THE MINING MARKET.

A Miserable Day With the Stock Brokers on 'Change.

THAT IS, IN POINT OF TRADING.

Sales of Mercur, Mammoth, Hogan and Richmond-Anaconda—Dips and Spurs.

In point of trading this was a miserable day in the pit of the Stock Exchange. The brokers were well represented, but that spirit of business which should characterize proceedings of the kind, was conspicuous only by its absence. But two of the listed properties chronicled sales—Mercur and Mammoth—both of which brought substantial figures. Of the former 100 shares was sold, while the transfers of the latter amounted to 150 shares. The interest of the day centered on these two stocks, and more of each would have been readily taken had it been offered at figures not a trifle less than the lowest asking quotations. Silver King stock could not be persuaded on the market, notwithstanding the fact that a bid of $18.05 was made for a board lot, and one of $16.50 for 50 shares.

Hogan and Richmond Anaconda furnished the tenders on the unlisted side, the former parting with 600 shares and the latter with 1,000. Utah (Tintic) took the initiative in the sell and was offered at $1.25 but received no bids. Electrolytic moved upwards and was wanted at $1.10 but holders of the stock demanded $1.50, which quotation, of course, was too far apart to cause business. An effort was made to re-institute the former trades of Lily, Pittsburg, but it was of no avail, competition was not rife enough.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED STOCKS.

BOARD	BIDS	ASKED
Anchor	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alta	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alvarado		
Beck Tree	[illegible]	[illegible]
Black Jack		
Brooklyn Consolidated		
Carisa Gold	[illegible]	
Centennial-Eureka	[illegible]	
Cliff	[illegible]	
Colorado	[illegible]	[illegible]
Colliers	[illegible]	
Carbon & Lark	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dal. Bonanza Min.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eagle	[illegible]	
Fort Lion	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gemini	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grover	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hecla	[illegible]	
Iron Silver	[illegible]	
Mercur	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mammoth	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ontario	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ontario Consolidated	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rio Grande	[illegible]	[illegible]
Scottish Lion	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tintic	[illegible]	[illegible]

UNLISTED STOCKS.

BANK	BIDS	ASKED
Anaconda	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chief Consolidated	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. K. Mining Co.		
Dalton	[illegible]	[illegible]
Deep Creek		
Hecla (Butte, Montana)		
Hildebrand		
Richmond Anaconda	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sunset	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tetrazzini	[illegible]	[illegible]
Uncle Sam		
Union Treasure		
Utah & N. Y. (Oregon)		
Eagle	[illegible]	
Gemini	[illegible]	[illegible]
Crown Point		
Golden Fleece (Salt Lake)		
Northern Light	[illegible]	[illegible]
North Star		
North Bonanza		
Yellow Jacket	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bingham Consolidated		
Little Bevier		
Segregated Belmont		
Golden Star		
Spider Lake		
Red Rock		
Star of M. Co.		
Lion (Tintic)	[illegible]	

TRANSFERS OF STOCKS.

One hundred shares of Mercur at $7; 150 Mammoth at $3; 600 Hogan at 30 cents; 1,000 Richmond Anaconda at 3 cents. Total shares sold, 1,850.

THE WILLOW CREEK DISTRICT.

A Rich Mining Camp in Idaho, in Which Salt Lakers Are Great-ly Interested.

Accruing to the Boise Statesman W. H. Remington left that city for Salt Lake on Tuesday. He will return in perhaps two weeks to look after his interests there. Mr. Remington and Mr. Crane have purchased the Hodges and Chubb claims and consolidated them with the Bankers Alliance and Big Tidie, the four forming a compact group. After some development works determine the extent of the ore bodies, the property will be incorporated, the various owners taking stock for their interests.

A shaft is to be sunk at once on the Bankers' Alliance to a depth of 100 feet, a contract having been let during the recent visit to the camp.

These claims all make a good showing, in fact, much better than was represented to Messrs. Crane and Remington. It was Harry Timmons, one of the owners of the properties, who induced the Salt Lake gentlemen to take hold of them. He represented that they had $2 worth of ore in their discovery shaft that was pay. When Mr. Remington examined the property he found the 33 inches so hard been stoped, but he at once saw that the footwall wall had not been disclosed, a seam in the vein having been mistaken for it. He directed the men to cut into the supposed wall, and in a little while an additional four feet of ore had been developed. They tell a the entire seven feet is worth $60 a ton in gold.

