MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS.

DEPTH IMPROVES BISCUIT STRIKE

Winze From 900 Follows Streak of Ore Which Has Widened to Several Feet on 1,000 Level.

Reports from the Biscult Mining company's property in Nevada state that the recent strike of a foot of high grade ore about 80 feet below the 900 level has developed into an ore body which covers the bottom of the winze from that level. Samples of the ore which have reached the office from Supt. J.

that level. Samples of the ore which have reached the office from Supt. J. C. Williams, are characteristic of the high grade silver ores for which the mine is noted, assays showing several fundred ounces of silver, in the form of chlorides, per ton.

Manager A. E. Hyde, Jr., states that the winze is now down to the 1,000 level, from which point the company will orift on the vein and explore the new strike which is considered of great importance. Later the company will sink the shaft to the 1,000 level, but not before some exploratory work is done on that level.

The ores of the mine are entirely non-sulphurous, and in addition to carrying high silver values, the rock is better than 90 per cent pure silica, and as such is an ideal lining for smelter furnaces. On this account the management of the Biscult Mining company hopes to be able to make a good contract for the treatment of the ores of the mine, of which there are large quantities of low grade in sight at the present time.

The assessment which becomes due Dec. 16, is said to be coming in satisfactorily. It will put \$9,300 in the treasury and in addition to enabling the company to pay off its debts will provide working capital for two or three months at the present rate of expenditure.

MARKET INACTIVE TODAY.

Sioux Con. Drops 9 39-Colorado and Iron Blossom Firmer.

The mining stock market received little support today from the investor, and as a result the exchange call was practically featureless. The value of the stocks sold on the regular call and the open board this morning amounted to a little less than \$20,000, which represented more than \$9,000 shares of stocks.

stock.

On the stocks participating in the trading this morning only Colorado and Iron Blossom showed any gains. The former, opened at \$1 and strengthened up to \$3 while the latter advanced to 72.

Daly Judge came up with a small lot at \$5 and Red Warrior loosened up 100 at 4.40. Silver King was also traded in at \$4

in at \$4.

Sloux Con was the most active stock on the board, though the prices were forced down to a new low level. The favorable reports from the mine did not save the stock, which went down to 39 and closed at 40.

Lower Mammoth falled to maintain its advance of the past few days, and

its advance of the past few days, and declined at 48 this morning, at which price 400 shares changed hands. Mason Valley was a little firmer but Prince Con softened to \$1. Closing quotations

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.28 .10 .10 AFTERNOON SALES.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Beck Tunnel, 500 at 131½.
Colorado, 600 at 83; 200 at 85 buyer 60;
400 at 84; 200 at 83 seller 60.
Columbus, 1,100 at 1,52½; 300 at 1,50;
400 at 1,47½.
Grand Central, 200 at 2,45
Indian Queen, 1,000 at 3.
Inyo, 1,000 at 6.
Inyo, 1,000 at 6.
Iron Blossom, 100 at 73 seller 60; 1,100
at 73; 500 at 72; 100 at 73 seller 60.
Lower Mammoth, 100 at 46; 200 at 45.
Now York, 1,700 at 14.
Plutus, 1,500 at 4.
Seven Troughs, 200 at 3½; 400 at 9¼.

OPEN BOARD SALES.

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Black Jack, 3,000 at 3.
Columbus Com., 900 at 1.60.
Iron, Blossom, 4,000 at 72-74.
Mountain Lake, 1,000 at 4.
Tintic Central, 2,000 at 6.
Uncle Sam, 100 at 50.
Indian Queen, 500 at 3.
Obio, 190 at 5.30.
Cedar, 1,000 at 5.
Beck Tunnel, 1,000 at 14.
Federal Ely, 1,000 at 18.

