

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1877.

STOCK REPORT.

San Francisco Stock Exchange.
San Francisco, March 19.

MORNING BOARD.

400 Ophir—21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
180 Mexican—10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
320 Gould and Curry—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
320 Best & Belcher—28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
750 California—44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
250 Savage—6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
250 Con. Virginia—42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
100 Savage—6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
50 Con. Va.—42	42	42	42
135 Hale and Norcross—4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
265 Crown Point—8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
55 Yellow Jacket—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
125 Imperial—1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
115 Keweenaw—4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
80 Alpha—18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
55 Belcher—28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
10 Alpha—18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
525 Nevada—6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
20 Utah—18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
300 Bullion—15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
400 Eschbacher—6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
400 Overman—58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
100 Justice—12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
100 Success—58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
400 Overman—58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
400 Union Con.—7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
140 Lady Bryan—15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
415 Julia—18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
135 Caledonia—6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
80 Knickerbocker—2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
85 Baltimore—13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
30 S. Hill—5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
100 Chicago—2	2	2	2
100 Dayton—4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
30 N. Y. Con.—90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
200 Occidental—1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
300 Sheridan—9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
100 Alta—2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
100 Woodville—6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
100 Lady Wash—2	2	2	2
25 Kansas—4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
300 Andes—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
200 N. Con. Va.—40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
15 Prospect—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
100 Troyan—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2

EVENING BOARD.

100 Trojan & Ely—4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
320 Eureka Con.—17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
750 Alps—2	2	2	2
115 Eys Patch—20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
215 Leopard—4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
10 N. Belle—2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
40 Gen. Thomas—30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
225 Manhattan—8	8	8	8
240 Grand Pacific—40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
245 Modoc—34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
150 G. Charlot—32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
220 Leeds—2	2	2	2
160 Harrisburg—40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
90 Leeds—2	2	2	2
175 Crown Point—8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
100 Best & Belcher—28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
300 Ophir—21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
100 Nevada—6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
300 California—44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
100 Crown Point—8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
110 Overman—58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
80 Belcher—28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
65 Chollar—38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
555 Con. Va.—42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
300 Overman—58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
220 Gould & Curry—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
275 Union Con.—7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
225 Imperial—1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
10 Justice—12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
225 Mexican—18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
245 Yellow Jacket—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2

Direct Quotations.

Eschbacher—5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Best & Belcher—28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Utah—18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Ophir—21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Imperial—1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
California—44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Mexican—10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Con. Va.—42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Yellow Jacket—11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Leeds—2	2	2	2
Modoc—34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
New Coso—18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Overman—58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Eureka Con.—17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Arrivals and Departures.

BY THE EUREKA AND PALISADE RAILROAD.

Departures March 18.	
S. R. Nettleton	R. McAffee
J. B. Ivey	J. Gilbert
J. Jenkins	J. S. Marchant
R. F. Ward	Hop Lee
D. J. McLaughlin	N. Diamond
D. M. Tyrrell	E. Dunkel
Miss Dunk	

Arrivals March 18.	
W. O. Mills Jr.	J. Grandmeyer
John Vetch	L. E. Brown
J. C. Cunningham	Mrs. W. T. McCormick
	and two children
Chas. Small	M. B. Chamberlain
A. McKay	G. O. Thacher
C. G. Hubbard	Mrs. C. G. Hubbard
	and son

Departures Yesterday.	
M. B. Bartlett	Wm. Gill
J. A. Davis	E. W. Hamilton
Adam Clark	M. A. Kirk
F. R. Wittenburg	D. J. Washfield
Mrs. E. Leclair	and child
N. Roscoe	J. M. Anderson
L. B. Wadman	F. W. Tolley
A. Jenkins	Mrs. H. H. Brown
Mrs. Wolford & child	P. J. Clibbon
G. W. Leet	John Williams
A. Erno	Chinaman

Arrivals Last Night.	
A. L. Gurnoy	J. C. Cadden
Miss Mollie Fitter	Mrs. A. C. Cleveland
Mrs. Wolford	E. Cohen
J. Gillen	L. Springer
J. W. Tipton	J. E. Huffman

By the Tybo Stage Line.

