

LOCAL ITEMS.

LOCAL MINING REVIEW.

For the Week ending October 12, 1872

The past week has not been characterized with any incidents worthy of particular mention. For miners in this vicinity to strike and take out large quantities of good milling ore is the rule and not the exception. This occurs so frequently that our citizens take it as a matter of course. The stage from the mills arrives daily at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express office and discharges a large freight of silver bricks that would set many camps agog for a week; not so in Pioche. The folks hereabouts think their mines are second to none on the coast and that it is quite in the natural order of things for great quantities of rich ore to be found, and to ship bullion by the ton. Within the last five months no less than eighteen new hoisting works have been erected, and a gentleman usually well posted on such matters, informs us that in about six weeks or two months from this time there will be no less than twenty-seven sets of hoisting machinery at work in this vicinity. These works are nearly all of first class character, well appointed and well housed. Expensive improvements of this character show how deeply seated is the confidence, not only of our own citizens, but of the public, in the permanence and remunerative character of the mines of Pioche. The construction of the Pioche and Bullionville Railroad is satisfactory proof of this feeling if any were needed. This enterprise, when completed, will greatly benefit those interested in mines, because it will greatly reduce the price of taking ore to the mills. In this particular Pioche has certainly surpassed Virginia, because at that point a railway has been greatly needed, both for the transportation of ore as well as of mining timbers and fuel, and it is only after a lapse of some ten or eleven years that this want has been even partially supplied. We may therefore be pardoned if we point with excusable pride to the fact that before Pioche has arrived at a fifth of the age of the great Comstock city that steps are being taken to place mines and mills in close connection. The bullion product for the week amounts to \$116,553.92.

FLORAL MILL.—The building of this establishment is being prosecuted with great energy. Mr. J. C. Clark, the Superintendent, has just returned from a trip to the Sawmills, where he has been looking after the timbers and hastening the process of getting them on the ground. A large quantity is already delivered, and the men are at work framing. Stone is also being delivered for the walls. The excavation for the pan-oratory is nearly completed. In fact, every exertion is being made by Mr. Clark and his able millwright, Mr. Hatcheson, to push the work forward with all possible speed. It is expected that the mill will be finished by December 1st. We hope that this will be the case, as we expect that its operations will be of the greatest benefit to the miners of Pioche, and as a consequence to the whole of our citizens. There is a great deal of ore on hand, the owners of which are eagerly looking forward to an opportunity of crushing it. From the long experience of Mr. Clark, the Superintendent, as a practical mill man, mine owners may look forward to having their ores reduced with all the skill and economy that great experience can bestow.

HUBB AND HUNT.—This mine is about to cause a considerable increase in the bullion product of Pioche. A contract has been made with the American Flag Mill to crush 1,000 tons of ore, the first shipment of which will be sent to the mill to-day. At present about 16 tons per day is being raised, and it is expected ere long to extract sufficient to keep the mill running at its full capacity. In the mine, drifting is going on at both faces of the 90 foot level. This level is in fine ore throughout, and shows well as drifting proceeds. A winze is being sunk from this level, a short distance from the bottom of the shaft, and shows ore of quite a high grade. The main working shaft is well and heavily timbered into two compartments, and will afford abundant facilities for working the mine to a considerable depth. The Huhn & Hunt is in a decidedly healthy condition, the more especially as it is expected that the ore will yield on an average \$150 per ton by mill process.

PORTLAND.—The proprietors of this mine feel in tolerably good spirits respecting the prospects of developing a large and remunerative ledge. The tunnel has been run through a vein fully eight feet wide. A winze has been started on this lead, and sinking will be energetically carried on. Three shifts of five men each are engaged on the works. The owners of the mine say that they will take pleasure in showing the mine to those who may desire to inspect it. We are informed that a gentleman who owns 100 feet in the Portland, yesterday refused \$10,000 for his interest.

