

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

DULL WEEK ON THE EXCHANGE.

Records Show That 75,085 Shares Of Mining Stocks Transferred For \$38,447.75

THE SLUMP IN DALY-WEST

Has Been Watched Closely — Butler-Liberal Makes Some Gains—Today's Quotations and Sales.

During the week 75,085 shares of mining stocks found a market on the floor of the Mining Exchange. For this \$38,447.75 was checked out in payment therefor.

The market has been anything but encouraging and there are few instances where any of the traders have shown improvement. Much interest has been taken in the movements of Daly-West which was bought down to \$21.25. The real cause of the depressed condition of the stock is still a matter of uncertainty to many, but those who have never lost faith, insist that it is all due to manipulation and nothing more. And, it would seem so, since the announcement has come from Boston, from which source the stock has received its worst knocks, that hereafter Daly-West will be a clearing house stock. This is emphasized more so by the fact that quotations show the stock at a strong today. Consolidated Mercier has gone backward this week; it opened weak, and it sold 7 cents per share lower today than it did on Monday last. Naturally, enough the slump on between Star Consolidated shareholders has had a depressing effect. Butler-Liberal is one of the few stocks which has ended with an advance. Tetra has dropped badly; but New York has strengthened. Grand Central brought \$4.80, but it was in little demand. The quotations and sales today were posted as follows:

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Alcoa	10	12 1/2
Alumina	1 1/2	1 5/8
Bullion	1 1/2	1 5/8
Carroll	6	6 1/2
Con. Mercier	45 1/2	46
Crozier	35	35 1/2
Daly	2 1/2	2 3/4
Daly-Judge	3 1/2	4 1/4
Daly-West	22	22 1/2
Grand Central	4 3/4	4 1/2
Horn Silver	1 30	1 30
Ingot	1	1 1/4
Lower Mammoth	29	30
May Day	6	6 1/2
Mammoth	6	6 1/2
Montana-Tonopah	1 30	1 50
Ontario	4 60	4 75
Sacramento	18 1/2	19
South Swansea	18 1/2	19
Star Con.	10	10 1/2
Sunshine	4	4 1/2
Swansea	10	10 1/2
Utah	62	63
United Sam Con.	18 1/2	19
United States Mill	20 1/2	21 1/2
Butler-Liberal	41	42
Rocco-Homestead	41	42
Century	75	76
Delton	1	1 1/4
Emerald	1 1/2	1 3/4
Joe Bowers	3 1/2	3 3/4
La Reine	2	2 1/4
Little Chief	1	1 1/4
Manhattan	3 1/2	3 3/4
Martha Washington	1 1/2	1 3/4
New York	12 1/2	12 3/4
Richmond Anaconda	4	4 1/2
Tetra	24	25
Victor	2	2 1/4
Yankee	40	42 1/2

REGULAR CALL SALES.

Consolidated Mercier, 100 at 48; 200 at 47 1/2; 100 at 36 1/2; 500 at 45; 500 at 10; 100 at 16 1/2; 100 at 46; 100 at 45; 500 at 45, seller 30.

Daly-West, 25 at 22.50; 10 at 22.25.

Yankee Con., 200 at 40.

OPEN BOARD SALES.

Butler-Liberal, 500 at 41 1/2; 500 at 41 1/2; Bullion Beck Tunnel, 500 at 45; Con. Mercier, 1,100 at 45 1/2; Daly-West, 100 at 22.25; Uncle Sam Con., 500 at 19 1/4.

RECAPITULATION.

	Shares.	Value.
Regular call	2,035	\$1,677.25
Open board	3,260	\$2,999.38
Total	5,295	\$4,676.63
Week's totals	75,085	\$38,447.75

INSPECTING CON. MERCUR.

C. A. Arents Will Study Moore Process At The Mercur Mine.

C. A. Arents, who is interested in a big gold proposition in Calaveras county, Cal., is in the city today, having stopped off on his way west from Kansas City for the purpose of investigating the merits of the Moore Process now being used at the Consolidated Mercur property in Mercur. The visitor called upon Manager George H. Peyton of the latter this morning, who has given him permission to look over the Con. Mercur's big plant. He will leave for the gold camp tomorrow morning and will probably spend a week or more in making the investigation.

Mr. Arents states his California proposition shows a vein of 14 feet in width and averages \$14 in gold in addition to its other contents. With the slimes problem overcome he sees profits ahead for a long time to come.

SAW GILL S. PEYTON.

Former Salt Lake Satisfied With His North Carolina Gold Mine.

While in Philadelphia recently Broker H. B. Cole ran across Gill S. Peyton, formerly of this city, but who is now operating a big gold property in North Carolina. Mr. Peyton has his business headquarters in the Quaker City, but makes his home at the mine, where his family is now very pleasantly located. Mr. Cole says the former Salt Lake is very enthusiastic over his Carolina proposition, which he has had equipped with a larger cyanide mill.

ASPHALTUM MINES CLOSED.

No More Shipments to Be Made From Fort Duchesne to Price.

The mines of the Gilson Asphaltum company have been closed down for an indefinite period and no more of the ore from Fort Duchesne are to come in to Price for shipment, says the Price Advocate. Superintendent Arthur J. Lee is now on the ground arranging for the care of the improvements and other matters in connection with the suspension of operations.

The six six-horse outfit have

STAR CON. BOOKS IN BAD CONDITION.

Credentials Committee Being Unable to Ascertain Who Stockholders Are Asked for Time.

MEETING AGAIN ADJOURNED.

Will Come Together Again Next Saturday—Bitter Opposition to Mr. Landers and His Proposition.

ern shareholders in the Buckhorn mine at Ophir, has returned from making an inspection of that property. He expressed himself as being well pleased with the appearance of the mine.

James Healy, who served the Tonopah-Salt Lake Mining company as a shareholder for a long time, has returned from the big Nevada camp. He says R. L. Colborn and Zed Kendall are doing well in the new camp of Goldfield.

The special stockholders' meetings of the Ben Harrison and Beaver Consolidated Mining companies, called to direct the action of the boards of directors consolidating the properties, has been postponed until next Monday. The meetings were called for yesterday.

The board of governors of the Boston Mining exchange has made the announcement that Daly-West has been made a clearing house stock. The announcement was made yesterday afternoon and the news was received with considerable satisfaction locally. Under this arrangement it will be difficult matter to mislead the public by "wash sales."

Just as we go to press a report is in circulation that the consolidation of the mines owned by the Hamshorn Co., at Bayre, and the mines owned by the Clayton M. & S. company at Clayton and Bayhorse have been perfected. The sale is said to have been made to eastern capitalists and involves at least \$2,000,000. This means the operating of these great mines again, and the great revival of the mining industry ever known in Custer county. It also means the extending of the Mackay railroad to Salmon river right away and the starting up of the camps of Bayhorse and Clayton.—Challis Messenger.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Arbor day and the double bank holiday have somewhat contributed this week to interrupt the course of the local stock market, which has of late showed a decided tendency to advance; Broker Burton reports much more activity among investors and numerous sales of the steady dividend payers being in good demand with but few shares to be had. Fremont county stock has been dealt in quite largely and is practically gone off the market for the time.

Following are the latest quotations:

For years the enterprise which did not look good to DeLamar but was snapped up by the Utah Copper people has been incubating. It was a slow-process egg, but its hatching was inevitable. It is now pointed out to The Bulletin as absurd that Col. Wall and any others who may have been on the inside, having knowledge based on demonstrated facts that immense results would follow treatment of the altered porphyry on a large scale, would