FINE GOLD STRIKE AT GOLD MOUNTAIN

Sixteen Feet of Ore in the Wheeler Property.

LOCATED ON FISH CREEK

LOUISE S., AT BINGHAM, HAS EIGHT FEET OF ORE.

W. C. Dodge, who, with George E. Wheeler of Minneapolis, is operating the Wheeler group of six claims on the Fish creek side of Gold mountain district, came up from camp yesterday after a winter's campaign of development, bringing with him the particulars of a most important strike in the ground that he is opening.

At a distance of 200 feet from the mouth of the tunnel a vein was encountered that proved to be sixteen feet wide, and after drifting on it for over 100 feet, its permanency and worth have been demonstrated. A streak of very rich ore makes along the hanging wall, and the average values of the whole ledge stamp it as a good milling proposition. The vein encountered was much nearer the mouth of the tunnel than the ledge for which the work was started, and now that the one has been proven, the tunnel will be sent in to tap the other. The strike is one of the most important recorded in the district during the season, and places beyond quibble the value of the Fish creek portion of the district. Mr. Dodge was unwilling to give figures on the values encountered, pleading that they would necessarily be misleading. He was well pleased with results, however, and has no doubt that a good mine will be the outcome.

The Ross company's tunnel, he says, is now in some 300 feet, and the ore body in that ground should be encountered at any time now.

The Tribune company's possessions, recently secured by B. F. Caffey, are separated by one claim from the Wheeler group, and, in the opinion of Mr. Dodge, it will develop into a fine mine, also. The Advocate and Mammoth-Breckenridge properties are going to be heard from as well, and, taken altogether, a most lively season is predicted.

ONTARIO'S SILICIOUS ORES.

American Company Gets a Long-time Contract on Them.

A contract, believed to cover a period of three years, has been made by the American Smelting & Refining company for the output of silicious ores from the Ontario mine. The terms could not be learned, but sufficient is known to warrant the assertion that it is one very favorable to the Ontario company. It is an open secret that the American company is badly in need of silicious ores to mix as a flux with its constantly increasing receipts of copper ores of a sulphide nature. The inroads which the Bingham company has made in its former sources of supply has made it an anxious bidder, and that is the reason why it may be taken for granted that the Ontario company has driven a good bargain.

When asked to verify the news, Superintendent Chambers of the Ontario sompany said: "Any contract that may have been made by the company was not for the benefit of the public, but in the interests and for the future welfare of the stockholders of the Ontario company; therefore, it is none of the public's concern whether a contract has been made or not."

There is no question but what a contract has been made, however, and that the American company secured it.

WORK ON MIDAS MILL.

Buildings Nearly Completed and Machinery Arriving.

A. V. Taylor returned yesterday from a several weeks' trip to Deep Creek, where he reports considerable activity and a buoyant feeling among the people. Some are looking for the Los Angeles road to run through or near that great mineral country, but whether it does or not, greater effort toward opening the mines will occur this season than at any previous time in its history.

The Midas company's new mill at Clifton, Mr. Taylor says, is fast nearing completion, and some of the machinery has arrived on the ground. All of it would probably have been delivered by now, but the roads had been well night impassable at some points for several weeks. Two loads were stalled at a point known as the B. A. boggs when he left, and he said considerable difficulty would be experienced in getting them out. With fair weather, however, a week or two will see the roads in good condition, and then everything can be hurried.

The Midas has thousands of tons of good ore out awaiting the completion of the mill, and when once it starts a fine record of production is sure to be made.

FOR ANOTHER CAMPAIGN.

H. J. Faust and M. Merrill Leave for Deep Creek Today.

Dr. H. J. Faust, the veteran mining operator and rancher of Deep Creek, accompanied by M. Merrill, another of the pioneers in that country, will start today, and on their arrival, inaugurate another season's campaign. The doctor spent the winter in the city, and said yesterday that he was preparing to cross the desert for the fifty-fifth time. During the years he has mined and raised stock in that country he had seen no less than six railroads built on paper, and he had finally reached the conclusion that the people out there would have to work out their own salvation with saddle horses and "prairie schooners." The doctor says Deep Creek will some day be classed as a bonanza spot among Utah's mining districts, and if he does not live to see it, his children will.

DALY MINE NOT CLOSED.

Supt. Chambers Denies Giving Out Any Such Statement.