Messrs. Crane and Remington were immensely pleased with the Willow Creek district. They valued a number of properties and found all of them much better than they anticipated. Among the properties inspected were the Leviathan, Clearwater and the Friday, all of which they found to be developing into big mines. In the Clearwater a cross tunnel being run to open the vein at a point north. Mr. Remington stated that the Friday showed a second ledge that seems to be very good.

In talking about the district Mr. Remington stated that he had never before seen any mining section that gave such promise of a rich future. He found that in every case where work has been done the veins rapidly increased with depth, and a large number of properties have already been shown to be valuable mines.

"Why," said Mr. Remington, "if that district were in Colorado there would be 10,000 men in it. If it were in Utah it would have a large population and would be widely heralded as one of the mineral phenomena of the times. If such a man as G. H. Robinson could be induced to inspect the district and make a report upon it to the public press there would at once be a great influx of mining men anxious to secure a foothold in a region of such great promise. There is no reason why the district should not become famous, and it certainly will, sooner or later, the mining world will hear that it has no superior among the gold bearing sections of the West."

Dips and Spurs.

Three hundred feet of tunnel work is about to be done on the Maud mine at Bingham.

The latest strike of ore in the Gold Dust at Mercur shows values of .31 and $12 per ton.

The Anchor mine in Park City has been closed down for a few days to allow the carrying on of necessary repair work.

A magnificent specimen of ore from the Iron Dollar mine at Willow Creek has been received at the Boise, Idaho, Mining Exchange. It assays $400 gold and $90 silver to the ton.

The Sunshine Mining company has tested some of its ore by roasting before applying the cyanide process. The results are highly satisfactory and a large per cent of the values is saved.

C. F. Alley was in Elmira a few days ago representing a syndicate of Eagle and New York capitalists who are negotiating to purchase the Berlier mine of Mr. Lammendorf.

The Northern Crescent says that Tom Ferguson of Salt Lake was in Montpelier last Thursday night on his way to Marysville. He is looking after mining interests and his visit means something.

Preston, Idaho, New Era: Wednesday last, just after we had gone to press, we were informed that a rich strike had been made about five miles east of town, one having been discovered that went as high as 800 ounces silver to the ton. We thought this was too good to be true, but camps who have been up there confirm the report and say the hills all around in that vicinity are staked off in claims, and others say there is nothing in it, but one thing is certain, the excitement has extended considerably.

An interesting development, says the Boise Statesman, has occurred in the Neal mine where Mr. Howe has demonstrated the existence of a second vein parallel with the original ledge. This parallel lode is about 150 feet south of the vein heretofore worked and promises to be fully as good as the older. It has been opened at the surface where it shows over ten feet of ore of good grade. If the indications regarding this new discovery should be borne out by future developments, the Hidden Treasure will become one of the greatest mines of the country. The mine has already been known to be one of very great value, and it its value is doubt or the property will be phenomenal.

In the European Mission.

(Millennial Star, April 2.)

ARRIVALS.—The following named Utah Elders arrived in Liverpool per American Line steamer Belgenland on April 17, 1896: For the British mission—Edwin F. Parry and George Hilton of Salt Lake City; H. C. Jacobs Jr. of Ogden; Henry Bleeksurtz of Orderville; Joseph G. Schofield of Spring City. For the Scandinavian mission—Anton P. N. Peterson of Sanpete; Thos. Halvorson of Spanish Fork; P. P. Hagland of Brigham City. For the Swiss and German mission—John Zwahlen of Ferron. The Elders for Scandinavia continued their journey toward Copenhagen on the afternoon of the 17th, and Elder Zwahlen proceeded towards Berne on the 18th. All were feeling well.