FORENOON SAL Black Jack, 1,000 at 8%; 3,000 at 9. Colorado, 200 at 81; 200 at 82; 100 at

Colorado, 200 at 81; 200 at 82; 100 at 83;

Daly Judge, 10 at 5.00

E. Cr. Point, 1,000 at 1½

E. T. G. King, 2,000 at 1½

Grand Central, 100 at 2,42½

Ifon Bloss, 1,600 at 71; 500 at 71, buyer 30; 200 at 72

Lo. Mammoth, 400 at 48.

Mason Valley, 600 at 1.92½

Prince Con., 200 at 1.00; 400 at 1.02½

Prince Con., 200 at 4.40.

Silver King, 300 at 4.00.

Sioux Con., 500 at 42; 10,900 at 41; 100 at 40½; 2,800 at 40; 1,500 at 39½, 1,000 at 39; 1,000 at 40.

So. Col. Con., 2,000 at 8; 3,000 at 7½.

Tin. Central, 1,000 at 5½, seller 60.

Victoria, 25 at 1.50.

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TOTALS. 49,135 \$19,937.50

SILVER ORE DISCOVERY.

ames Fisher Reported to Have Made Valuable Find Near Utah Lake,

(Special to The News.)

Provo, Dec. 6.—It is reported that James Fisher has made some valuable discoveries of silver ore on the west side of Utah lake, and that a number of Salt Lake men interested with Mr. Fisher will commence development work on the property at an early date.

A. F. Pahn, the *rovo broker, has gone to the Beaver Lake Consolidated Mining company's mine for the purpose Mining company's mine for the purpose of making an examination of the prop-erty.

IS INSTALLING MACHINERY.

Nevada United Mines Company to

Have New Engine and Compressor. Have New Engine and Compressor.

The Nevada United Mines company of Ward is reported to be installing an air compressor with a capacity to handle three drills, a 40-horsepower gasoline engine weighing 12,000 pounds, and other machinery to be used in driving the tunnel that is designed to cut the Defiance vein at a depth of 400 feet. This vein has a width of from 800 to 500 feet at the surface and in the early days a large amount of ore carrying from 2,000 to 4,000 ounces of silver to the ton was shipped. The vein has never been worked below the 120 foot level. The tunnel is now in 265 feet, with 350 feet between the breast and the vein.

CHEERFUL AT CHERRY CREEK.

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Ely, Dec. 4.—Assessor Miles, who has
just returned from Cherry Creek, reports a better feeling among mine owners than there has been for years. A
great deal of assessment work is being
done, and some prospecting. The Star
mill is working steadily on the old
dumps, which are said to be giving
satisfactory returns. A large amount
of ore estimated to last several years
has been blocked out in the mine,
which the company will start extracting in the near future.

NEW COAL PRODUCER.

Utah Collieries Company Preparing to Ship 500 Tons a Day.

Ship 500 Tons a Day.

George W. Craig, one of the promoters of the Utah Collieries company at Scofield that recently purchased the coal mine formerly owned by Andrew Smith, says the company is making preparations for an extensive business as soon as spring opens up, says the Carbon County News. He made arrangements with Neil M. Madsen for headquarters in his office and for him to handle the coal business. Mr. Craig says that as soon as spring opens up the D. & R. G. railroad will be extended to the mine and that they will ship on an average of 500 tons of coal daily.

RECORD TONNAGE MONTH.

Huge Steptoe Smelter Takes Care of 190,000 Tons Ore in November.

The gross amount of ore handled from the mines through the Steptoe Valley Smelting & Mining company's plant at McGill during November was in excess of the tonnage handled during any other month in the history of the huge plant, says Ely Expositor. A total of 190,000 tons was transported over the line of the Nevada Northern from the mines to the smelter, and was

treated there, turning out the record amount of blister copper.

The copper output was between 5,750,000 and 6,000,000 pounds. With copper averaging close to 13 cents a pound, the gross income from the sale of this mass of red metal was approximately \$795,000.

It is believed that the topnage of ore handled during December, and the copper output for the same month, will run in excess of the high record established for November.

COPPER MERGER DELAY.

The New Plans Will Provide for Separate Amalgamations.

arate Amalgamations.