ARRIVALS.

D. Rosenhal	
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Ploche, Hamilton and Eureka Line.

DEPARTURES.

G. Meyer	
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Personal.

Joe Grandmeyer, of White Pine county, returned on Sunday night from a visit to the Eastern States and met with more adventures while away than Sinbad the sailor. He just missed being blown up on a steamboat, had a thumb bit off by the door of an omnibus, and narrowly escaped getting married.

George Thacher, of the Corner, returned home night before last from Cherry Creek.

Father Scanlan left this morning for his home in Salt Lake City. The gentleman made many friends during his short stay in Eureka.

Mrs. Thomas Haley left yesterday morning for San Francisco.

Dr. Mark Chamberlain, a son of Mrs. Dr. Chamberlain, arrived on Sunday's train from the East. He has recently graduated from a St. Louis medical college.

E. Dunkel, one of the pioneer merchants of Eureka, and sister, left for San Francisco Sunday morning after a pleasant visit among their relatives here.

D. M. Tyrrell, Superintendent of the Meadow Valley mine, Ploche, left for Virginia City by Sunday's train.

M. B. Bartlett left yesterday morning for Carson, to be present at the trial of the Geddes & Bertrand suit.

General A. S. Gurney, the life insurance agent, is in town.

Mrs. A. C. Cleveland, of White Pine, was a passenger by last night's train.

R. M. Tully, Superintendent of the Geddes & Bertrand mine, left for Carson yesterday morning.

BULLS AND BEARS.

The Comstock and the Base Range.

The stock sharps are making desperate efforts to hasten the spring rise. Commissions are scarce, wash sales are getting to be monotonous, and the outside public do not enthrust to any great degree, notwithstanding the glowing reports of the experts who have lately visited the 1,650 foot level of the Virginia Consolidated. We do not doubt the truth of these statements, neither as to the extent or richness of the new ore bodies, but the fact that the market is very flat and languishing for the want of the usual speculative capital that in former times would have flooded the street with coin on the strength of such developments, is very significant and shows that the public have either a lack of confidence in the management or have been so thoroughly bursted out in the late panic that recuperation has as yet been impossible. The Chronicle, which is playing the role of a bear organ, seems to sway public opinion in the matter to a large extent, or at least has the outsiders in sympathy with its course.

The outside stocks do not seem to partake of the general depression but hold their own bravely. This is especially true in regard to the Eureka mines, which come up to the mark daily with a steady value and very little fluctuation in prices. If it were not for the litigation pending there is little doubt but that Eureka stocks would be booming, and we think that on the settlement of the lawsuits such will be the case. We would suggest that if there is any timid capital down at the Bay that is seeking a permanent and valuable investment, that the proprietors thereof take a look over into Eastern Nevada, where bonanzas are plenty and assessments few and far between. Not that we need any outside aid, for our mines pay from the croppings down, but their production of precious metals is confined to silver principally, and we are willing to exchange some of that article for gold coin, just to keep up a balance, as it were, a sort of double standard, as J. P. Jones would put it. As an extra inducement to the plated money bags, we would mention the advantages that we have over the Comstock in the fact that the ore of the Base Range contains enough lead to pay all the working expenses, including the president's salary, etc., leaving the precious metals a clear profit to the stockholders—always provided that dividends are declared. We might mention other advantages, such as the absence of water in the mines, doing away with the necessity of expensive pumping machinery, the rich grade of ores extracted, and their ease of working, the moral tone of the community which throws a safeguard around investments, and other items which, however, we leave to the imagination of the reader.

Eureka Consolidated.

