From Mines and Oil Fields

WISHES YARD DECISION HELD UP FOR PRESENT

lieve Ruling Is Good Law with Remedial Legislation

bles of the oil men brought about as a result of the applications by the land office of the Yard decision, and it was through the efforts of the chamber of more than active interest in the trought about as a result of the applications by the land office of the Yard decision, and it was through the efforts of the chamber of more than active interest in the trought about as a present the two apart and in the near future the was present the it was through the efforts of the chamber of mines and oil that Secretary Pierce on his recent visit to Los Angeles was enabled to hold a series of public meetings and met a number of the oil men, securing their opinions as to the headships imposed by the Vard to the hardships imposed by the Yard decision as applied to the transfer of

It is the consensus of opinion of the directors of the chamber that the Yard decision is "good law." In their opinion, however, the application to the transfer of locations on public lands supposed to evaluable for their petroleum content works an unusual hardship owing to the economical dif-ficulties incident to making the actual discovery of mineral required by law.

At the recent meetings held in Los

At the recent meetings field in Los Angeles it developed that the question of the assignment of locators of their rights was not squarely raised in the Yard case and was not necessary to the decision announced in that case, that it was "obiter dictum," or not essential to the decision on the main

The attorneys presenting other cases before Secretary Pierce based their pleadings upon the fact that this particular portion of the Yard decision being "obiter dictum" did not preclude the department from ruling otherwise in the oil land cases now before the department.

It would seem, therefore, that a spe-

cial appeal to the interior department to withhold the application of the Yard decision to oil land cases until such time a remedial legislation is passed by congress should have its effect.

GIROUX WANTS FREIGHT RATES REDUCED AT ELY

ELY, Nev., Nov. 11.-Complaining of the arbitrary methods of fifteen dif-ferent railroads in the western states, whose commodity and class rates are attacked as unreasonable, the Giroux Consolidated Mines company is making a determined effort to obtain more satisfactory terms from the railroad interests in a petition which was filed with the interstate commerce commis

and joint rates from Chicago and Mississippi river points and from Denver and Pueblo covering the shipment of all commodities and classes of freight moving to points on the Nevada Northern through Chicago is demanded by the Giroux company.
Since the Cole-Ryan crowd as

sumed control of the Giroux proper ties almost two years ago, that company has disbursed \$135,000 in pay ment of freight charges on machiner that was shipped into the Ely distric

Out of this amount the Giroux company claims that the Nevada Northern has received 42 per cent of the freight expenditures for the 150-mile haul from Cobre to Kimberly.

With the exception of coal and lumber the Giroux people aver that they denied carload rates on other com-

"The petition which has been submitted to the interstate commerce commission was prepared in the eastern offices of the company," said Manager F. P. Mills of the Giroux Constitution o ager F. P. Mills of the Giroux Consolidated. "I was aware of the fact that the head officials were preparing to take steps toward getting bette freight rates. I am not acquainted with the details of the charges that are made in the petition.'

ECKSTROM COMPANY ISSUES REPORT ON 2 NEW WELLS

The E. G. Eckstrom company yesterday issued a report on its two properties in the Midway field, of which e following is part:
"We have received a report from Su-

perintendent Paulsen today
shows Maricopa Northern well No. 1
drilled to a depth of 324 feet, with 280
feet of 12½-inch casing installed, and
the Midway Northern well No. 2 is
drilled to a depth of 512 feet with 480
ference Can. 7¾
Green Can. 7¾
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Seet of 12½-inch casing installed, Both is the most treacherous formation that will be encountered in the entire depth of the wells. Notwithstanding this, however, the crews on each well are making rapid progress and successfully Max Con. combating all obstacles. We are very mich pleased with the amount of development accomplished velopment accomplished and can already count the days when these two

wells will be flowing.

"To demonstrate the machine-like manner in which the work is being conducted on the property, will say manner in which the work is being conducted on the property, will say that the crews that go on tower at 12 o'clock noon eat their lunch at 11:30 a.m. and then go to their respective positions, taking the drills out of the hands of the crews that go off tower starded by the crews that go off tower standard oil.610 cm standar at noon, there being no loss of time Cns Stmp R 17 Whatever in the change. The same plan Rust Coal'n 174 is followed out in the change of crews at midnight."

