

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS.

BUSINESS IS BETTER TODAY

Grand Central Sells Today Beyond the \$6.00 Mark.

JOE BOWERS MUCH WEAKER

Bowers Extension Moves Up-South Swensen Sells Away Down-Daily is Stronger.

TODAY'S METALS:

SILVER 59
LEAD \$4.40
CASTING COPPER 15 1/2

A very noticeable improvement is seen in the day's business on the exchange, though prices on the whole were lower. Grand Central was active around \$6.00 and Daisy recorded sales up to 12 but Joe Bowers weakened to 14 1/2. The impending suit affected South Swensen, futures on which went to 1 1/2. Yankee Consolidated shows a falling off. The same is noticeable of May Day which was traded in below 60. Northern Light hung around 16, Petro went at 3 1/2 and Sacramento at 3 1/4. Golden Eagle fell to 5 1/2 while Bowers Extension went up to 8 and Four Aces sold at 5 1/2.

Quotations were posted as follows:

LIVESTOCK.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Alma	65	1.25
Albion	65	1.00
Alice M.	8.00	4.00
Bullion-Beck	17	30
Chicago Point	17	30
Congor	5	12 1/2
Daisy	12 1/2	12 1/2
Daily West	12 1/2	12 1/2
Dillon and Lark	5	6
Dexter	2.25	2.00
Eagle and Blue Bell	1.50	1.57
Four Aces	5 1/2	5 1/2
Geyser-Marion	20	20
Galena King	10	10
Galena	10	10
Golden Gate Extension	6.07	6.10
Grand Central	1.00	1.25
Herschel	1	2
Horn Silver	1.00	1.25
Ingot	2 1/2	2 1/2
Lower Mammoth	2.75	2.85
Mammoth	6.00	6.85
Mercur	1.50	1.50
Northern Light	16	16
Omaha	5.50	10.00
Petro	34	34 1/2
Sacramento	31	31 1/2
Sanbeam	50	50 1/2
Sunshine	51.00	51.00
Silver King	23	23
Star Consolidated	23	23
Swansea	3.85	3.85
South Swensen	1.25	1.24
Sacramento Coal	38	38 1/2
Showers	21	21
Valer	45	45
Utah	45	45

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Antler	2 1/2	2 1/2
Bunker Hill	4	4 1/2
Blue Bird Extension	4 1/2	4 1/2
Blue Bird	4 1/2	4 1/2
Boston De La Mar	1 1/2	1 1/2
Buckeye	10	10
Diamond Consolidated	10	10
Fraser	2 1/2	2 1/2
Golden Eagle	5 1/2	5 1/2
Olney Blair	6 1/2	6 1/2
Hercules	1	1 1/2
Homestake	1 1/2	1 1/2
International	14 1/2	14 1/2
Joe Bowers	14 1/2	14 1/2
Joe Bowers Extension	8	8
Kremmlin	3	3
La Relne	60	1.00
Little Chief	5 1/2	5 1/2
Little Pittsburgh	4	4 1/2
Manhattan	3 1/2	3 1/2
Martha Washington	10 1/2	10 1/2
May Day	1	1
Midnight	1	1
Northern Swensen	1	1
Orient	1	1
Richmond Anacoda	20	1.00
San Swen	20	1.00
Silver Cloud	20	1.00
Tetro	6 1/2	6 1/2
West Mountain Placer	26	45
Yankee Consolidated	12 1/2	12 1/2

TODAY'S TRANSACTIONS.