New York, Dec. 7.—The recent federal court Standard Oil decision is said to have changed the plans of the proposed copper merger and there may be some delay in effecting the combination.

It was stated that the new plans provide for separate amalgamations which will embrace the Cole-Ryan and Amalgamated properties on one hand and the Guggenheim Copper properties on the other.

These two combinations, it is sstated, will be the prelininary step to the greater consolidation.

PROVO LOOKING WELL.

Indications Point to Close Proximity Of Body of Lead Ore.

Of Body of Lead Orc.

At the property of the Provo Mining company development work is being pushed along as rapidly as possible under the direction of Del Roberts and the indications for the opening up of another nice body of orc could hardly be better. The drift which was run in for the purpose of cutting the main break is now in the iron and manganese formation and the showing leads to the belief that the lead ore will be opened up with the next few days.

The Provo is being worked by local parties who have a lease upon the ground. This lease expires on the first of March but the directors of the company have signified their willingness to allow an extension. The Provo will no doubt join the list of shippers before many weeks as the ore has already been opened up upon two of the levels of the mine. There will be no let up in the development work at this property.—Eureka Reporter.

CENTRAL STATES METALS.

Production Shrunk Over 27 Per Cent During the Year 1908.

During the Year 1908.

According to a report issued by the United States geological survey covering the silver, copper, lead and zinc production of the central states, which include Arkansas, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Oklahoma and Wisconsin, the production of those metals was more than 27 per cent lower in 1908 than in 1907, the figures being \$56,326,703 and \$7,687,457 respectively.

The most notable decrease was in the production of copper, which showed a loss of \$14,079,602 or more than 27 per cent, the figures for 1907 and 1908 being \$43,553,466 and \$29,473,844.

The loss in lead production in these states amounted to \$2,633,850, or 17 per cent, principally in Missouri, the chief lead-mining and zinc-mining state in the country.

The loss in zinc production in this section—\$4,595,436, or 25 per cent—was divided among three states, Kansas, Missouri, and Wisconsin, The figures for 299, and 1908 are \$18,41,086 and \$13,-

UNCLE SAM MEETING.

Foregone Conclusion That Regular Dividend Will be Declared.

The monthly meetings of the Uncle Sam and May Day Mining companies are scheduled for tomorrow at the offices in the Dooly block. It is expected that the Uncle Sam will declare the regular monthly dividend of two cents a share. A report was also made of the Improved condition of the Uncle Sam by Supt. Griggs, who is expected in from Tintic in the morning for that purpose.

CONCENTRATES.

George S. Auerbach, who recently purchased Ed Sheets' seat on the Salt Lake Mining exchange, has been given the full privileges of the institution by the board of governors.

D. C. McDonald, of the McDonald Ely, reports encouraging progress on the Success. The company has en-countered what at present looks like a vein filling which runs astonishingly high in gold.

Neil McGill has taken a lease on the Chainman mine, mill and dump, and it is the intention of the leasers to have a large force at work on the property in the near future.—McGill Copper Ore.

James B. Haggin, president of the Cerro de Pasco Copper company, states to the Wall Street Journal that he has not been approached by any one to join in a combination to regulate the price of copper.

A hoist and cyanide tank are being installed at the Gold Chief mine, about six miles north of Callente. The shaft on the property is down 200 feet, and considerable exploratory work has been done, disclosing a great quantity of ore which is said to average about \$11 in gold per ton.

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RAILROAD NEWS

BRIDGE STEEL ARRIVES. Bamberger Road Will Now Proceed

Bamberger Road Will Now Proceed
With Ogden Structure.
The structural steel for the dry bridge
over the Union Pacific tracks at Thirty-first street, Ogden, has been received
by the Bamberger road, to be set up
as the weather will permit. The company expects to be running to Twentyfifth street and Lincoln avenue by Dec.
25, the Rapid Transit company furnishing the power. Two sub-power stations
are to be erected at Stockdale and Layton.

