the present management to do things systematically and when the time comes that the mines are ready for it the plant will go into commission.

At the town of Newhouse, Chief Metallurgist Bettles has the big mill now running on ore from the Cactus mine, adjusted to a state of readiness for perfection, and within the next sixty days he hopes to have it up to the maximum of 800 tons a day. Steps will be taken, Mr. Newhouse stated, very soon to add more units to the plant and he anticipates that within the next year or two the mill will have a capacity to handle anywhere from 2,000 to 3,000 tons per day.

As to the Boston Consolidated, Mr. Newhouse declared that the plans to equip the Bingham bonanza with milling facilities would be carried forward with dispatch, but that he is not quite ready to divulge to the public the location selected for the initial plant. The copper magnate expressed no small amount of satisfaction at the way the Boston Consolidated has developed during the administration of his mine manager, M. M. Johnson, and under the direction of Superintendent Louis H. Callahan. He called particular attention to what has been accomplished in the copper bearing porphyries, which extend over a vast area of the Boston's domains. Mr. Newhouse called the attention of stockholders, as far back as 1899, to the wonderful asset the company has in this portion of the company's property and foretold that the time would come when a mill of enormous capacity would be required to extract the values. Mr. Newhouse's engineers, according to recent measurements, estimate that there are 50,000,000 tons of the copper bearing porphyries blocked out and available at the present time. It is claimed that this vast tonnage will carry from 1 to 2 per cent copper in addition to the associated metals. With the ore reduced to concentrate on such a basis as the Utah Copper company is now doing, the Boston Consolidated has the importance of the proposition as a money making factor can at once be realized.

MILL FOR ATLANTA.

Cyanide Plant to Go in at Petta and Tahona Mines.

L. W. Spear of Spear's American exchange, accompanied by his brother, I. A. Spear of Duluth, arrived yesterday, says the Boise Statesman. They will leave early in the week for Atlanta where they go to make a thorough examination of the Petta and Tahona mines with the view of determining the best methods to be employed. Mr. Spear says he intends to have both properties equipped, each with a 100-ton plant, before the coming of another winter. It will be necessary first to determine just what process will be needed. Mr. Spear says, but he anticipates the cyanide method will be found what is needed, judging from what he learns of the results of experiments made with ores of that district. The subject is to be investigated thoroughly, it being probable a small plant will be installed before the winter before finally deciding upon the method of treatment.

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ing plotted about by Manager W. C. Alexander. In the party are: Ex-Gov. Winfield T. Durbin and Mrs. Durbin of Anderson, Ind., Attorney-General and Mrs. Charles W. Miller, Secretary of State, Dan (Con.) Stinson and State Oil Inspector T. H. Johnson.

Nevada Stocks.

James A. Pollock & Co., brokers, reported the following quotations from San Francisco today:

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Adams	.14	.15
Columbia Mtn.	.15	.16
Golden Anchor	.15	.16
Goldfield	.63	.66
Mohawk	.25	.26
Jim Butler	1.12 1/2	1.15
Jumbo	.82	.86
Union Consolidated	.48	.50
MacNamara	.42	.44
Ray O'Brien	.06	.06
Montana-Tonopah	3.35	3.40
Radtap	.10	.11
Rescue	.12	.13
Sandstorm	.57	.58
Sandstorm Extension	.13	.15
Tonopah-Belmont	1.35	1.40
Tonopah Belmont	13.50	15.00
Tonopah Extension	5.50	5.75
Gold Mountain	.13	.14
North Star	.55	.57
Tonopah Midway	1.65	1.70
Union Consolidated	.48	.50
Kendall	.25	.27
Bullfrog	.36	.37
Diamondfield	.58	.61
Belmont	.31	.32
Con. Virginia	1.75	1.80
Ophir	11.50	11.75
Caledonia	.68	.70
Marion	2.25	2.30
Savage	.72	.73
Potosi	.19	.20
Union	.74	.77
Jack	.21	.22
Eschscholtz	.45	.47
Norcross	2.80	2.85
Black Butte	.34	.35
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Hone-Tonopah	.35	.36
Silver King	.90	.92
Dixie	.25	.26
Andes	.28	.30

Daily-West Earnings.

An eastern financial publication says: "Director Albert Watts of the Daily-West is in receipt of a financial statement of the company for February. It shows income of \$97,321 and total disbursements of \$47,681. Included in this latter amount is \$2,500 set aside monthly for insurance and tax reserve, but does not include money advanced to the Ontario company. At the present dividend rate of 20 cents per month, \$13,557 above dividend requirements was shown."

LOST PACKER MINE.

Manager J. A. Cizek Arrived in This City Today.

J. A. Cizek, manager of the Lost Packer mine in the Loon Creek, Idaho, district, which is soon to be equipped with smelting facilities, arrived in the city during the day. He came direct from Boise where he has been on a brief business trip.

As to the new smelter, Manager Cizek states that its initial capacity will be for the treatment of 100 tons of ore every 24 hours and it is expected will produce a 50 per cent copper matte with gold values of from \$300 to \$350 to the ton. The show has been very deep in the Loon Creek district, but the road have been blocked, but they have been cleared and traffic has been resumed. Six car loads of machinery for the smelter has arrived and some of it is on the road to the mine. A very nice strike was made not long ago in the Lost Packer. The vein shows a width of about six feet.

The smelter is to be constructed under the direction of Chief Engineer local representative of the Colorado Iron Works company.

Colorado parties have been developing a property near the Packer and recently struck a good vein of ore.

CONCENTRATES.

Frank M. Benedict has returned from a trip to California.