CHIEF OF THE HILL.—The works on this mine, under the direction of J. W. Wright, is progressing steadily. Third winze from the tunnel level has been commenced. Winzes Nos. 1 and 2 are still being sunk on the ledge. They show abundance of good ore, of which about ten tons per day is being extracted. The bullion yield for the week is about \$7,000. All matters connected with the Chief look very encouraging, and it will soon be a "Chief" in fact as well as in name.

AMERICAN FLAG.—We have been favored by Sam'l McMasters, Superintendent of this mine, with the following information: The main incline is now 312 feet deep. At this point a station will be formed and levels run off. The eastern one is already commenced and is in about six or eight feet. On the 260 foot or 3d level a winze is being sunk from

the west drift at a point about 105 feet from the shaft. This winze has reached a depth of 100 feet and shows good ore all the way. In the eastern drift of this level a winze has been started about 106 feet from the shaft and is now about 14 or 15 feet in depth. It shows good ore. Stopping between the second and third eastern levels is going on to a considerable extent. The works generally are being conducted with care and a strict eye to economy, and reflects credit on the management of Mr. McMasters. As we observe in another place, the company's mill is about to work 1,000 tons of ore from the Huhn and Hunt mine.

AMADOR TUNNEL.—The work on this tunnel is being pushed. It has now attained a length of 270 feet. The winze that is being sunk about 113 feet from the mouth of the tunnel is now 32 feet deep. At the bottom it reveals a ledge of from three to four feet in width. Two assays were made yesterday morning from ore taken from the winze which gave an average of \$1,000. The whole of the vein yields good milling ore while some streaks of it are of extraordinary richness.

PAGE AND PANACA.—The work of sinking the shaft is going on. It is now down fully 450 feet. The drift on the 400 foot level is in about 130 feet and will be continued until it strikes the ledge. The Superintendent, Mr. Kales, is on a visit to San Francisco and will probably return about the latter part of this month. In the meantime Mr. Hardy is attending to the work in a most careful and attentive manner.

SUNBEAM.—The shaft on this mine is down 210 feet and still sinking. Very superior hoisting works are erected over the shaft but will not be used until the wire rope arrives. This has been shipped from San Francisco and will shortly reach its destination, when the machinery will at once be set in motion. About 15 tons of ore is brought to the surface daily. Some of it is very rich and the whole of it, it is thought, will fully average \$130 per ton.

MEADOW VALLEY.—The working force of this company has been reduced by about one hundred men. It is not however supposed that this will be a permanent reduction but was done with a view to effecting some changes that were believed necessary, otherwise there is but little alteration at present to report in the operations of this important corporation.

EXCELSIOR.—Mr. A. Caldwell, the Superintendent, was kind enough to inform us of the progress of the work in this mine. The main working shaft is about 70 feet in depth and will be sunk until it strikes the ledge. The incline has reached a depth of about 200 feet. Stopping is going on in the 70 and 90 foot levels.

KINSTON.—Capt. Ketton, the Superintendent, has received orders from the Bay to commence timbering the shaft on this mine. Hoisting machinery has been ordered and will be sent hither without any delay. When the works are erected the work of sinking will again be resumed.

BOWERY.—The wire rope intended for use in the shaft of this mine has not arrived, so the workmen are doing the best they can with a windlass, but with such a deep shaft, raising dirt by hand is necessarily a slow process. There is therefore but little change to note from last week.

ARKANSAS.—The inclined shaft in this mine has reached a depth of 315 feet. The 120 feet and 250 feet levels are being opened, and excellent ore is being found in both. Mr. Phillips, the Superintendent, thinks the prospects of the Arkansas are indeed excellent, and he is by no means alone in his belief.

GRAY EAGLE.—The owners of the Gray Eagle are in luck. A rich body of ore was struck on Friday last. It assays high and there appears to be a large body of ore. It is thought that further developments will prove the Gray Eagle to be very valuable property.

PACIFIC TUNNEL.—This week, in spite of the excessive hardness of the rock, ten feet has been added to the length of this tunnel. It is the expectation of Mr. Nichols, the Superintendent, that they will soon pass through the very hard reef which is now delaying them and then rapid progress will be made.