The official letters of the Eureka Consolidated must be very encouraging to the stockholders in that mine. The reports represent the levels and cross-cuts as teeming with ore of a high grade, and its extraction is only a matter of time. The stock is held very firmly, and out of the 50,000 shares which the mine represents, only 8,000 or 10,000 are floating on the market, the balance being held in large blocks by capitalists, who have the greatest faith in the future of the mine. One encouraging feature is the thorough manner in which the prospecting and developing of the property has been carried on. We doubt if there is a mine in the State that is in better order or whose workings are more completely systematized. The stock has quoted very little, and is now quoted at \$18 1/2, at which figure there has been many investments in small lots by those of our citizens who consider it a good buy at that price. We believe their judgment will be verified in the future.

The Game Law.

The amended game law, which passed the last session, forbids the trapping of quail, or any interference with their nests. It shall be unlawful for any person to catch or kill a prairie chicken before September 1, 1877. It shall be unlawful to catch or kill game birds of any kind between the first day of April and the first day of September of each year. It shall be unlawful for any person to catch, kill, or have in his possession any deer, elk, antelope, mountain sheep, or goat between the first day of January and the first day of July of each year. The limit of penalty is \$200 fine and six months imprisonment. The act also protects, at all times, sparrows, blue birds, blue jays, thrushes, mocking birds, swallows, red breasts, cat birds, robbers and humming birds.

Rebellious Ore.

Some time ago a large quantity of ore of an unusually rebellious and obstinate character was extracted from the Richmond and Eureka Consolidated mines, and much difficulty was experienced in smelting it. It clogged the furnaces, would not separate from the slag, and retarded operations greatly. An experiment was made by roasting it in open heaps, and the piles smoldered and burnt for a space of three months, in the meantime emitting the most noxious fumes conceivable. After the roasting was completed a portion of it was run through the furnace, and we learn that there is no trouble in working it by the ordinary process, the burning having rendered it tractable and entirely overcome its rebellious qualities.

Collar Bone Broken.

Yesterday morning the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Goll fell down a short flight of stairs leading from the rear of their residence on Edwards street, and broke his collar bone. Doctor Cram was summoned to attend the injured child.

United States Patent.

A United States patent granted to A. Benedict on his claim to the Bald Eagle lode was filed for record yesterday at the office of the County Recorder.

The G. and B. Suit.

The suit of D. J. J. McLaughlin against the Geddes & Bertrand Company takes place this week in the Circuit Court now in session at Carson.

Improvements at the Consolidated Furnaces.

Superintendent Donnelly is making a number of valuable improvements at the Consolidated furnaces, which, when completed, will facilitate the delivery of ore and charcoal at the feeding floor of the works and enable the laborers to handle the material much more economically than at present. Ore dumps and charcoal bins have been built directly under the trestle-work of the railroad, and in such a position that the fuel and ore are discharged directly into their proper receptacles. The coal bins slope at an angle of forty-five degrees to the floor opposite the feed holes of the furnaces. The lower portion of the bins are laid with slats, through which the fine coal sifts through, leaving the fuel in the best possible shape to be used in the charge. The fine coal is carried to the boilers and utilized as a substitute for wood, effecting quite a saving in that item. The discharge shutters of the ore dumps are about ten feet from the ore level, and directly underneath. A railroad track is being built and cars constructed to run on it. These cars will be of the same construction as those used in the mines, and their employment will do away with the present system of wheeling in wheelbarrows. The track will extend through the building and will be constructed so as to deliver the ore at any desired point. Other improvements will be added as they suggest themselves to the Superintendent's mind, and if they are as much to the purpose as those described above, the furnaces will take on themselves the air of substantial and enduring structures.

The Colorado Mine.