The Daly Mine has not closed down, as stated by an evening paper yesterday, and Superintendent Chambers did not so report. "There was a particular piece of work that I wanted done in the Ontario mine," said he last night, "and rather than hire new men for the few days necessary to accomplish it, I put a portion of the Daly force on the job. That is all there is to it." Last night's story was on a par with a statement made by the same paper recently to the effect that the ore in the Daly vein, both above and below the 1,200 level, had played out.

LOUISE S.'s FINE ORE BODY.

Eight Feet of $57 Ore Now Being Driven Through on 300 Level.

Superintendent E. W. Garretson of the Louise S., at Bingham, came in yesterday and reports the ore body encountered a couple of weeks since in the tunnel workings 300 feet beneath the surface as moving up in a most sensational manner. The hanging wall is now being followed in a full breast of ore that carries values in silver, lead, copper and gold running about $57 per ton. It has been cross-cut at a point or two and proven to be eight feet wide, but for the present only about four feet of it is being broken. Ten tons were taken out Wednesday in running six feet.

Superintendent Garretson will leave for the mine again today and within the next week or so will begin making a road from the mine down into Butterfield canyon, so that hauling can be more easily accomplished at less than half the present cost.

For a year the Louise S. company has been pegging away with a rather uninviting prospect of making a mine, and it was only by a scratch that the owners decided to spend another $3,000 or $4,000 before giving it up as a bad job. Their reward is now as good as assured.

PURCHASE OF GRAND CENTRAL.

President Coram Says it Was on Basis of Ores in Sight.

(Monday's Boston News Bureau.)

President J. A. Coram of the Bingham Copper & Gold Mining company says: "The Bingham company has purchased control of the Grand Central mine of Tintic, Utah, on the basis of $2,000,000 for the property, in order to secure its silicious ores for the Bingham company.

"The purchase was on the basis of the value of the first-class ore in sight in the mine."

The Centennial-Eureka people, on the other side of the King William, also desired to secure the King William and the Grand Central. Recently the Grand Central secured the half interest which it desired in the King William, but was itself secured by the Bingham people.

It is said that the American Smelting & Refining company was also after the King William and the Grand Central, as well as the Centennial-Eureka and the United States Mining people, but that the Bingham people came out ahead.

OGDEN CANYON LEAD MINE.

Company to Be Formed in Ogden to Operate It.

Ogden, March 21.—A mining company is soon to be organized for the development of property in Ogden canyon about a mile from the Hermitage. It is a lead carbonate proposition, which has been worked at intervals for the past ten years. The name of the corporation will be the Ogden Consolidated Mining & Milling company. The incorporators are S. L. Ives, N. H. Ives, A. E. Weatherby, E. F. Bratz, L. H. Kennedy. The company will have a capital stock of $75,000, the shares having a par value of 10 cents each.

OPERATIONS AT THE BOGAN.

Getting Machinery Ready for a Start on the First.

Manager Spiro gave out the information yesterday that operations at the Bogan property would be under the direction of John Bogan, who went to the Park yesterday for the purpose of securing an engineer and getting the machinery, boilers, etc., in readiness for a start. Some repairs will likely have to be made to the buildings, and the shaft may also require lining up a little, but with good weather he expects everything will be in readiness to begin sinking on the 1st of the coming month.

Arguments Postponed.

Trenton, N. J., March 21.—Argument in the court of errors in the case to restrain the American Smelting company from carrying out its agreement to absorb the M. Guggenheim Sons' plant, was postponed this morning until next Monday, owing to the illness of counsel.

Ore and Bullion.

Ore and bullion settlements in this city yesterday amounted to $24,450, as follows:

T. R. Jones & Co., ores, $7,200; bullion, $11,200.

McCornick & Co., silver and lead ores, $1,550.

Commercial National bank, ores, $4,450.

Metal Market.

Silver, 66⅝c. per ounce.
Copper, 15⅞c. per pound.
Lead, A. S. & R. Co.'s price, $4.00; New York exchange, $4.37½; New York brokers', $4.00.

DALY WEST AT $36.50.

Another Lively Day Marks Proceedings on 'Change.

Favors were liberally distributed at yesterday's call on 'change, when 57,375 shares sold for $18,718.37. Ajax opened at $1.13, but was soon knocked to $1.06½. From there it jumped to $1.08¾ and then eased off to $1.07. Anchor released 100 at $2.50, and Consolidated Mercur came forward with fifty at $3.35.