Shipment were inaugurated from the Utah-Apex mine yesterday.

W. P. O'Meara returned last night from a trip to California and Nevada.

An assessment is likely to be levied soon by the directors of the Naldriver company.

George E. Blair departed last night for Esmeralda county, Nev., on mining business.

The Petro Mining company has levied a dividend of 1 cent a share on May 22. Sale day, June 16.

George O. Brady, local manager of the Allis-Chalmers branch house in this city, arrived from the northwest yesterday.

M. J. O'Meara and sister expect to sail for Honolulu for San Francisco on May 9 and will reach home about May 15.

H. C. Bellinger, consulting engineer for the American Smelting & Refining company, is expected to confer with Manager Whitley.

The ore and bullion settlements reported late yesterday were as follows: Crude ore and concentrates, \$28,700; base bullion, \$28,900; gold bars, \$2,300.

A dispatch from Tonopah says D. H. Perry yesterday refused an offer of half a million dollars for his Montgomery mountain locations. The officers of the company are: D. H. Perry, president, and treasurer, John Spauld, vice president; E. H. Mead, secretary; Clarence K. McCormick and D. E. Burley are directors of the company.

McLain, Burns and Visner, owners of the Three Pines group of gold claims, 12 miles south of Virginia river, have given an option to Burgham & Van Vleet of Denver for \$20,000 of which 10 per cent has already been paid. The ore gives \$45 to \$48 per ton in free gold, and they have 340 feet of tunnel work completed on a 3-foot ledge of this ore, and have shipped 20 tons to the mill, which gives them \$2,500 net profit—Caliente Express.

A patent for another of the claims of the Silver Bell Mining company in Thayne's canyon was received this week and how but one more claim remains to be patented. The patent work goes steadily on, a small force of men being employed and some very promising looking property is being opened up. Manager Bonnedes has every faith in the property and has good reason for believing it one of the most promising of the Thayne's canyon prospects.—Park Record.

The New York Bonanza property continues to improve and the fine body of black sulphides was opened in the east drift. The developments of the last two weeks have followed out to a nearly the natural sequence of events as foreshadowed by the management, and the New York can be safely classed as a mine and a future dividend payer, the "knockers" to the contrary notwithstanding.

The deposits in the west drift continue to grow stronger and give surer signs of permanency every day. It is probable that a shipment of high grade ore will be made next week.—Park Record.

MARKET WAS FIRMER TODAY.

International Stocks Were Consistent with a Good Rebound in Prices

WAS NO FLURRY IN SELLING.

After Recession to Near Yesterday's Closing, Stocks Developed a Steadier Tone.

New York, April 25.—The international stocks were conspicuous for a rebound in prices at the opening and carried many other stocks with them in sympathy. After a general strengthening of the market prices crumbled away and little remained of the gains, selling was not conducted with the flurry of yesterday, but there were generous offerings from all quarters. Louisville & Nashville had been as high as 154 1/2 before the weakness developed and Great Northern preferred had also been up 3 1/2. Lateral Mining 4 and Atlantic Coast Line, Northern Pacific, Colorado Fuel and North American 1 to 1 1/2. The market developed a steadier tone after prices had reached a near yesterday's closing. Chinese coal, lead preferred and locomotive 1 and American Express 5. Northern securities on the curb rose 2 and then fluctuated steadily. Prices sold off again changing some early gains to losses and then rallied to about the best. Amalgamated Copper and Chicago Terminal preferred gained 1/4 and Atchafalaya and Ontario & Western a point. Brooklyn Union Gas rose 1/2. Consolidated Gas lost 1/2. Western preferred 2, pressed Steel Car 1 1/2 and Northern Pacific, St. Louis Southwestern preferred, the Steel Foundries stocks, Smelting Sugar and Lined a point or more. There was a sale of Old Rock stock at 2 1/2, a decline of 3/4. Great Northern preferred reacted 4, to 1 1/2 before yesterday. Trading was dull.

Bonds were irregular at noon.

LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; market steady. Good to prime steers, 5.00@5.25; poor to medium, 4.50@5.00; stockers and feeders, 3.50@4.00; cows, 2.50@3.00; heifers, 3.00@3.50; canners, 1.50@2.00; butts, 2.50@3.00; calves, 3.00@3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market 10 cents lower. Mixed and butchers, 5.00@5.25; good to choice heavy, 5.25@5.50; rough heavy, 4.50@5.00; lights, 5.00@5.25; bulk of sales, 5.00@5.25. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market steady. Lambs, steady. Good to choice wethers, shorn, 5.25@5.50; fair to choice mixed, shorn, 4.00@4.25; western sheep, shorn, 4.00@4.25; native lambs, shorn, 4.00@4.25; western lambs, 4.00@4.25.

OMAHA.

South Omaha, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; market lower. Native steers, 4.00@4.25; good to medium, 3.50@4.00; stockers and feeders, 3.00@3.50; cows, 2.50@3.00; heifers, 3.00@3.50; canners, 1.50@2.00; butts, 2.50@3.00; calves, 3.00@3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market 10 cents lower. Mixed and butchers, 5.00@5.25; good to choice heavy, 5.25@5.50; rough heavy, 4.50@5.00; lights, 5.00@5.25; bulk of sales, 5.00@5.25. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market steady. Lambs, steady. Good to choice wethers, shorn, 5.25@5.50; fair to choice mixed, shorn, 4.00@4.25; western sheep, shorn, 4.00@4.25; native lambs, shorn, 4.00@4.25; western lambs, 4.00@4.25.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; market strong to 10 cents higher. Native steers, 4.00@4.25