

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

LITTLE BELL IS STILL IN DEMAND

Park City Stock Played An Important Part in Forenoon Sales on Exchange.

LITTLE CHIEF ON OPEN BOARD

Wabash Closed Stronger—Thompson Lower—Closing Quotations And Sales.

When Secretary Shorten closed his book just before the noon hour the record showed the sale of 3,559 shares of mining stocks for \$9,145.75, which represented the forenoon transactions of the mining exchange. Daily-Judge, while not displaying very much activity, remained firm, but Little Bell was eagerly sought at prices ranging from \$14.15 up to \$24.25 per share. There was some trading in Star Consolidated, as was the case in Beck Tunnel, which moved up a few points.

On the open board, Little Chief appeared as the chief actor, with 20,000 shares going at advancing prices. Wabash stiffened, while Thompson softened slightly. The closing quotations and sales were as follows:

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.		
	Bid.	Asked.
Alcoa	1.65	
Alum	.16	.18
Bullion-Beck	1.66	1.87 1/2
Carroll	19 1/2	21 1/2
Cresco		30
Con. Mercant	.58	.61
Daily	1.25	1.50
Daily-Judge	7.40	7.50
Daily-West	16.00	16.50
E. & B. Bell	.75	1.01
Grand Central	2.95	3.20
Galena		.15
Horn Silver	1.65	
Little Bell	4.25	4.25
Lower-Mammoth	.38	.39
Mammoth	1.05	1.17 1/2
May Day	.11	.11
North Star		.05
Sacramento	.09 1/2	.09 3/4
Silver Shield	.16	.19 1/2
Star Con.	.12 1/2	
Swansea	.42 1/2	.75
South Star	.02	.08
U. S. Mining Co.	46.00	
Utah		.65
Uncle Sam Con.	.77 1/2	.88
Victoria	1.90	
Boston	24.00	26.00
Butler Liberal		.10
Beck Tunnel Co.	.42	.44 1/2
Century	.09 1/2	
Engel	.01 1/2	
Joe Bowers	.02 1/2	
Little Chief	.02 1/2	.03 1/2
Black Jack	.40	.190
New York	.17	
Tetro	.08 1/2	
Victor Coll.	.07 1/2	
Wabash	1.30	1.75
Yukon	.10	
Emerald	.14	
Dillon	.01	.91

NEVADA STOCKS.	
Goldfield Bonanza	1.05
Jim Butler Tonopah	1.05
Montana Tonopah	2.25 1/2
MacNamara	36
Tonopah	13.75
Tonopah Belmont	1.65
Tonopah Extension	1.00
Tonopah Midway	1.42 1/2

REGULAR CALL SALES.	
Daily-Judge, 100 at 7.50.	
Little Bell, 200 at 4.15; 500 at 4.25; 100 at 4.28.	
Sacramento, 1,000 at 9.75.	
Star Con., 2,500 at 1.25; 500 at 1.28.	
Beck Tunnel, 100 at 4.28; 500 at 4.30; 100 at 4.32.	
Wabash, 200 at 1.30.	

OPEN BOARD SALES.	
Lower Mammoth, 700 at 2.00.	
Little Chief, 4,000 at 1.35; 1,000 at 1.37; 4,000 at 1.37; 10,000 at 1.37; 1,000 at 1.37.	
Thompson, 500 at 1.90; 200 at 1.92; 1,000 at 1.94.	
Uncle Sam Con., 1,000 at 1.72 1/2; 500 at 1.74 1/2; 100 at 1.76 1/2.	
Wabash, 100 at 1.45.	
Star Con., 100 at 1.25.	

RECAPITULATION.	
Regular call	8,250 \$7,138.75
Open board	25,400 2,066.00
Forenoon totals	31,650 \$9,145.75

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A GREAT SMELTING CENTER.
Salt Lake Is So Recognized on Atlantic and Pacific Coasts.

Sam Penhagast, the well known broker who returned to Salt Lake recently after an absence of four months in the far east and in California, says the belief is gaining ground both on the Atlantic and the Pacific coasts that Salt Lake is destined to become the greatest smelting center in the world, and that nothing can stop it. California stands no show because of the difficulty of getting ore there, while in Utah there is no such difficulty, and the great smelter now going up at Garfield is but the forerunner of an immense aggregation at this point of the smelting interests of the country.