Daly-West sold 125 shares at $36.45 to $36.50, while 1,000 Silver King were offered at $100.

Eagle & Blue Bell sold at 85 cents. Lower Mammoth was weak at $4.15 and $4.14, and May Day held firm at 55 and 56¼ cents. Northern Light was active at 10 to 10¾ cents, and Petro advanced to 18⅛ and 18 cents. Sacramento was ½c higher and Silver Shield remained practically unchanged at 2½ cents.

Martha Washington advanced to 24 and 24¼ cents, Manhattan released 3,000 at 1 cent and Joe Bowers, with a 2-cent assessment just levied, jumped to 2 and 2½ cents.

Century appeared as a factor and sold 400 shares at $1.14½, $1.15, $1.14 and $1.13½. Ben Butler made a sharp advance and sold at 8 and 8½ cents. Boss Tweed brought 11 cents, and Star Consolidated was crowded down to 69¼ cents. Yankee Consolidated sold at 18 and 19 cents, and the session closed on the following quotations:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax	$ 1.07	$ 1.08
Albion	.....	.50
Alice	.30	.50
Anchor	2.50	2.60
Bullion-Beck	3.40	4.15
Ben Butler	.08⅝	.08⅞
Boss Tweed	.10⅝	.14
Consolidated Mercur	3.27½	3.35
Centennial-Eureka	29.50	34.00
Congor	.....	.30
Century	1.10	1.13½
Dalton & Lark	.05½	.06⅝
Daly	2.20	2.28½
Daly-West	36.55	37.00
Dexter Consolidated	1.04½	1.10
Dalton	.07½	.10
Emerald	.06½	.09½
Eagle & Blue Bell	.84	.85
Four Aces	.....	.01
Golden Eagle	.01¾	.02½
Galena	.06½	.10½
Grand Central	7.30½	7.35
Herschel	.01	.05
Horn Silver	1.00	.....
Homestake	.02½	.10
Ingot	.03⅛	.03½
Joe Bowers	.02½	.02⅝
Johnny	.05	.08
Kremlin	.....	.09
Lower Mammoth	4.13¼	4.15½
Little Chief	.12	.15
Little Pittsburg	.....	.02
Mammoth	2.45	2.46½
Manhattan	.15-16	.01
Martha Washington	.23½	.24
May Day	.54¼	.55
Monarch	.....	.00¼
Northern Light	.10⅝	.11
Ontario	9.75	11.25
Petro	.17	.17⅞
Rocco-Homestake	1.02	1.25
Sacramento	.43	.43½
Silver Shield	.08⅝	.09½
Silver King	79.00	.....
Sunbeam	.35½	.38
Star Consolidated	.69	.69½
Swansea	3.88	3.97½
South Swansea	.70	.90
Showers Consolidated	.09¼	.10
Sunshine	.22⅝	.26¾
Tetro	.05	.06¼
Tesora	.79½	.81
Utah	.72½	.75
Valco	.26	.35
Yankee Consolidated	.18½	.19¼

Yesterday's Stock Sales.

Ajax, 200@$1.13½; 100@$1.12; 100@$1.11; 300 @$1.09; 100@$1.06½; 900@$1.08¾; 500@$1.08½; 500@$1.08; 100@$1.08⅝; 100@$1.08¼; 100@$1.08⅜; 100@$1.07¾; 200@$1.07½; 200@$1.07.

Anchor, 200@$2.50.

Consolidated Mercur, 50@$3.35.

Daly-West, 500@$36.45; 250@$36.47½; 500@ $36.50.

Eagle & Blue Bell, 100@.85c.

Grand Central, 100@$7.32.

Lower Mammoth, 100@$4.15; 100@$4.14½; 100@$4.14.

May Day, 800@.55c; 100@.55¼c.

Northern Light, 3,000@.10c; 2,000@10½c; 500 @10⅝c; 1,500@10¾c; 3,000@10⅞c; 1,000@11c; 1,000@11¼c; 1,000@11½c.

Petro, 500@18¼c; 500@18c.

Sacramento, 1,000@43½c.

Silver Shield, 500@2½c.

Star Consolidated, 200@69½c; 500@69c; 400 @69¼c.

Ben Butler, 1,000@8c; 1,500@8¼c; 2,000@ 8½c.

Boss Tweed, 500@11c.

Century, 100@$1.14½; 200@$1.15; 100@$1.14; 100@$1.13½.