ROCK ISLAND REORGANIZATION Denver Rumors Giving Ridgway Easy Berth Prove III Founded.

Chicago, Dec. 6.-Reorganization of the Rock Island railroad was practi-cally completed today by the election of four new vice presidents to serve Hen-

WILL BUY

19 Con. Wogan & Mach. \$116.00
Deseret National Bank. \$296.00
5 First Natl. Bank, Ogden. \$318.00
10 State Bank of Utah. \$222.00
500 Utah Sugar Common. \$2.70
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ry Mudge, president. The following changes were announced:
James E. Gorman, formerly freight traffic manager of the Santa Fe, to be first vice president in charge of the freight traffic, succeeding W. B. Biddle: F. O. Melcher, to be second vice president in charge of operations, speceeding H. U. Mudge; John Sebastian, formerly passenger traffic manager, to be third vice president in charge of passenger traffic; E. S. Moore, formerly second assistant to the president, to be fourth vice president in charge of purchases, succeeding E. L. Pollock.
W. H. Moore, one of the owners of the Rock Island, said today.
"The deal whereby I and some of my friends have become interested in the Lehigh Valley road has no significance for the Rock Island. We have no interest in the Wabash, and the Lehigh Valley is not going to lease it so far as I know."

MUST GO ACCORDING TO LAW. Washington, Dec. 6.—In emphatic language the supreme court of the United states announced today its decision not to receive cases on certificates from lower courts until they have reached the proper stage for such certificates.

This announcement was made in the two important cases of the Southern Pucific and of the B. & O. Railroad commanies against the interstate commerce commission, the former involving the right of the commission to reduce rates, the latter the right of railroad companies to discriminate in the distribution of cars among coal mines. Washington, Dec. 6.-In emphatic lan

ANNUAL REPORT OF "THE MOP."

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St. Louis, Dec. 7.—The annual report of the Missouri Pacific Railway company issued today for the year ending June 30, showed a surplus of \$1.064.595. The gross revenues were \$46,385,542. The operating expenses were 72.1 per cent of the revenues.

In commenting on the report, President George Gould, said:
"Owing to the decreased revenues of the previous year, brought on by the severe business depression which then obtained, a very rigorous retrenchment in expenses was affected. This necessitated a more liberal outlay for the maintenance of way and equipment for the year under review, and as a consequence the operating expenses for the year increased \$2,280,225."

SPIKE AND RAIL.

The Salt Lake City branch of the American Railway Employes and Investors' association will hold its annual meeting Wednesday night at the Union passenger station.

General Agent C. S. Williams of the Milwaukee in this city, and wife, have gone to New York on a trip. Messrs. Peck, Manderfield and Kerr of the Salt Lake Route returned this afternoon from Butte, their train be-ing over four hours late.

BUS PASSENGERS

Howard E. Potter, manager for Mme. Sembrich, is registered at the Knutsford. The noted singer has reser-vations at the Knutsford and will arrive here Thursday.

W. L. Barclay, a civil engineer of Laramie, Wyo., is in the city on busi-ness and is stopping at the Knutsford. H. H. Smith, J. M. Loring and J. Scribner of Chicago, are among the guests at the Knutsford. They are interested in an irrigation project in the southern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clark of Ophir William D. Dixon of Payson and C. G. Cotton of Cheyenne, are guests at the Kenyon

W. R. Dennis of Heber is registered

C. E. Julian, a ranch owner of Benton. Cal., is at the Knutsford. Mr. Julian is on his way to New York.

LATE LOCALS

Mrs. Simmons to Lecture—Mrs. Adolph Simmons will deliver a lecture on "Child Labor" at the regular monthly meeting of the principals of the city schools which will be held in the city and county building at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Twenty-eighth Ward—A benefit for a poor family has been arranged for Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Twenty-eighth ward hall. Prof. Charles Kent has charge of the program and his male chorus will be only one feature of the evening's entertainment. A general invitation to the public is extended.