Practically all of the Nevada area ore is to be shipped to Salt Lake. Penhagast finds inquiry growing in the east about the possibilities of this state.

CRITICIZES UTAH APEX.
Samuel Newhouse interviewed in New York—Statement of Manager Orem.

Samuel Newhouse, who has been in the east for several weeks, is quoted by the New York Commercial with having made some statements concerning the Utah Apex property at Birmingham, which adjoints that of the Boston Consolidated. Mr. Newhouse complains that his name has been used without authority, by whom he does not say, in connection with the buying and selling of the stock of the Utah Apex company. Mr. Newhouse is quoted as follows:

"As it has been called to my attention on several occasions recently that my name was being used with the stock fluctuations of the Utah Apex

Today's Metal Quotations:

Local settling prices as reported by the American Smelting and Refining company:

SILVER	65 1/4
COPPER, CASTING	17 1/2
"ELECTRO	17 3/4
LEAD	\$3.30 @ \$5.35

New York Quotations:

Lead, firm	\$5.55 @ \$6.10
Copper strong	18 1/2 @ 18 3/4

Co. I wish to emphatically deny that I ever owned a share of that stock, either have I ever bought or sold a share. At the instance of some London friends I made an examination of the company's files recently, and my report on the merits of the property was adverse and I so advised them. M. M. Johnson of my staff accompanied me in the examination.

"I should add here that no positive opinion can be expressed over the possibilities of a mine until it is well opened up, and I make this statement to the Utah Apex with regret, though I saw so little for commendation in examining the property. I am reliably informed that my name has been used in this matter with a view of getting my New York and London friends to take up large blocks of the stock, and if such action be true I deeply resent it. I do not wish to go on record saying that any of the company's officials are responsible for the publication of these rumors, but in the light of what I know, feel, and say, I am bound to offer this explanation to prevent any one being misled as to my attitude on the property."

The attention of Manager Walter C. Orem of the Utah Apex company was called to the foregoing during the day and declared that he did not care to engage in any controversy through the newspapers, that the Utah Apex is perfectly able to take care of itself. But in reference to what Mr. Newhouse calls his recent examination of the mine Mr. Orem felt it his duty to make the following statement:

"Mr. Newhouse and his engineer, Mr. Johnson, were given permission to enter the mine, Apex mine, on the night of 1903, over two years ago, and the tonnage in sight at that time consisted principally of a few shoots of lead ore. The time consumed in the examination of the mine was not over two hours and it was very manifest at the time that it was not the purpose of Mr. Newhouse to acquire property in other than the worst light possible. But since that time, the holdings of the company have been largely increased and the mine has been made during the past 18 months, have been owned. The mine is in an entirely different condition now than it was when Mr. Newhouse saw it."

During the past year the Utah Apex company has been carrying on an active and vigorous campaign of development and, among other things, the Parvane tunnel was started and will tap the ore bodies of the property several hundred feet under the present lowest workings. While the company has made no pretense at ore extraction, only that being taken out in the course of development, the local management has called on the Boston office for very little assistance, the returns from the ore shipped paying practically all the expense of operation.

BIG MINING SUIT
Great Silver Peak Mine in Nevada Involved in Litigation.

The Silver Peak Gold Mining company, the Blair estate has filed suit against the Mohawk-Alpine Mining company, says the Bonanza of Tonopah, to recover damages for trespass. The suit is in the county of Nevada, the Mohawk-Alpine company, through its Homestake claim, has been working its abstracting and taking away ore from the Silver Peak mine, which is the property of the Western Soldier claim of the plaintiff company. The plaintiff asks for \$100,000 damages and a restraining order has been issued to prevent the defendant company from the further abstraction of such ore, or the working under any ledge, the apex of which lie within the Western Soldier ground.

