

MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

DOINGS OF THE STOCK BROKERS.

Volume of Business Light This Forenoon But Stocks Showed Better Tone.

TETRO STIFFENS AGAIN.

Consolidated Mercur Remained Firm—Lower Mammoth Slightly Higher—Closing Quotations and Sales.

While the trading done on the floor of the Mining Exchange this forenoon was by no means heavy, a few stocks pulled through the call stronger.

Tetro went up to 31 cents. A shade higher than yesterday. Consolidated Mercur held its own without fluctuation during the regular call, but advanced a cent a share on the open board.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Stocks, Bid, Asked. Lists various mining stocks like Alice, Ajax, Bullion, etc.

REGULAR CALL SALES.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price. Lists sales for Ajax, Con. Mercur, etc.

OPEN BOARD SALES.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price. Lists sales for Grand Central, Lower Mammoth, etc.

RECAPITULATION.

Table with columns: Category, Amount. Lists totals for Regular Call, Open Board, etc.

IN FROM BALAKALLA.

Grant Snyder in Conference With Western Exploration Officials Today.

Grant Snyder, assistant general manager of the Balakallala mines of the Western Exploration company, arrived yesterday and was in conference with local officials of the company today.

THE NEVADA-ALPINE.

A Vein of High Grade Ore Encountered Showing Astonishing Values.

News of a most encouraging nature continues to come from the Nevada Alpine mine, near Tonopah, which paid its fortunate owners an initial dividend of \$70,000 towards the close of last year.

THE TRAPPER'S PRIDE.

Supt. McLain Has Opened Up a 27-Foot Vein of Ore.

Supt. A. D. McLain of the Trapper's pride mine, near Marysville, has sent Manager F. W. Maden an encouraging budget of news concerning physical conditions at that property.

CYANIDE MILL BURNED.

Florence, Colo., Jan. 21.—The cyanide mill of the United States Reduction & Refining Company, two miles north of this city, was destroyed by fire this morning, entailing a loss estimated at from \$75,000 to \$125,000.

Some of the machinery of the above plant was being sent to Bingham for use in the big concentrating mill being built there by the Utah Copper company, which is comprised of U. S. R. & R. company officials.

IN OTHER OIL FIELDS.

Guffey and Galey Have Leased 130,000 Acres on Osage Reservation.

Oklahoma an the Indian Territory are rapidly coming to the front as oil producers, says an exchange.

The monthly production is something more than 40,000 barrels. Nearly all of this oil is produced within the Osage Reservation in Oklahoma.

The Hartford-Osage Illuminating Oil Co. has been operating a 6,000-acre lease at Guffey and Galey, several months ago leased about 130,000 acres of oil lands in the Osage Reservation.

Kearns-Keith Annual.

At the second annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kearns-Keith Mining company, held yesterday, a board of directors was chosen, which organized as follows: Thomas Kearns, president; David Keith, vice president; and Frank Westcott, secretary and treasurer.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MINES.

Output Last Year Showed an Increase of Nearly \$2,000,000.

A bulletin issued by the bureau of provincial information for British Columbia, reviewing the industrial conditions of the past year, gives the output of the mineraliferous mines of the province at 1,270,000 tons.

ALL OVER OIL LANDS.

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RADIUM THE PRECIOUS METAL.

Light Shed on How it is Obtained By A. Selwyn Brown, a Mining Engineer.

VALUE \$2,721,000 A POUND.

Even at This Exorbitant Price the Demand, It is Said, Exceeds the Supply.

In a recent contribution to the Mining and Scientific Press, A. Selwyn Brown, M. E., tells how radium is obtained. Since this rare metal has been found to exist in this state it is not lacking in local interest.

"Few chemical discoveries in recent years have been so valuable, or have created keener interest, than the brilliant investigations that led up to the separation of radium and the examination of many of its chemical, physical and physiological properties.

"The present value of radium is \$2,721,000 per pound, and it is by far the most expensive of all the metals. Even at this extraordinary price the demand far exceeds the supply, and there is consequently a fine incentive to search for radium ores.

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Today's Metal Quotations.

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

SILVER, - - - 56 1/2%
COPPER, casting - 12
" electro. 12 5-16
LEAD, - - - \$3.50

New York Quotations:

LEAD, - - - \$4.50
COPPER, 12 3/4 @ 13

LOCAL MARKETS.

In the local retail markets there has been a rise again in eggs, and butter is becoming firmer. Lemons are weaker, being off 50 cents per box.

FAIRM PRODUCTS.