Death of Former Resident—News has reached this city of the death of Mrs. A. D. Cannon of Westmoreland county, Pa., formerly a resident of Salt Lake for 18 years, and sister of Mrs. T. J. Donkin of this city. She leaves a husband and three children, aged 18 to 22.

Secretary Waite Coming—International Secretary Waite, of the Y. M. C. A. in charge of the religious work for boys, will be in this city over next Sunday, en route east from the Pacific coast. He will give a special talk to boys Sunday afternoon, in the association gym.

NEW COMET DISCOVERED.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 7.-Seaccheus Daniel, a graduate student in astron-omy at Princeton university, announced today that he discovered a new comet last night from the Princeton observa-

tory.

The position of the comet, he says, is in right ascension 6 hours 16 minutes, and the declination is north about 34 degrees. It is in the conscillation Auriga.

Mr. Dowiel describes the comet as round and says it is moving almost directly north and is visible through a three-inch telescope.

ICES NARROW, CLOSING STRONG ATRIAL PRICES NARROW,

New York, Dec. 7.—The range of the opening price movement of stocks today was very narrow and the business done was small, Declines were numerous. National Enameling rose 1. Losses reaching a point in a half dozen specialties were made up when the market responded to the buying of Reading United States Steel and Rock Island preferred. These stocks railied from % to 1½ from their low prices, and there was also a general improvement to above yesterday's close.

Reading showed some irregularity later and the balance of the list almost became dull and uneven. Illinois Central and Pacific Mail advanced 1½ and Northern Pacific, Iowa Central preferred and St. Louis Western I. Prices fluctuated uncertainly.

American Sugar, from 1 below yesterday rose to 1 above. Western Union rose 1½, Rock Island preferred 1½ and Missourl Pacific, Great Northern preferred United States Steel and American Telephone 1.

Bonds were irregular.

St. Louis-Southwestern proferred responded to its dividend increase with an increase of 2¼ on large transactions, The price subsequently reacted a point. Profit-taking in American Telephone wiped out its rise, and Rock Island preferred and Western Union also fell back nearly a point. The list otherwise was at a standstill.

The market showed more activity for a time when United States Steel and some of the standard railroad stocks came into demand, but the volume of business dwindled again when buying slackened. United States Steel rose 1½ to 91, Canadian Pacific 1½ and Consolidated Gas and New York Central 1. Soo Lino lost 1.

The market closed strong, Prices rose in the final hour on brisker trading than any other period of the session. Interborough-Metropolitan preferred gained 2¼, the common, Reading, Wabash preferred. Southern Pacific, Atchison, Kansas & Chief Chesapeake & Ohio, the Denver & Rio Grande stocks, People's 1.

LIVE STOCK.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Dec. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 13:009; market steady. Native, 4.75(3.59; native cows and helfers, 2.50(6.59; stockers and feeders, 3.15(3.52; bulls, 3.00(4.25; calves, 3.75(7.75; western steers, 2.75(3.50; western cows, 2.75(9.50)

steers, 3.102-108, 4.50
Hogs-Receipts, 10,000; market steady. Bulk of sales, 8.00@8.20; heavy, 8.10@8.35; packers and butchers, 8.10@8.35; light, 7.1528.50; pigs 8.7527.50.
Sheep-Receipts, 8,000; market strong. Muttons, 4.20%5.75; lambs, 6.00@8.30; range wethers and yearlings, 4.00@6.85; range ewes, 2.50@6.25. CHICAGO.

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Chicago. Dec. 7.—Cattle—Reccipts, estimated at 5.50; market steady. Beeves, 4.0009.25; Texas steers, 3.8004.50; western steers, 4.2007.50; stockers and feeders, 3.1505.30; cows and helfers, 2.1506.70; calves, 6.5008.50.

Hogs—Reccipts, estimated at market 5c. lower. Light, 7.8508.35; mixed, 7.9008.50; heavy, 8.0008.55; rough, 8.006.8.52; good to choice heavy, 8.2008.55; pigs, 6.7507.75; bulk of sales, 8.2006.50.