Joe Bowers, 1,000@2c; 2,000@2¼c; 3,000@ 2⅝c; 5,000@2½c.

Manhattan, 3,000@1c; 3,000@15-16c.

Martha Washington, 8,000@24c; 500@23½c; 500@24¼c.

Yankee, 500@18c; 1,000@18¾c; 500@18⅝c; 2,000@19c.

Shares sold, 57,375.

Selling value, $18,718.37.

Yesterday's Open Call.

Yesterday afternoon's informal call on 'change was presided over by Harry Joseph wielding the caller's gavel. Hereafter the job will be passed from one to another member of the exchange and business will thus be greatly facilitated. The call developed the sale of 14,625 shares for $9,380, as follows:

Ajax, 100@$1.07; 100@$1.08; 100@$1.09; 100@ $1.09.

Ben Butler, 2,000@8¾c; 500@8⅝c; 1,000@ 8½c.

Century, 100@$1.10; 100@$1.09; 200@$1.10; 800@$1.10; 100@$1.09.

Consolidated Mercur, 700@$3.35; 100@$3.35.

Daly, 100@$2.21.

Daly-West, 25@$36.50.

Eagle & Blue Bell, 100@86c; 100@86½c; 100 @85½c; 100@85c.

Martha Washington, 300@25c; 500@24c.

May Day, 500@56c; 100@54½c.

Northern Light, 500@10⅝c; 1,000@11¼c; 2,000@11c; 1,000@11⅛c.

Star Consolidated, 100@69c; 100@69¼c; 200 @69¼c.

Sacramento, 100@43¼c.

Petro, 1,000@17¾c.

Tesora, 10@82c; 100@82½c; 100@83c; 100@ 82½c; 100@83c; 100@82c.

Shares sold, 14,625.

Selling value, $9,380.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

Alpha Con	3	Justice	3
Andes	3	Mexican	30
Belcher	9	Occidental Con.	4
Best & Belcher	15	Ophir	61
Bullion	1	Overman	13
Caledonia	70	Potosi	14
Challenge Con	14	Savage	8
Chollar	14	Seg. Belcher	1
Confidence	70	Sierra Nevada	28
Con. Cal. & Va.	1 65	Silver Hill	40
Crown Point	9	Standard	4 00
Exchequer	1	Union Con	16
Gould & Curry	13	Utah Con	4
Hale & Norc	12	Yellow Jacket	16

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	23	Little Chief	15
Alice	35	Ontario	9 50
Breece	20	Ophir	60
Bruns. Con	23	Phoenix	8
Comstock Tun	5	Potosi	15
Con. Cal. & Va.	1 50	Savage	6
Deadwood Ter	50	Sierra Nevada	25
Horn Silver	60	Small Hopes	65
Leadville Con	5	Standard	4 00

Boston Mining Stocks.

Adventure	$ 13 50	Humboldt	$ 50 00
Bingham Co.	24 87½	Osceola	86 50
Am. Cop	101 50	Parrot	53 00
Atlantic	33 00	Quincy	173 00
B. & Mont.	355 00	S. Fe Cop	8 12½
B. & Bost	102 50	Tamarack	338 00
Cal. & Hec	855 00	Utah Min	33 50
Centennial	28 50	Winona	6 37½
Franklin	22 50	Wolverines	51 50

Mining Notes.

P. H. Tallon is down from the Park for a few days.

Manager Filer of the Annie Laurie returns to camp today.

Superintendent Roscamb of the California will return to camp today.

Two cars of crude ore from the Horn Silver were on yesterday's market.

Five cars of high-grade copper ore from the Mammoth will reach the samplers today.

The Highland Boy smelter will bill out something over sixty tons of copper-gold bullion today.

The old Bullion-Beck reported on the market yesterday with another five-car lot of high-grade ore.

J. T. Donohue, accompanied by Mrs. Donohue, went out to Mammoth Wednesday night to look after business matters requiring personal attention.

The run on a 150-ton lot of Ben Butler ore was commenced at the Dewey mill in Bingham yesterday. Manager A. L. Jacobs will visit the mine today.

Solon Spiro, whose mining interests in the Park have assumed great proportions during the past few weeks, will leave for a month's eastern trip on Sunday.

A rumor gained currency yesterday that a lease and bond had been given on the Planetary property at Park Valley, but the report was denied at headquarters.