Daisy—5,000 at 12; 5,000 at 12 1/2; 1,000 at 13 1/2; 1,000 at 13 1/2.
Four Aces—1,000 at 5 1/2.
Grand Central—500 at 6 1/2; 100 at 6 1/2; 400 at 6 1/2; 500 at 6 1/2; 1,000 at 6 1/2.
Northern Light—500 at 16 1/2; 1,000 at 16 1/2.
Petro—500 at 34 1/2.
Sunshine—500 at 51.
Star Consolidated—1,000 at 23; 200 at 23.
Showers Consolidated—100 at 28; 500 at 28.
South Swensen—500 at 1 1/2; 500 at 1 1/2; 1,000 at 1 1/2; 500 at 1 1/2; 500 at 1 1/2.
Joe Bowers—1,000 at 14 1/2; 500 at 14 1/2; 500 at 14 1/2; 500 at 14 1/2; 500 at 14 1/2.
Joe Bowers Extension—1,000 at 8; 500 at 8; 500 at 8; 500 at 8; 500 at 8.
Kremmlin—1,000 at 3; 500 at 3; 500 at 3; 500 at 3; 500 at 3.
La Relne—1,000 at 60; 500 at 60; 500 at 60; 500 at 60; 500 at 60.
Little Chief—1,000 at 5 1/2; 500 at 5 1/2; 500 at 5 1/2; 500 at 5 1/2; 500 at 5 1/2.
Little Pittsburgh—1,000 at 4; 500 at 4; 500 at 4; 500 at 4; 500 at 4.
Manhattan—1,000 at 3 1/2; 500 at 3 1/2; 500 at 3 1/2; 500 at 3 1/2; 500 at 3 1/2.
Martha Washington—1,000 at 10 1/2; 500 at 10 1/2; 500 at 10 1/2; 500 at 10 1/2; 500 at 10 1/2.
May Day—1,000 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1.
Midnight—1,000 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1.
Northern Swensen—1,000 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1.
Orient—1,000 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1; 500 at 1.
Richmond Anacoda—1,000 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20.
San Swen—1,000 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20.
Silver Cloud—1,000 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20; 500 at 20.
Tetro—1,000 at 6 1/2; 500 at 6 1/2; 500 at 6 1/2; 500 at 6 1/2; 500 at 6 1/2.
West Mountain Placer—1,000 at 26; 500 at 26; 500 at 26; 500 at 26; 500 at 26.
Yankee Consolidated—1,000 at 12 1/2; 500 at 12 1/2; 500 at 12 1/2; 500 at 12 1/2; 500 at 12 1/2.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

San Francisco, Dec. 5.—Wheat—Steady; Dec. 5, 1900, 1.07 1/2; cash, 1.07 1/2. Barley not quoted, cash barley, 85¢.

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TRADING BECAME ACTIVE

But the Wall Street Stock Market Was Irregular.

Interest on Call Money Higher—Live Stock Market Lower—Produce Market Strong.

New York, Dec. 5.—Opening prices in the stock market favored both accounts with a preponderance of losses. The railways were slightly lower with but few exceptions. The specialties rose strongly in spots, notably American Insulated preferred and Pacific mail. Irregularly became more pronounced but the losses were confined to a half dozen obscure stocks, which lost 1 to 2 points. Sugar and leather were in good demand and over a point better. St. Paul's favorable weekly statement had a beneficial effect on western railroads, but there was no conspicuous demand. Trading became considerably more active at the expense of values after a slight downward movement. Sugar initiated the downward break with a drop of two points and was followed by the general run of specialties. There was realizing in the Pacific and Baltimore & Ohio and general selling reached a point in a number of prominent stocks. Governing at the decline of the list but it became more quiet. Prices for bonds were shaded slightly.

MONEY AND BONDS.

Money on call strong at 7 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 1/2 to 6 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4 1/2 per cent for 60 days; posted rate 4 1/2 per cent, and 4 1/2 per cent; commercial bills 4 1/2 per cent. Silver certificates—5 1/2 per cent. Bar silver—59. Mexican dollars—47 1/2. U. S. 6 1/2 per cent, 1907, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1908, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1909, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1910, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1911, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1912, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1913, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1914, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1915, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1916, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1917, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1918, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1919, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1920, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1921, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1922, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1923, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1924, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1925, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1926, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1927, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1928, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1929, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1930, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1931, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1932, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1933, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1934, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1935, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1936, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1937, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1938, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1939, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1940, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1941, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1942, 104; 6 1/2 per cent, 1943, 104; 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