Alfalfa, per cwt. baled, \$1.65
Timothy, per cwt. baled, 1.30
Wheat, per bushel, 1.00
Corn, per 100 pounds, 1.35

MEATS AND POULTRY.

Dressed beef, per pound, 12 1/2 to 20c
Dressed pork, per pound, 15 to 17 1/2c
Dressed mutton, per pound, 12 1/2 to 17 1/2c

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Butter, per pound, 25 to 30c
Cheese, per pound, 20 to 25c
Eggs, per case, \$9.50 and \$11.00

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.

Calif. Cauliflower, per pound, 20c
Oranges, per box, 25 to 50c
Limes, per 100, \$4.00
California radishes, per bunch, .05

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market slow. Good to prime steers, 2.90 to 3.00; cows and heifers, 2.50 to 2.75.

FISH.

Western salmon, per pound, 17 1/2c
Steel head salmon, per pound, 17c
Halibut, per pound, 15c

Mrs. Bowers found Guilty.

San Francisco, Jan. 21.—The jury in the case of Martha N. Bowers on the trial on the charge of murdering her husband, Martin Bowers, today found her guilty of murder in the first degree, and fixed the penalty at imprisonment for life.

Seized by Tramps.

New York, Jan. 21.—The secretary of the French legation, M. Falancier, has been seized by tramps while in the suburbs and bound to a tree, cables the Herald's Lima, Peru, correspondent. He remained there several hours, and was finally liberated by a passing Indian.

Only the Bible Was Saved.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Of all the articles for use in the religious services of Central church taken from the Iroquois theater day before the fire, only the Bible escaped destruction. It covers were burned off, and the pages charred, but every word of the text remains. Besides the Bible there were taken to the theater two puppets, a communion service and some linen.

Simon S. Goldman Dead.

New York, Jan. 21.—Simon S. Goldman, said to have been the inventor of the "lock" for the sewing machine, died of heart disease at his home here.

ANOTHER HOME INDUSTRY.

One That Reflects Credit on the Promoters. Under the management of Joseph V. Smith, the Western Knitting Co., whose president is Wm. H. Smart, and whose secretary and treasurer is J. H. Garrett, have installed a knitting plant which for capacity and superlative work is said to be unsurpassed anywhere west of the Missouri river.

MARKET WAS BROAD AND ACTIVE.

Standard Railroad Stocks Were Heavily Bought, Lifting Others.

SPECULATION'S TONE STRONG.

Demand for First Rankers Drove in a Number of Obsolete Shorts.

New York, Jan. 21.—There was special strength in a number of usually inconspicuous stocks today and the market showed decided breadth and activity.

The demand for stocks of the first rank drove in some obsolete shorts and speculation took on a strong tone. Louisville & Nashville, Pennsylvania, Southern Railway, the southwesters, Tennessee Coal, United States Steel preferred and a number of less well known stocks were conspicuous in the midday rise.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Jan. 21.—Butter, irregular. Creamery, 19 1/2; dairy, 14 1/2. Eggs—Firm, Western, 23 1/2. Sugar—Raw, nominal. Fair refining, 27-28; centrifugal, 30 test, 11-12; molasses, 21-22. Refined is dull; crushed, 5.00; powdered, 4.50; granulated, 4.45.

WOOL.

St. Louis, Jan. 21.—Wool, nominal. Territory and western mediums, 18 1/2; fine medium, 19 1/2; fine, 20 1/2.

Russians Will Fight Russia.

Columbus, O., Jan. 21.—Albert Baker, a young flour and feed dealer, declares that in the event of war between Russia and Japan he and twenty of his countrymen now here will sail for Japan and tender their services against Russia.

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OMAHA.

South Omaha, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; market steady. Native steers, 3.40 to 3.50; cows and heifers, 2.80 to 3.00.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; market steady to strong. Native steers, 3.60 to 3.75; cows and heifers, 2.80 to 3.00.

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Time Table In Effect Nov. 22 1903.

ARRIVE. From Ogden, Portland, Butte, San Francisco, Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha and Liverpool, 8:30 a. m.

DEPART. For Ogden, Omaha, Chicago, Denver, Kansas City and St. Louis, 6:00 a. m.

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THE DENVER & RIO GRANDE AND THE RIO GRANDE WESTERN

Current Time Table. In effect Nov. 22nd, 1903.

LEAVE SALT LAKE CITY. No. 10—For Bingham, Heber, Provo and Marysville, 8:00 a. m.

ARRIVE SALT LAKE CITY. No. 10—From Ogden and the West, 8:00 a. m.

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