The Taylor & Brunton sampler was yesterday in receipt of two cars of ore from Bingham, five from Tintic and two from Frisco, as well as four cars of Bingham matte.

Manager Weir of the Ajax has gone to Denver off a short business trip. "No change" is the story still being iadeled out regarding conditions on the 1,000-foot level of the mine.

The Lower Mammoth company is preparing to increase the efficiency of its electric power plant by making it 100 instead of fifty-horse power. The motor now in use is too light to keep the big compressor and hoist up to their maximum capacity.

Captain J. R. De Lamar has left San Francisco for the east, and President Cohen of the Consolidated Mercur, who was expected home directly after the captain's departure, may not arrive for some time yet, as he has requested that his mail still be forwarded from here. That he will return in time for the directors' meeting on the first is confidently expected, however.

The listing committee of the stock exchange has under consideration the listing of the Black Jack property at Tintic, which adjoins the Lower Mammoth on the east. The stock is all controlled by David Evans and Jesse Knight, with the exception of 27,000 shares issued to other people, and the 18,000 shares in the treasury. It is for the purpose of finding a market for the latter that admission to the exchange is sought.

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SUPPRESS ROBBER BANDS.

German Soldiers Kill Seven and Take Many Prisoners.

Berlin, March 21.—The officer commanding the German troops in Pekin cables to the war office here that owing to the complaints of the inhabitants, a band of robbers has been dispersed by Captain Preiss with a squadron of cavalry at a village forty-eight kilometres west of Pao Ting Fu. Seven of the robbers were killed and wounded, the others were imprisoned and handed over to the Chinese court for trial.

Major von Mulemann has started from Pao Ting Fu with three companies of infantry, a squadron of cavalry and a train of mounted artillery for a place to the eastward of Toamakuan. He is proceeding against a large band of robbers.

At Bed Time

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. Lane's family medicine moves the bowels each day. Price, 25c. and 50c. For sale by Godbe-Pitts Drug company, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Prince Consort Installed.

The Hague, March 21.—Queen Wilhelmina opened today's session of the state council which installed the prince consort as a member. The royal couple drove to the session in a closed carriage. The queen was dressed in green plush and the prince consort wore the uniform of a rear admiral. The prince made a brief reply to the queen's few words of congratulation. The ceremony lasted a quarter of an hour. Prince Henry has only a consultive voice in the council.

When children have earache, saturate a piece of cotton with BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT, and place it in the ear. It will stop the pain quickly. Price, 25 and 50 cents. Van Dyke's Drug Store, cor. Main and 3d South.

NEWS OF EASTERN STOCK MARKETS

Heavy Selling on the New York Exchange Checked.

NET GAINS FOR THE DAY

LONDON WAS DEPRESSED OVER THE TIEN TSIN AFFAIR.

New York, March 21.—The heavy selling by speculators to realize which carried the whole market down yesterday was checked today and there were general recoveries and a showing of net gains for the day in a majority of cases. There was continued pressure on the market at the opening of business, and it was emphasized by the depression in the London market on account of uneasiness over the Tien Tsin affair and fears of harder money there. But there was renewed buying of some stocks of such proportions and conducted with such confidence as to discourage the selling, and the subsequent rally was helped by the demand from quite an extended short interest left uncovered after yesterday's operations for the decline. The speculative leaders were very active in their efforts to cause a resumption of the strong bull market which has recently prevailed. They were only partly successful, although they had the assistance of a report late in the session that the Anglo-Russian difficulty had been settled.

A number of stocks were fairly buoyant during the day and others were markedly strong, but the advances were not all well held, and there were frequent reactions after the recovery had set in. Burlington was in demand from the shorts, and there was a combined upward movement at one time in the grangers, Pacifics and southwesterns. Heavy realizing met this advance and difficulty was encountered, especially in the case of Missouri Pacific, in the upward course. The Eries were the conspicuous feature of the later market and were lifted from 2½ to 7 points, the latter in the second preferred, on enormous buying.

Recently current reports of early dividend action were all revived. The Wabash securities were in good demand, the preferred rising 1¾ over last night. The movement in the Eries helped all the coalers. Sugar shot up 3½ points and People's Gas and Tobacco had their periods of strength. The International Paper stocks were strong, rising 2¼ and 4¼ for the common and preferred. National Salt gained 4¼ and the preferred 7. There was quite a long list of minor railroad stocks which moved up from 1 to 4⅝, and North American advanced 6¼ over last night.