.40. Sheep—Receipts, estimated at 22,000 narket steady. Native, 3.1565.15; west-rn, 3.4965.30; yearlings, 5.7567.15; lambs, lative, 5.2568.00; western, 5.2567.85 OMAHA. South Omaha. Dec. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; market active and stronger. Native steers, 4.0008.25; cows and helfers, 3.0005.00; western steers, 3.5006.25; ows and helfers, 2.9004.40; canners, 2.50, 2.5; stockers and feeders, 3.0006.25; alves, 3.5007.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.750, 50

4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,890; market 10c. higher. Heavy, 8.15@8.25; mixed, 8.15@8.25; bulk of sales, 8.174@8.295. bulk of sales, 8.174@8.295. Sheep—Receipts, 7.000; market stronger, Yearlings, 5.76@6.75; wethers, 4.30@5.00; ewes, 4.50@5.20; lambs, 6.76@7.75.

WOOL.

ST. LOUIS.

St Louis, Dec. 7.—Wool, unchanged Territory and western mediums, 24@29-fine mediums, 21@25; fine, 12@20. BOSTON. .

Boston, Dec. 7.—A fair trade continues in the local wool market, although transactions are in moderate amounts. The chief demand is from the woolen mills as the worsted mills are pretty well stocked up. Values are fully maintained. Pine staple Idahe has sold at Sec. There has been little demand for Ohio fleeces, although a few transactions in quarter-blood have been made on a basis of 35c. Bidding for next season's clip has been resumed in Utah.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO.

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Chicago, Dec. 7.—Official confirmation of damage to the Argentine wheat crop by frost created considerable bullish sentiment in the wheat market here during eary trading today. The volume of trade, however, was small. An advance of 2½ to 2½ in the price of wheat at Buenos Ayres, which further emphasized the frost scare here, was a prominent factor at the start.

Prices at the start were ½ lower to ½ higher with May at 1.07½%, but 1.07½.

On buying by leading bulls the prices advanced to 1.07½.

A heavy, snowfall over the greater portion of the corn belt had a strengthening effect on the corn market.

At the opening prices were unchanged to ½½ bigher, May being at 6½ to 6½. Later the price sold up to 6½.

Trading in oats was active and the market was firm early in the seasion. Shorts and commission houses led in the buying. Opening quotations were unchanged to ½½½ bigher with May at 12½ to 42½.04%.

Provisions were rather weak at the start, owing to general selling. Prices at the opening were unchanged to 10.0 lower.

at the opening were unchanged to 10c. lower.

Wheat—The market broke severely following the publication of the government report which was more bearish than generally expected. From 1.0% May dropped to 1.07. The close was weak with May off ½@% at 1.07%. Corn—The market weakened with wheat after its displaying marked strength in the early part of the day. The top point for May was reached at 2.2%. The close was firm with May ½.6% in light at 61%. Close—Wheat—Dec., 1.07½; May 1.07%; July, 38%. 31056—Wilea Ily, 98½. Corn—Dec., 58¼; May, 61%@¼; July,

Oats-Dec. 41%@14; May, 4316; July, 40%.

Pork—Jan., 21.424@21.45; May, 20.65.

Lard—Jan., 12.4242; May, 11.55; July,

11.4742.

Ribs—Jan., 11.4242@11.45; May and July, Rye—Cash, 75; Dec., 72; May, 72½. Barley—Cash, 53@68. Timothy-3.40. Clover—March, 15.25.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Butter—Strong. Creameries, 26@33; dairies, 24@29. Eggs—Steady, at mark, cases included, 20½25½; receipts, 3,609; firsts, 25½; prime firsts, 30½ Cheese—Firm. Daisies, 16½6%; Twins, 16%4; Young Americas, 16½; Long Horns, 16½. SUGAR AND COFFEE.