Aboard the Anchor company's steamer Waesland, on April 22, 1896, there arrived: For the British mission—William Cantwell and John W. Robertson of Salt Lake City; Joseph H. Hammons of Moroni, Colorado; Joseph S. Broadbent and Joseph F. Bassett of Lehi; Abel M. Roper of Oak City; Peter Allen of Bind City. For the Scandinavian mission—Christian Johnson of Thurber; George A. Sanders of South Cottonwood; Charles A. Thompson of Oasis; Henry Wing of Provo. For the Swiss and German mission—Arthur W. Hart of Logan; Isaac H. Barton of Salt Lake City. With this company came James Owens of Fairview, Wyoming; Mrs. Agnes E. Barton and Miss Barbara B. Barton of Salt Lake City, who are over on a visit.

Appointments—Elder Edwin F. Parry has been appointed to labor in the Liverpool office.

Elder George Hilton has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the London conference.

Elders H. C. Jacobs Jr. and Abel M. Roper have been appointed to labor as traveling Elders in the Sheffield conference.

Elder Henry Bleeksurtz has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the Nottingham conference.

Elder Joseph G. Schofield has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the Leeds conference.

Elders William Cantwell, John W. Robertson and Peter Allen have been appointed to labor as traveling Elders in the Scottish conference.

Elder John H. Hammons has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the Liverpool conference.

Elder Joseph S. Broadbent has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the Manchester conference.

Elder Joseph F. Bassett has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the Birmingham conference.

The Weather.

The general and local forecast for the thirty-six hours ending 8 p. m. tomorrow, as given to Observer Smith, is as follows: For Utah, cloudy and probably light rain tonight, warmer Friday afternoon; Salt Lake City and vicinity, fair and warmer.

IMPORTANT LAWS

Passed at the Recent Session of the State Legislature.

MECHANICS' LIENS.

An act to amend Chapter XLI of the Session Laws of 1894, being "An act to secure liens to mechanics and others by adding sections 17 thereto, providing for attorneys' fees or fees therein, and to repeal all other acts and laws in relation thereto."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. Chapter XLI of the Session Laws of 1894, being "An act to secure liens to mechanics and others, and to repeal all other acts and laws in relation thereto," is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be called section 17, as follows:

Sec. 17. In any action brought to enforce any lien under this act, where judgment is rendered for a lien-holder, such lienholder shall be entitled to receive a reasonable attorney's fee, not to exceed $25, to be fixed by the court, which shall be taxed as costs in the action.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon approval.

Approved April 4, 1896.

PROTECTING CLAIMS FOR WAGES.

An act to protect employes, servants and laborers in their claims for wages.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. That hereafter, when the property of any company, corporation, firm or person shall be seized upon by any process of any court of this State, or when upon judgment shall be rendered by the action of creditors, or be put into the hands of a receiver, assignee or trustee, then in all such cases the debt owing to employes, laborers or servants, for work or labor performed within one year next preceding the seizure or transfer of such property, shall be considered and treated as preferred debts, and such laborers, servants or employes shall be preferred creditors, and shall be paid in full, and if there be not sufficient to pay them in full, then the same shall be paid in ratio per rata, after paying costs. Any such employe, laborer or servant neglecting to enforce his or her claim for wages under this act, shall present a statement, under oath, showing the amount due after allowing all just credits and set-offs, the kind of work for which such wages are due, and when performed, to the officer, person or court charged with such property, within ten days after the seizure thereof or any writ of attachment, or within thirty days after the same may have been placed in the hands of any receiver or trustee; and any person with whom such claim shall have been filed, shall give immediate notice thereof by mail to all persons interested, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the person or the court receiving such statement to pay the amount of such claim or claims to the person or persons entitled thereto (after first paying all moneys expended by the seizure of such property) out of the proceeds of the sale of the property seized; Provided, That any person interested may contest such claim or claims, or any part thereof, by filing exceptions thereto, supported by affidavit, with the officer having the custody of such property, within ten days after the notice of presentment of said statement and thereupon the claimant shall be required to remove his claim to judgment before some court having jurisdiction thereof, before any part thereof shall be paid, and the party contesting shall be made a party defendant in any such action and shall have the right to contest such claim, and the prevailing party shall recover his proper costs.

Sec. 2. An act entitled "An act to protect employes and laborers in their claims for wages, approved March 10, 1892, is hereby repealed.