Amalgamated Copper was strong on the regular dividend declaration. The steel stocks were decidedly quiet and moved narrowly, but recovered to some extent from early heaviness. Notwithstanding this quite impressive showing of strength, there was no renewal of the universal upward movement which affected the whole market at times during the last few days. That there is some latent uneasiness over the money outlook is shown by the eager discussion of the possibility that the secretary of the treasury will redeem government bonds and thus benefit the money market.

The railroad bond market continues very active, many new issues coming into prominence. The price movement was irregular. Total sales, $9,255,000. U. S. refunding 2s advanced ⅛ and the old 4s declined ⅛ per cent on the last call.

Bond Quotations.

U. S. 2s reg.	105	M. K. & T. 4s	96½
U. S. 2s ref. coup	106½	N. Y. C. 1sts	107¼
U. S. 3s reg	111¾	N. J. C. gen. 5s	134
U. S. 3s coup	111¾	N. P. 3s	72
U. S. new 4s reg	138¼	N. P. 4s	106
U. S. new 4s coup	138¼	N. Y. C. & St. L. 4s	108½
U. S. old 4s reg	113	N. & W. con. 4s	102½
U. S. old 4s coup	114	Ore. Nav. 1sts	110
U. S. 5s reg	111½	Ore. Nav. 4s	104
U. S. 5s coup	111½	O. S. L. 6s	127½
Dis. C. 3 5s	122½	O. S. L. 5s	116½
Atch. gen. 4s	104¾	Reading gen. 4s	94½
Atch. adj. 4s	94½	R. G. W. 1sts	100¾
Can. S. 2nds	108½	St. L. & I. M. con 5s	119
C. & O. 4½s	107¼	St. L. & S. F. gen. 6s	131¼
C. & O. 5s	121⅜	St. Paul cons	184½
C. & N. con. 7s	140½	St. P. C. & P. 1s	[illegible]
C. & N. S. F. deb. 5s	124	St. P. C. & P. 5s	120½
Chi. Term. 4s	97¼	So. Pacific 4s	92⅝
Colo. S. 4s	86⅝	So. Rail. 5s	116½
D. & R. G. 4s	102¼	S. R. & T. 6s	57
Erie gen. 4s	88⅝	T. & P. 1sts	119
F. W. & D. C. 1st	104½	T. & P. 2nds	98
Gen. Elec. 5s	176	U. Pacific 4s	106
Iowa C. 1sts	117½	Wabash 1sts	119¼
L. & N. Uni. 4s	101⅝	Wabash 2nds	110½
M. K. & T. 2nds	89¼	W. Shore 4s	115½
		Wis. C. 1sts	90⅝
		Va. Centuries	95½

Stock Quotations.