New York, Dec. 7.—Sugar, raw, quiet. Fair refining, 3.31½; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.31½; molasses sugar, 3.56. Refined—Steady, Crushed, 5.25; powdered, 5.30. Coffee—Steady, No. 7 Rio, 83% @ ½; No. 4 Santos, 834. NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Last Sale, Dec. 7, 1909.
 Amalgamated Copper
 87%

 American Beet Sugar
 46%

 American Car & Foundry
 72%

nerican Cotton Oil 681/2	1
nerican Locomotive 611/4	4
nerican Smelting & Refining 99	1
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nerican Sugar Refining	8
aconda Mining Co 491/4	1
chison121%	1
lantic Coast Line	ı
Milimore & Ohio	ı
ooklyn Rapid Transit 821/2	ı
nadian Pacific181%	ı
esapeake & Ohio 871/4	ı
icago & Northwestern	ı
leago, Mil. & St. Paul	ı
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lorado & Southern 57	ı
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TODAY'S MONEY MARKET.

Wabash pkl.

New York, Dec. 7.—Money on call, firm, 4½@5 per cent; ruling rate and offered at 4%; closing bid, 4%.

Time loans, firm; 60 days, 4%@5 per cent; 90 days, 4%; six months, 4½@%.

Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@½ per cent; sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers bills at 4.84.25@,30 for 60-day bills, and at 4.87.30 for demand.

Commercial bills, 4.83½@%.

Bar silver, 51½.

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Mexican dollars, 48.

Government bonds, easy; railroad onds, irregular.

COURT NEWS

JUDGMENT FOR \$399.40. Harold Cannon Given Satisfaction for

Personal Injuries.

Harold Cannon by his guardian, Angus M. Cannon, Jr., brought suit this morning in the Third district court and obtained satisfaction of judgment for \$399.40 against the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company for personal injuries. While employed as a cable splicer's helper, Cannon was transferring a small cable car on the telephone line on First East street between Tenth and Eleventh South streets on Aug. 23, 1909. His foot came in contact with a charged wire and 4,400 volts passed through his body, right hand and forearm. The injuries sustained caused him considerable suffering and he was confined to his bed for two months. The wires became charged by coming in contact with some defective insulated electric wires of the Utah Light and Railroad company. Personal Injuries.

TOO LATE TO CHANGE MIND. Edward Smith Wanted Six Months But Must Stand Trial.

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"O. Judge! I'm ready to take six months, now." exclaimed Edward Smith after he had been bound over to the district court for trial by Judge Bowman in police court this morning. Smith is charged with burglary in the third degree, J. W. Grant accuses him of having entered room 320 in the Wellington hotel with intent to steal a pair of Grant's trousers, Nov. 5. Smith pleaded not guilty, and Judge Bowman decided from the evidence given in the preliminary hearing this morning that the defendant should stand trial.

Smith could have pleaded guilty to a lesser charge, and gotten off with six months, but he changed his mind too late.

MRS. DUDLEY'S HEARING.

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Mrs. Ella Dudley, colored, will be given a preliminary hearing Wednesday morning in police court before Judge Bowman on a charge of having assaulted Munroe L. Miller, also colored, with a deadly weapon, Dec. 3, in her home. She has been admitted to \$1,000 ball. The complaint against her cites that she monted a revolver. to \$1,000 ball. The complaint against her cites that she pointed a revolver at Miller without just cause or excuse and without any considerable provocation. It is understood that Miller is loath to appear against the woman. He is lying at St. Mark's hospital in a precarious condition as the result of two dangerous bullet wounds inflicted by Mrs. Dudley during a row that occurred about 1 o'clock in the morning. Patrolman Patterson caught Mrs. Dudley as she was running out of hor house with the smoking revolver still in her hand, She said that Miller had been beating her.

TWO MISMATED WIVES.

Mrs. Florence Christensen and Mrs. Suste Woods Ask for Divorce.

Susie Woods Ask for Divorce.