INGOMAR.—The contractors for sinking the main shaft have sunk about 24 feet during the past week, giving a total depth of 450 feet. Capt. Ketton, the Superintendent, is well satisfied with the progress of the work.

LILLIAN HALL.—Work on the incline, which is 207 feet deep, has been temporarily suspended. Drifting is going on in the 70 foot western level and is in 46 feet. Yesterday some ore was struck in this level which looked favorable.

MOCKING BIRD.—Mr. Carl Davis, the Superintendent, informs us that the shaft is now 125 feet in depth and at the bottom shows some rich streaks or feeders which are making into the ledge. Drifting is now going on from the shaft for the purpose of cutting the vein.

BALTIMORE.—The ore in this mine is improving both in quantity and quality. The ledge now occupies the full width of the shaft—four feet. The shaft is now 85 feet deep. The work of sinking is continued without intermission.

KENTUCKY.—The shaft on this mine is 380 feet in depth. Drifting is being carried on at the 330 foot level, otherwise there is but little variation in the condition of this mine.

JOLLY TRAVELER.—The vertical shaft is 100 feet deep. Streaks of ore are found at the bottom which are very rich.

MAZEPPA.—Still sinking the working shaft which is now 70 feet deep.

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THE RAILROAD.—Yesterday afternoon we visited the works and were surprised to find such rapid progress had been made in grading. On the hill near the Lightner shaft, below No. 3, there is a deep cut, most of it through solid rock. This is nearly finished and is a very creditable work. Between the initial point and the gap in the divide, most, if not quite all of the grading, has been completed. There is some trestle work to build and bridges to be constructed when the section from the commencement to the Gap will be finished. On our visit yesterday afternoon we were kindly received by Gen. Page, Col. Carter Chief of Construction, and Mr. C. H. Beckwith Foreman of the works. The latter was superintending the removal of the remaining portion of the rock in the cut, while the General and Col. Carter were busily engaged in building a bridge over the road leading to No. 3 hoisting works. The progress made already conclusively shows that General Page is determined to show what he knows about building railroads, and to give us an example in very short order that will be very satisfactory to the citizens and mine owners of Pioche.

BELMONT.—Mr. J. R. James, who has recently been visiting Belmont, tells us that mining matters in that camp have taken a fresh start. The El Dorado, south, is looking magnificent. An enormous quantity of ore is in sight, which is valued at not less than \$1,000,000. That Company is building a 20-stamp Mill, with a Stetefeldt furnace. The Monitor Company are building a mill of similar character. The ledge is looking very fine, and the same remark will apply to the Arizona.

INCURED.—A miner named T. Brown yesterday received quite a severe cut on the head from a rock falling from the car as it was being raised to the surface. The accident occurred in the east extension of the Chief of the Hill.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—The Board approved the bond of P. M. O'Connor, the contractor, for replastering the Court House. Wm. McIntyre was appointed Fire Warden and was also appointed Deputy by the Sheriff.

REGISTERED.—The number of voters reached 1100 last evening.

A CIRCULATING LIBRARY affords a cheap means of obtaining good reading matter, and at a trifling expense. C. Weiderhold furnishes novels and standard works for 25 cents. He also keeps on hand stationery, cigars, tobacco and smokers' materials. His establishment is on Main street, opposite Meadow Valley. se8

NEW BUILDING.—Beauport Bros. are erecting a stone and brick building at the corner of Lacour and Main streets. The structure will be 28x38 and will be ready for occupation about the first of next month. Messrs. Steels and Donahue are the contractors.

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Table with columns: ARRIVALS, DEPARTURES. Includes names like Gilmer & Salisbury's Salt Lake Line, D. M. Hall.

BULLION SHIPMENT.

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Table with columns: No., Stock, Opening, Closing. Lists various stocks like Alpha, Belcher, Chelonia, etc.

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NEW BAKERY.—Mr. Higgins, of the Arcadia Bakery and Chop House, Main street, wishes his friends and the public to remember that his bakery will be in operation to-morrow. Orders for bread, pies, cakes, etc., are solicited, and will be promptly filled. Balls, wedding parties, hotels, restaurants and families supplied.

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