Provided, That the repeal of said act shall not affect any right or remedy, nor shall any suit or action or proceeding existing, instituted or pending under the law hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved March 13, 1896.

DISEASES AMONG SHEEP.

An act for the prevention of diseases among sheep, amendatory of Chapter LXVI of the laws of 1894, entitled "An act for the prevention of scab and other diseases among sheep," approved March 8, 1896.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. That all sheep owned, controlled or ranged in this State shall be thoroughly dipped at least once each year, in some preparation that will kill each one sheep. Any person or persons, firm, association or corporation, owning, controlling or ranging sheep in this state, violating the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction may be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars for each offense.

Sec. 2. An act entitled "An act for the prevention of scab and other diseases among sheep," approved March 8, 1896, of the session laws of 1894, is hereby repealed.

Approved March 14, 1896.

DAMAGES BY DOGS.

An act relating to the recovery of damages for injuries by dogs.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. Any person who owns or keeps any dog, shall be liable in damages for any injuries done by such dog; and it shall not be necessary in any action brought therefor, to allege or prove that such dog was of a vicious or mischievous disposition, nor that the person who owned or kept such dog, knew that he was vicious or mischievous.

Sec. 2. When an injury has been committed by two or more dogs acting in concert, owned or kept by different persons, all such persons may be joined as defendants in the same action to recover such damages therefor, and be

Plain Talk

There is something wrong going on in this state, in this county, in this town, and, maybe, in your home.

This wrong can be righted. We are aware of the wrong—you are not—and we know the remedy; but, if you apply the remedy, you help us.

What shall we do? Shall we keep silent because helping you helps us too?

As we do not pretend to serve you except for our own sakes, it cannot be said that we are hypocritical. We merely say: "Your interests and ours belong together. We shall tell you of our common danger; and it is for you to say whether we shall join our forces against it."

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[illegible] The only flock of gold [illegible] on [illegible].

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Free as the air we breathe. The salary for this feat is more than $1,000 per week. Positively to be seen daily at 11 a. m. on the show grounds.

See City Band the three horned monster.

Two menageries of wild beasts.

The most exciting news.

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Monster menagerie of rare animals. Ethnological congress of [illegible] and grand modern [illegible].

The only show having [illegible] working Elephants.

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Doors open at 1 and 7 p. m.

One hour given to inspect the animal, ethnological and special leisure department.

ADMISSION - - 50c.
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Immense Reductions to Effect a Great Clearance Sale.

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Hosiery and Socks will go to match in prices.

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At 50 cents on the dollar, to sell a lot. Sold only in strips of [illegible] yards.

75 Styles Ladies' Shirt Waists,

Choicest made this season, $1.00 to $2.25 each.
Also a lot of our waists, slightly soiled from handling, 45c and 75c each.
Worth from $1.00 to $3.00 each.
A line of Unlaundried Waists, 3 for $1.00, worth 75c each.

A CLEARANCE SALE ON SILKS

Prices 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c.

A Line of Silk Plushes,

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Public Debate.

Tomorrow (Friday) evening a public debate will be held at the Y. M. C. A. parlors under the auspices of the Public Debating club, the subject being "Free Trade vs Protection." The following is the program:

Solo—Aye, The Days (Wilson to End) [illegible]
Essay—Scotia S. Jackson and Ella Lucore Pierce [illegible]
Debate, Free Trade vs Protection—Affirmative [illegible]
Negative [illegible]
[illegible] Adams, Jas. Barker [illegible]
Recitation [illegible] Miss Mae Connell
Music [illegible] Mandolin and Guitar Club
Lecture on the Y. M. C. A. [illegible] H. H. [illegible]

The meeting commences at 8 o'clock and the parlors are [illegible].

Another Attempt to Settle.

A meeting of the Texas-Pacific [illegible] has been called for the 21st inst. in Denver to consider the question of rates from points east of the Mississippi. It would appear that an effort is to be made at the coming meeting of the transcontinental lines to come to an agreement with the Southern Pacific as to the rates from Ohio River points to the Gulf and the lines from the East on the other side of Texas to Galveston.