Mrs. Florence D. Christensen brought suit in the Third district court Monday for a divorce from Harry W. Christensen, charging him with falling to provide for her. They were married in Ogden, July 21, 1906. For more than a years, she alleges, she has had to depend upon her own labors to obtain a living.

Mrs. Susie M. Woods seeks a divorce from Herbert Woods on the grounds of cruelty in a complaint filed in the Third district court. She accuses her husband of squandering his money for liquor and when he becomes intoxicated he abuses her. Last July, she says, Woods drove her out of the house and told her not to come back again. They were married here on June 29, 1888 and they have three children. She asks that she be given the custody of her children, \$30 a month permanent alimony, \$100 attorney fees and \$50 for the immediate support of the family.

TO SEEK CERTIORARI.

District Attorney Booth to Take Further Action in Sharp Case. Hiram E. Booth, United States dis-

Hiram E. Booth, United states dis-trict attorney, intends to ask the at-torney-general of the country in re-gard to a writ of certiorari in the case of the United States against the Union Pacific railroad and other defendants, in which a decision for the defendants

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was lately handed down. The charge was conspiracy and the district attorney thinks that the ground of constraint of trade would stand as well as two others which were not considered in the case. The suit was one which was brought on the allegation of D. J. Sharp, a Sait Lake coal dealer, that there was a connivance on the part of the railroad companies to put him out of business.

ERRETS IS FOR WARD.

New York, Dec. 7.—Charles H. Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn National league baseball club, declared today that at the annual meeting of the National league in this city on Dec. 14, he would yote for John M. Ward for president as against John A. Heydler, the present incumbent.

against John A. Reyder, the plessent incumbent.

Mr. Ebbets says Heydler's decision in disputed cases cost the Brooklyn clutwo games last season. He said, however, that he was willing to vote for Heydler for secretary-troasurer for life. President Ebbets also declared himself against "syndicate baceball and in favor of a season of 166 games next year, beginning on April 14, and ending on Oct. 16.

POSTMASTERS APPOINTED.

(Special to The News.) Washington, D. C. Dec. 7.—Post-masters appointed: Utah—Santaquin, Utah county, Samuel R. Nelson, vice A. J. Stickney, resigned.
Wyoming—Four Bear, Big Horn county, G. J. G. Nicholson vice N. Rush, resigned.

SLEIGHING MONDAY NIGHT.

First Snow of Scason Taken Advantage Of by Many Impromptu Parties.

The snow of Sunday and Monday gave perfect surface for sleighing and Monday night many impromptu parties, rollicking and musical aggregations, packed themselves into all sorts of conveyances, anything that had runners, and journeyed skippinghad runners, and journeyed skippingly to Murray, to Bountiful, and to a
dozen and one places on the outskirts
of the city. The late night and early
morning air was jarred continually by
"Merrily We Roll Along," and kindred
compositions to the accompaniment of
the sleigh bells and the late cafes were
crowded with cold but jolly gatherings
which were not particular whether it
was pate de fole gras or just simply
chicken potple.

NEW PRUSSIAN ARTILLERY PROJECTILES

Spandau, Prussia, Dec. 7.-The shell and ammunition works here are being worked to their capacity on new artillery projectiles which com-bine the functions of shrapnel and shell. New firing regulations have just been issued to the howitzer batteries which will be provided first with the

new missiles.

It is understood the whole artiller division will be supplied as soon as practicable, in order that a uniform ammunition may displace the two varieties now in use.

For half a generation the war office has been experimenting over the has been experimenting over the single projectile adapted for use as a shell against material resistance and at the same time practical as a shrapnel against the living target.

PULLING DOWN FIRST

PRESIDENTIAL MANSION New York, Dec 7.—What is believed to have been the first presidential mansion in the United States is being torn down to make way for a structure paying larger revenue. It was known as the Old Van Altren house and stood under one of the immense arches of the Brooklyn bridge, on Cherry Hill. It was to this house that President Washington returned after taking the oath of office.

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