Atchison	60½	Tex. & Pac	32
Preferred	94⅝	W. & L. E.	15
Bal. & Ohio	92⅝	Second pfd	31
Can. Pacific	94¼	Wis. Central	19½
Can. Southern	61¾	Third Ave.	112½
Ches. & Ohio	46⅝	B. & O. pfd	91¾
Chi. Great W.	22⅝	Nat. Tube	59
C. B. & Q.	164⅝	Preferred	113
Chi. Ind. & L.	26⅝	Adams Ex.	155
Preferred	12½	American Ex.	189
Chi. & E. Ills	116½	United States	72
Chi. & N'west	178½	Wells-Fargo	138
C. R. I. & P.	129¼	Am. Cot. Oil	36
C. C. C. & St. L.	77¼	Preferred	85
Colo. Southern	11⅞	Am. Malting	5¾
First pfd	46	Preferred	27
Second pfd	20¼	Am. S. & R.	58
Del. & Hudson	165¾	Preferred	96⅝
Del. L. & W.	195½	Am. Spirits	1½
D. & R. G.	40⅝	Preferred	17
Preferred	91⅝	Am. Steel H.	41½
Erie	34⅝	Preferred	92
First pfd	69⅝	Am. Steel & W.	43⅛
Great N. pfd	20½	Preferred	108⅝
Hocking Coal	17¼	Am. Tin Plate	70⅛
Hocking Val.	53½	Preferred	114¾
Ills. Central	136¼	Am. Tobacco	128
Iowa Central	34	Preferred	144
Preferred	62¼	Anac. M. Co.	45¾
Lake E. & W.	52	B. R. T.	84¼
Preferred	121	Colo. F. & I.	49⅝
Lake Shore	210¼	Con. Tobacco	45¾
Louis. & Nash.	99⅝	Preferred	105
Manhattan L.	128	Fed. Steel	48⅝
Met. St. Ry.	106⅝	Preferred	101½
Mexican Cent.	24⅛	Gen. Electric	214
Minn. & St. L.	86½	Glucose Sugar	47
Preferred	112½	Preferred	94
Mo. Pacific	100	Int. Paper	24⅞
Mobile & Ohio	80½	Preferred	77½
M. K. & T.	24¼	Laclede Gas	83½
Preferred	58⅞	Nat. Biscuit	41½
N. J. Central	153	Preferred	96
N. Y. Central	146⅜	Nat. Lead	15⅛
Nor. & West	51¼	Preferred	82½
Preferred	85	Nat. Steel	52½
No. Pacific	88⅛	Preferred	113¾
Northern Pac.	68⅛	N. Y. A. B.	158
Ontario & W.	33⅛	No. American	32½
O. R. & N.	42	Pacific Coast	55
Preferred	78	First pfd	90
Pennsylvania	152¼	Second pfd	64
Reading	33⅞	Pacific Mail	33⅝
First pfd	73¾	People's Gas	107⅝
Second pfd	45⅞	Pressed S. Car	35¼
R. G. W.	65	Preferred	76
Preferred	97¼	Pullman P. Car	203
St. L. & S. F.	42⅝	S. R. & T.	4
First pfd	85	Sugar	143⅛
Second pfd	68⅝	Preferred	122½
St. L. S'west	33¼	Tenn. C. & I.	56½
Preferred	63¼	U. S. Leather	13
St. Paul	167¾	Preferred	75
Preferred	189	U. S. Rubber	19¼
St. P. & O.	125	Preferred	58½
So. Pacific	45⅝	Western Union	81⅛
So. Railway	26⅞	Amal. Copper	131⅝
Preferred	78⅝	Rep. I. & S.	16¾
Union Pacific	92⅝	Preferred	66⅞
Preferred	85⅝	P. C. C. & St. L.	63½
Wabash	19⅝		
Preferred	46½	Total sales	1,126,100

Stocks at London.

New York, March 21.—Commercial-Advertiser's London financial cablegram: The stock market here was generally weak in the early hours today on the imbroglio with Russia, but prices hardened later on some reassuring private messages which were received in the city from St. Petersburg. It was noted and it is notable that Russian securities were not affected in any way. Japanese securities, however, were flat.

London is taking a more serious view of the Korean dispute than it is of the clash at Tien Tsin.

American stocks, which started depressed under the cloud of weakness in New York last night, hardened a little on the Russian message to private persons here, and then were helped by the rise in New York. In the street, after the close, the advance in New York caused a sharp rally, especially in Eries and Northern and Union Pacifics.

Consols were 95½ at one time today, the lowest since January, 1892. The close of the market was in much better tone.

Money was easy.

Metal Markets.

New York, March 21.—Today's metal market was entirely without speculative energy. Tin was about 15 points lower than yesterday, as the result of disappointing cables. The market, however, ruled dull all day, closing at 25.25.

Copper was quoted at 17.00 for lake and 16.62½ for casting. A decline of 2s 6d was shown in London.

Lead remains dull and unchanged at 4.37½.

Spelter unchanged at 3.87½@4.92½.

Pig iron warrants nominally unchanged.

Loans, Exchange and Silver.

New York, March 21.—Money on call steady at 2¼@3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3½@4½ per cent; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87⅝@4.88 for demand and at 4.84⅝@4.84¾ for 60 days; posted rates, 4.85½ @4.89; commercial bills, 4.84@4.84½.

Silver certificates, 61½@63.

Bar silver, 66⅝.

Mexican dollars, 49.

Condition of the Treasury.

Washington, March 21.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $151,389,379; gold, $93,585,216.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago, March 21.—The provisions market opened strong on light hog receipts and higher prices at the stock yards. May pork 15@20 cents higher at 17.07@17.10. Selling by packers said to be acting for Armour, who is popularly believed to be in a position to control the market, started realizing by other longs and May broke on an excited market to 16.20. Armour was an open buyer of ribs in the meanwhile, his purchases being approximated at 2,000,000 pounds. This, together with the readiness of the market to absorb pork at the decline, caused a gradual raction in May pork to 16.45. The close was 55 cents under yesterday at 16.35. May lard closed a shade up and ribs 5@7½ cents higher. Armour is still believed to control the market, and some traders took the long side on the decline.