This property is situated on the west side of Prospect mountain, immediately on the line of the Prospect mountain tunnel location. The owners of this property have filed an application for a patent. This mine is opened by two shafts and a tunnel. Shaft No. 1, seventy feet in depth, is in ore from top to bottom, and the ore averages from \$35 to \$40 per ton. Fifty feet south-west from shaft No. 1 is shaft No. 2, which is 50 feet in depth, and in the bottom there is six feet of ore, which assays from \$85 to \$112 per ton. Three hundred feet north of shaft No. 1 is a tunnel 65 feet in length. At winze No. 1, 50 feet in depth, there are two drifts, No. 1, fifty feet in length, and No. 2, fifty feet; winze No. 2 from this level is seventy feet in depth. From the bottom of this winze a drift runs south forty feet, in carbonate ore, which works from \$80 to \$117 per ton.

The Drummer Law.

County Clerk Harmon yesterday received a certified copy of the drummer law as passed by the last session of the Legislature. It provides that drummers, peddlers, etc., pay a tax of twenty-five dollars per month to the Tax Collector of any county where they solicit orders for their respective houses. The vendors of agricultural products from any State or Territory of the United States are exempt from payment of such tax, but drummers or agents can not represent more than one branch of trade with one license. The law being an amendment to the general revenue statute, it went into force immediately on its approval by the Governor. The next batch of drummers that come to town will be interviewed by Deputy Sheriff Nelson. A failure to comply with the law is punishable by a fine of not less than \$50 nor to exceed \$500.

Change.

The conductors on the Eureka and Palisade railroad will make Eureka their headquarters in future, instead of laying over at Palisade, as has been the usual custom.

The Railroad Company contemplates putting on an extra train if the spring business will justify it. A wild train, as it is termed in railroad parlance, is now employed daily in transporting the largely increased amount of freight offering in the items of wood and charcoal. Passenger traffic is also on the increase, but the arrivals and departures are about evenly balanced.

The Central Pacific is sending its eastern-bound emigrants through by the regular passenger trains, much to that class of travel's satisfaction.

A Four-Mile Race.

Arrangements have been perfected to have a four-mile race at the Willows course, to take place the 21st of next month. It will be a sweepstakes and four or more horses will run. This will be the first event of the kind taking place in this section of the State and will doubtless attract considerable attention. Due announcement of the race and time of closing entries will be given soon.

A Singular Discovery.

Some days since while George Bliss, Superintendent of the Water Works, was digging a trench on Spring street, he struck a stratum of earth completely filled with a variety of shells ranging from the minutest particle to those of the size of a pea. Some of the shells strongly resemble those of the clam. The question now is, how and when the shells got there? Specimens will be forwarded to Professor Frank Stewart.

Again Postponed.

The examination of Jimmy Tickle, for the shooting of Hugh Kelly, which was to have taken place yesterday, has been postponed until this morning. The condition of Kelly will not permit of his being in court, and District Attorney Merrill and defendant's attorney will go to Ruby Hill to-day for the purpose of taking his statement, after which the examination will be proceeded with.

Dead Horse.

The Moore brothers lost a fine livery horse on Sunday night, it having been taken sick on the road and dying a short time after reaching the stables. The animal was worth about \$200.

Silver Bars.

The Richmond Company this morning shipped by Wells, Fargo & Co., to San Francisco, 900 bars of bullion, valued at \$17,519.97.

Got a Posish.

There is a happy man in town. He received a letter yesterday from ex-Senator John Logan, "the tall sycamore of the Shawnee," in which that honorable gentleman promised our friend anything he wanted—a foreign mission, a valetship to Morton, or a pick out of the Postoffice Department. Poor fellow, his cup of joy was running over when we met him—running over at the mouth—and throwing his arms around our neck he muttered, "At last the country's (his) saved," that is, if the influence of such men as Senators Jones and Sharon, the Tall Shawnee and Sitting Bull, availeth. We mildly suggested that perhaps after all it would be but a delusive phantom, but the look that we received in return made us wish "we were dead." He is to have a postoffice sure, not a common second-handed affair, either; so Postmaster Wilson, of Eureka, or James, of New York, need not become alarmed and get up petitions to retain them—none of the small fry need be shaking in their boots, but someone in the neighborhood of Madison had better be learning a trade, for there is going to be a change in the department; the Tall Sycamore of the Shawnee has decreed it, Jones and Sharon have sanctioned it, the fiat has gone forth, who is there that saith nay?