The suit was filed in Hawthorne, Esmeralda county, the property being located in that county. Sam Platt of Carson City is attorney for the plaintiffs. The suit promises to be a hard fought one, as it involves some of the richest ground in the state of Nevada. The great Blair property was sampled and examined for two months by representatives of C. M. Schwab and John McKane, up to the 25th of November, and a favorable report has been forwarded to Mr. Schwab. While it is thought that the Schwab-McKane Syndicate has no intention as to what they will do in the premises, Mr. McKane was seen, but he refused to say whether he and his associates would take the property or not, but he did say that reports and statements that have been flying around the country to the effect that Mr. Schwab and himself had purchased the property have no foundation in fact.

The Mohawk-Alpine is one of the best mines in the land and is owned principally by W. Y. Fuller of New York. It has a ten-stamp mill that is grinding away night and day on \$35 ore at a total cost of mining and milling of but from \$12 to \$15. The suit will prove to be a bitterly contested one and will undoubtedly be taken to the highest court in the land.

MORE SMELTERS TO BE BUILT IN UTAH.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 12.—Announcement was made last night that a controlling interest in the Ohio & Colorado smelter, at Salida, Colo., had been sold, and that the purchasers would extend the business of the company by constructing new plants at Salt Lake and Denver. Timothy Goodman of Denver, one of the former owners of the stock transferred, is authority for the announcement. He said that he was not permitted at this time to disclose the identity of the purchasers but that they were not in any way connected with the American Smelting & Refining company. The price paid for the Salida plant was \$2,250,000.

Manager Lafayette Hanchett of the

UTAH COPPER LETS BIG CONTRACT.

First Unit of New Concentrating Mill to be Built by Minneapolis Firm.

TO BE READY BY NEXT FALL.

What the Buildings Will Consist of—Plant Will Eventually Treat 6,000 Tons Per Day.

That the construction of the first unit of Utah Copper company's mammoth concentrating mill will be carried forward at a very rapid pace without further delay was evidenced by the awarding of the contract for the steel buildings during the day.

Shortly before noon Manager D. C. Jackling notified G. W. Pope, the local manager of the Minneapolis Steel & Machinery company that he had won out in the competition and that the bid of his firm had been accepted. The contract, it is understood, calls for the construction of three of the largest buildings that are to adorn the site selected for the plant about four miles this side of the Garfield smelter. The main structure, or the concentrator building, will be 600x600 feet in dimensions and will include the fine and coarse crushing departments, ore bin and table sections. The machine shop will be 100x100 feet in dimensions and will be built of brick and steel frame, 50 feet wide and 150 feet long, and will be equipped with all the latest modern machinery. The warehouse will be built entirely of steel and is to be 50 feet wide and 105 feet in length.

The foundations for the machine shop, ore bin and warehouse are now being laid and the material for these structures will be hurried along with the next unit. It is expected that the first unit will be completed and ready for operation in the autumn of 1936, and this will be followed by the construction of the second unit, which is now being let to the same firm. The company will have facilities for the treatment of approximately 1,000 tons of ore per day, 8,000 tons at the new and 1,000 at the old mine in operation in lower Bingham canyon.

It will require 2,100 tons of structural steel for the buildings, and the material in the contract of the Minneapolis firm. Everybody around the offices of the successful firm, naturally, were in a good frame of mind. It was the day and the chief engineer of the company, Mr. H. A. Fitch, was present to join in the congratulations. This is the first building out at the Garfield smelter site.

WILL MINE IN NEVADA.
Ogdenites Organize the Goldfield-Eureka Mining Company.

Articles of incorporation of the Goldfield-Eureka Mining company have been filed with the county clerk of Western county, Nev., and the stock of \$100,000, divided into shares of the par value of \$1 each, of which amount, 62,000 shares are subscribed for. The officers of the company are H. C. Foy, president; Oscar B. Faidson, vice president; C. H. Hussey, secretary and treasurer; and David Mattson, secretary. The company owns the mining claims, Shepherd Pass and Pano in Goldfield mining district, and Zella Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and Jennie, located in Crystal Springs mining district of Nevada.

