MINING STOCK BUSINESS

Small Stocks in Big Blocks the Order in the Pit Today.

FOUR ACES STILL IN THE ASCENDANT.

Joe Bowers Vein Widening—Mammoth Dividend Comes—Cripple Creek's Outpour—Mining in California.

Quite early speaking, small stocks were the order on the exchange today, with a result that the asking value was not large, although a good many shares changed hands during the time the brokers sulked in the pit.

To begin with, Four Aces continued stronger and upward, and did business at 19½ and 19 cents, and closed with a bid of 19½ cents, while privately 19¾ was offered for the stock. Yesterday's auction sale that the mine had a new ore body seems to have been well founded, and it is attributed the stock's steady and yet entirely supportive. Passing Four Aces the markets contained those stocks with striking features, with derivations were reached, when shares went up 40 and 50 points in number and 10 and 20 points in quotations, or 100 per cent. Whether the stock was Brio, Iel Mammoth, Mammoth Dividend, Joe Bowers or Cripple Creek, it was the same story, the stock was active, the quotations were up, and the buyers were in the ascendancy. Mammoth Dividend was the leader in bid, although Joe Bowers was offered at 21c. Mammoth was quoted at 17c, Joe Bowers at 19½c, Cripple Creek at 10c, and Brio at 6½c. Mammoth was also in demand.

Dealing in the unlisted class, Dominion Coal is a seasoned candidate, and with bids made at $12.50 and offers at $13 it is a good investment, and Deadwood Terra, with bids at $1.25 and offers at $1.30, Little Pittsburg, Golden Eagle, Iron Silver, Ontario, Silver Bell, Alice, Alpha, Gem, Iron Blossom, Ophir, Rio Grande, Silver King, Tintic Standard, Uncle Sam, Yankee Girl