On the Street.

Three hundred men to be put to work to-morrow at the Consolidated; all the furnaces to be started up; the suit has been compromised; restraining orders both vacated. Such were the rumors on the street yesterday. It started from some party saying that the suit had commenced at Carson yesterday, and grew into proportions until an immense strike had been made in the Consolidated, and from first to last it was all rumor. Nothing of the kind occurred, the hearing of the order to show cause did not even commence at Carson this week. "It is not the practice to commence at the bottom of the calendar in the courts of law. There is no likelihood of a compromise as yet, and the case will probably come up soon and be disposed of as promptly as possible. A mass of testimony is to be taken, which will occupy the Court for some days. Similar reports concerning the putting on of an additional force at the Richmond were also circulated, but were without foundation in fact. The situation remains about the same, and every one is hoping for the best.

At the Hamburg.

About half of the machinery intended for the new hoisting works at the Hamburg mine has arrived and is now on the ground. Work will be commenced to-day setting the boiler bed, and the stone foundation of the building will be started during the present week. The work will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible as the company is anxious to start on its bonanza. The building of two furnaces for the company will also shortly be commenced.

More New Goods.

Myers & Franklin have just received a new assortment of dress goods and fancy articles direct from Paris and the leading importing houses of New York city. The latest novelties in the dry goods line are included in the shipment just received, and ladies would do well to examine the stock while out shopping.

Bullion Shipments.

Wells, Fargo & Co. have made the following shipments of bullion since Sunday:

Yesterday morning one bar from the Martin White Company, Ward district, valued at \$970.87, to San Francisco; this morning two bars from the Tybo Company, valued at \$2,815.22.

Changing the Order of Things.

The old aphorism that "March comes in like a lion and departs like a lamb" wont do this time. This year it made its advent like Mary's faithful attendant, but should it keep up its lick it will exit like a red hot stove. But then don't take down your stove, it might snow to-morrow.

Character Defamed.

Joe Hanseman, a clerk in the employ of S. Ashim & Bro., has instituted a suit against D. Manheim for defamation of character, and lays his damages at \$10,000. The necessary papers have been served on defendant and the case will come up the present term of court.

Beautiful Flowers.

Many of our lady residents are now receiving handsome bouquets and neatly arranged baskets of flowers from the gardens and nurseries of California. It makes one long for the green hills and perfumed air of the Golden State to see them.

Hiding From Justice.

Constable McKay's trip to Alpha for the purpose of arresting Missouri Bill proved fruitless. William eluded the vigilance of the officer and hid himself on one of the coal ranches of that vicinity until officer McKay started back for home.

The Colleen Bawn Mine.

This location contains 1500 feet, and has a shaft 7x5, and is 35 feet in depth; the lode bears east 100 yards from the Justice mine, and about 1700 feet south from the Jackson hoisting works. The indications are very favorable for striking the great ore channel.

Paid the Damage.

Some weeks since a number of hogs, owned by B. J. Berry, were run over and killed by a passing train on the railroad to Ruby Hill, and the company have recently reimbursed Mr. Berry for his loss.

GERMAN LUNCH TRUCK.—Just received at Mrs. Ashim's a lot of Russian Caviar, Hamburg Sausage, Soused and Pickled Herrings, Sardines, and all sorts of German lunch-nick-bags. Also a large inventory of delicious Eastern bacon and hams. 237-1/2.

The famous St. Louis Lager beer, the best in America, finest for family use, sold by the glass, bottle or dozen, at Jim Kellogg's El Dorado Saloon.

Horticultural.