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

	Bid.	Asked.
Montana-Ton.	2 1/2	2 3/4
Ton. Midway	1 1/2	1 3/4
McNamara	32	35
North Star	1.90	1.95
Rescue	45	47
Gold Mountain	8	9
Jim Butler	63	64
Tonopah Con.	14.00	14.50
Tonopah Belmont	5.50	5.75
Redtop	94	96
Goldfield	67	65
Sandstorm	56	60
Savage	19	20
Adams	5	6
Mohawk	24	25
Dixie	6	8
Goldfield	11	12
Columbia Mtn	11	13
Jumbo	18	19
Extension	18	19
Black But	22	23
Silver Pick	10	11
Gold Anchor	80	82
Ohio-Tonopah	24	26
Goldfield	18	19
Diamondfield	33	35
Lone Star	7	9
Home-Tonopah	14	15
Cuba	13	14
Gold Bar	33	34
West End	1.17 1/2	1.20
Bullion	25	27
Belcher	19	20
Con. Virginia	135	140
Ophir	5.00	6.12 1/2
Caledonia	54	55
Mexican	1.25	1.40
Petrol	23	23
Petrol	9	10
Union	58	59
Jacket	26	27
Exchequer	26	27
Norcross	1.20	1.25
Andes	18	20
Scorpion	12	14

BONUS TO EMPLOYEES.

Denver, Dec. 12.—Announcement of a bonus to be paid next year to laborers in the Colorado plants of the American Smelting & Refining company for "faithful, continued and efficient service," was made today by Franklin Guetman, general manager of the company. The bonus is to be 5 per cent of the annual earnings of employees who work not less than 222 full shifts during the year and, according to the company's estimate, will increase its annual disbursement for labor in this state over \$100,000.

CONCENTRATES.

The equipment for the New Stockton company's leaching plant at Stockton is being installed.

Manager Lafayette Hanchett of the

Newhouse mines returned from Beaver county this forenoon.

C. A. Short, the well known State-line mining operator, departed for that southern camp again last night.

The ore and bullion settlements reported late yesterday were as follows: Crude ore and concentrates, \$28.80; base bullion, \$41.20.

The Silver Shield Mining company's directors levied an assessment yesterday of 3 cents a share which becomes delinquent on Jan. 13.

Karl Eilers of the American Smelting Securities company, and his secretary, Mr. Schmidt, departed for New York today, and will be absent until after the holidays.

The ore shipments via the Tonopah railroad for the week ending yesterday were as follows: Tonopah Mining company, 579 tons; Montana, 90 tons; Tonopah Extension, 435 tons; Belmont, 175 tons; Midway, 41 tons; West End, 44 tons; Nevada-Alpine, 30 tons; Tonopah Bonanza.

Matt Daugherty has returned from a trip to the Deep Creek country, and he talks very enthusiastically of the Clinton district, which proves to be the satisfaction of those interested in the enterprise that the ore goes down. Mr. Daugherty believes some good copper mines are to be opened up in the Clinton district.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. A. Fritch to John P. Thuesell, lot 21, etc., block 1, East Capitol, average.

C. D. Harding to Olan Deemer, lot 16, block 3, 1st addition.

C. D. Harding to Olan Deemer, lot 17, block 3, 1st addition.

William Sherman King to C. B. Brown, part of lot 4, block 20.

William T. Baker to Emma Home, land in section 22 township 1 south, land in section 22 township 1 south, range 1 west.

Lars Anderson to John T. Close, part of lot 1 block 12, part 4.

Lars Anderson to Sine M. Anderson, part of lot 7 block 12, part 4.

Frank D. Hughes to J. D. Hughes, part of lot 7 block 12.

Mary Ann Pollock to Gustav H. Backman, part of lot 7 block 20.

John A. North to C. A. North, land in section 23 township 1 south, range 1 west.

Hannah Walton to George H. Walton, part of lot 2 block 25, township 1 south, range 1 west.

L. C. Roeburn and wife to C. T. Hubbard, lots 16, etc., block 2, lot 16, etc., block 2.

A. H. Dunn and wife to Hubbard Investment company, lots 4, etc., block 1, Home sub.

Charles Thurlkill to Alexander J. George, S. Ashton and wife to Arthur J. Edwards, lot 22 block 1.

Samuel E. Bowler and wife to Kate Lester, lot 8, block 2, plat B.

RETURNED MISSIONARIES.