Wheat was only moderately active, the trade being chiefly of a professional character. At the opening yesterday's rumor of a clash between the Russian and English troops at Tien Tsin remained unconfirmed. Easier cables from Liverpool were in line with the supposition that the report was either unfounded or exaggerated. Northwest receipts were liberal and in addition to this bearish array of facts, the Price Current estimated the wheat in farmers' hands at 46,000,000 bushels more than the government approximation, and the warehouse stocks at 47,000,000 bushels more than appears at the points of which the official visible supply statement takes cognizance. May opened ¼c lower at 76¾@76⅞, sold to 76⅞, dipped to 76½ and recovered to 76¾. In the afternoon May dropped again to 76⅛, closing heavy, ⅝c under yesterday at 75⅝@76⅝.

Corn was moderately active, while the undertone of the market seemed easy. May closed ⅛c lower.

Oats were dull. May closed ¼c lower at 24⅞.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat—No. 2:	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Mar	75⅝	76⅝	75	75¼
April	75	76	75⅜	75½
May	76⅝@76⅞	76⅞	76⅛	76¼@76⅜

Corn—No. 2:	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Mar	.....	.....	.....	39⅞
May	41¼@41⅜	41⅜	41⅛	41¼
July	41⅜@41½	41½	41¼	41⅜

Oats—No. 2:	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
May	25 @25⅛	25⅛	24¾@24⅞	24⅞
July	24¾	24¾	24½@24⅝	24⅝

Mess Pork—Per Barrel:	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
May	17.05	17.10	16.20	16.35
July	15.50	15.52½	15.00	15.00

Lard—Per 100 Pounds:	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
May	7.90	7.95	7.85	7.87½
July	7.95	7.95	7.85	7.87½
Sept	8.00	8.00	7.90	7.92½

Short Ribs—Per 100 Pounds:	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
May	7.80	7.85	7.70	7.77½
Sept	7.77½	7.77½	7.67½	7.70

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Steady.

Wheat—No. 3 spring, 68½@74; No. 2 red, 75@77½.

Corn—No. 2, 40¼; No. 2 yellow, 40¼.

Oats—No. 2, 25⅝@26; No. 2 white, 28@ 28¾; No. 3 white, 27½@28½.

Rye—No. 2, 53.

Barley—Good feeding, 47; fair to choice malting, 52@57.

Flaxseed—No. 1, 1.05½; No. 1 northwestern, 1.56½.

Timothy Seed—Prime, 4.25.

Mess Pork—Per barrel, 16.20@16.25.

Lard—Per 100 pounds, 7.90@7.92½.

Short Ribs—Sides (loose), 7.70@7.90.

Shoulders—Dry salted (boxed), 6¼@6¾.

Sides—Short clear (boxed), 8.12½@8.25.

Whisky—On the basis of high wines, per gallon, 1.27.

Clover—Contract grade, 10.65@10.75.

Articles.	Rec.	Ship.
Flour, barrels	25,000	50,000
Wheat, bushels	115,000	19,000
Corn, bushels	245,000	138,000
Oats, bushels	239,000	169,000
Rye, bushels	8,000	8,000
Barley, bushels	26,000	4,000

Pacific Coast Grain Markets.

San Francisco, March 21.—Wheat—Steady. May, 1.02½; cash, 1.00.

Barley—No sales.

Corn—Large yellow, 1.12½@1.15.

Portland, Ore., March 21.—Wheat—Walla Walla, 57, bluestem, 59.

Wool Markets.

San Francisco, March 21.—Nevada, 11@ 13; eastern Oregon, 10@13; valley Oregon, 14@16; mountain lambs, 9@10; San Joaquin plains, 6@7; Humboldt and Mendocino, 10@11.

London, March 21.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today amounted to 12,379 bales. There was a large attendance. Competition was brisk and prices were firm. Merinos were in good request for Germany. High prices were paid by American buyers for suitable parcels of merinos, and they also bought several lots of cross-breds. Farmers' wool met with a brisk demand and sold well to America and France, the latter securing the bulk.

St. Louis, March 2.—Wool—Quiet. Territory and western medium, 14@15; fine, 11@15; coarse, 11@14.

Dairy Products.

Chicago, March