Have you a friend or acquaintance in your former field of labor, to whom you would like to send a copy of the Semi-Weekly News? If so, take advantage of our special offer, made to aid the great missionary work. We send the paper free to any point in the United States, Canada or Mexico at half price, \$1.00. This does not apply to points where there are regular carriers or Stakes. Foreign postage extra.

SOMETHING IN LEATHER

That's the thing to give a man if you want to please him at Christmas time. It is easy to select from our exceptionally fine line of leather goods, any one of which will mean more to the man who receives it than all the fussy things you could buy him. We have these goods for the comfort of travelers and stay-at-homes, and are showing some of them in our east window. Durability and quality mark the line throughout.

Schramm's
Where the Cars Stop.
The Great Prescription Drug Store.

Our New Catalogue.

Just Issued.

Mailed to any address.

DESERET NEWS BOOK STORE.

6 Main St., Salt Lake City, Utah.

But it is not a good substitute for it. Your store may be a

BETTER STORE

than that of the other man—but that will not make it a more profitable one unless your advertising is at least as good as his.

"Breed is Stronger Than Pasture."

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MARKET WAS DECIDEDLY BULLISH

Violent Advances in Lead and Smelting Stocks Was Continued.

DEMAND FOR THE RAILROADS.

Union Pacific Bought in Heavy Blocks—Credited With Rise of Nearly Four Points.

New York, Dec. 12.—Yesterday's violent advances in the lead and smelting stocks were continued in the stock market at the opening today, running sales of large blocks being made at widely varying quotations. Smelting was carried up an extreme, the preferred 2 1/2, and lead 2 1/2.

There was a heavy outpouring of stocks on the opening. The sales represented in part handsome gains that had accrued from recent purchases and efforts by the bears to turn the market. The smelting stocks fell back 2 to 3 1/2. Lead 1 1/2. American Express 1 1/2. Scattered gains were made during the height of the selling, none of which was retained. American had been up 3 1/2 and North American 2. An outbreak of bullish enthusiasm in Amalgamated Copper developed later, and it rushed up to par, carrying the list up with it. Sugar rose 1/4 over last night. Federal Mining preferred advanced 1/2 and Texas and Pacific 1.

Particular stocks were rushed up from time to time without much effect on the general list which did not more than half gain. Amalgamated Copper rose 2 1/2, very large dealings and some smelting and lead recovered to the best in sympathy. Distillers Securities advanced 2 1/2. United Railway 2 1/2. Kansas City Southern preferred 2 1/2 and U. S. Realty 2. Pacific Mail sold at a decline of 1/4. New York Dock and Lead preferred 1/4.

At noon bonds were steady. Buying swung around again into the stock market in sympathy with Union Pacific, which was bought in successive blocks of 100,000 to 2,000 shares, raising the price 1/2 over 2 points to 10 1/2. Brooklyn Transit and Northwestern gained a similar amount. St. Paul, Northern Pacific and L. & N. and Southern Pacific about half as much. The speculation continued broad and confident enough to permit this shifting of large operations, without affecting the specialties, which were the earlier leaders. Rock Island preferred, Canada Southern, Preferred Steel Car and U. S. Rubber first preferred, led a post-lunch rally.

The growth of bullish sentiment was fostered by the expanding demand for the better known railroad and industrial stocks. Large orders were placed in various stocks and the rapid improvement in the general market was credited with a rise of 3/4. Colorado Fuel also moved 1/2. Union Pacific, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha 3/4. Northwestern, C. & C. & St. Louis and Kansas City Southern preferred, 1/2. Union Pacific Street Railway 3/4. Gas 1 1/2 and New York Chicago & St. Illinois Central, Atchafalaya and Consolidated Gas 1 1/2 and New York Chicago & St. Louis second preferred, Wisconsin Central preferred, Pennsylvania and Louisville preferred, 1/2. Anaconda became heavy and sold down to 19 1/2 below yesterday.

LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO.
Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market steady. Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; market steady. Pigs—Receipts, 22,000; market steady.

OMAHA.
Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 1,500; market steady. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500; market steady. Pigs—Receipts, 1,500; market steady.

KANSAS CITY.
Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; market steady. Hogs—Receipts, 1,