NATIONAL MINE SHIPS GOLD BULLION BY MAIL

NATIONAL, Nev., Nov. 11.—Twelve bars of bullion belonging to the Na-tional Mines company and of the ap-proximate value of \$30,000, were shipped from Winnemucca by express to the United States mint in San

Francisco Wednesday. This bonanza property is maintaining a steady production of close to \$250,000 a month and is sending out part of its bullion by mail, as well as the shipuments that are made by

are being paid by this company, which has distributed \$187,500 among its stockholders since July, in which

C.P.R. CONTRACTS FOR 2500 BARRELS A DAY

Railroad with All Fuel for Coast Craft

S. E. Vermilyea, attorney and oil operator, and W. C. Kennedy of the dependent agency has made a contract operator, and W. C. Kennedy of the Baker iron works left yesterday as a special committee from the Los Angeles chamber of mines and oil to be a price which, after expenses have been deducted, will not be seller 50. at a price which, after expenses have been deducted, will net the seller 50 cents a barrel at the well. The required amount to be delivered is 12,500 barrels a day, but the agency have now practically come to an agreement of the local organization have taken an active interest in the troubles of the cil were housely at a price which, after expenses have been deducted, will net the seller 50 cents a barrel at the well. The required amount to be delivered is 12,500 barrels a day, but the agency have now practically come to an agreement over certain details of transportation which for a few days kept the two apart and in the near future.

All the locomotives of the Canadan the company with its production from several enormous wells.

has proved so satisfactory that it was and in production. determined to close this contract with the agency for all the fuel oil the road tive ground and the yield of the wells

MARKETERS, ENCOURAGED, FEEL FOR NEW BUSINESS

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 11.—The rels a day, but half a mile of tubing present production of fuel oil and the dropped into the hole and impeded the nopeful outlook that it will be sustained for some years to come is enabling the marketers to reach out and get and accommodate new business. Of course there is a market for it, recently remarked a prominent mem-ber of one of the big marketing con-cerns. "But that market cannot be with on the basis of gusher pro-

"There must be something more de-pendable than that. We cannot and vill not contract to deliver oil on the basis of an uncertain supply."

MINING QUOTATIONS

NEVADA STOCKS

Exclusive dispatch to The Herald by L. A. Crisler & Co., members of Los Angeles stock exchange, 200-201 I. W. Hellman building,

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11.—There was no improvement in the market for mining stocks on Bush street today. Trading was light and for the most part of a professional character. The entire list was heavy, but the selling pressure was light and the declines small. Goldfield Consolidated was down 2½ points, Fraction 1 and Jumbo Extension 1.

In the Tonopah list, Belmont showed a loss of 2½ points, Jim Butler 2 and West End 2. Round Mountain was in fair demand and showed a gain of 2 points. The bullion production of this company for the month of October amounted to \$32,000.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 11 .- Following wer

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Centennial .. 191/2 Con Mercur. 5

do pfd 6 North Lake.. 20 Indiana 1 La Dura Mining company, on the

ling labor and time saving appliances. A telephone line is in course of con-struction, and when ompleted it will connect the mill at La Concentration with La Gloria mine, a mile down the river, and La Prieta, another mine belonging to the company, two or three miles back in the hills. At Mina, Mexico, a day's ride beyond

yopa, there is in course of construc-tion a 75-ton water jacket smelter which will be completed and ready for the discovery is, but the samples suboperation about the first of January. The product will be matte, which will be shipped. W. E. Pomeroy, a com-

Operations have been resumed at the ipa district, away out beyond the Yaqui river two or three days' ride. Recently there went to the camp Mr. of the company. The Industrial Mining company, which is a fine property westward from Carbo about thirty-five miles-

in the Carnero mountains-is arranging to resume operations, and anticipates making a start this month.

PALMER TO JOIN THE INDEPENDENT AGENCY

Chamber of Mines Directors Be- Independent Agency Will Supply Company with Large and Steady Production in Santa Maria Comes Through

SANTA MARIA, Nov. 11-One of

verted into oil burners.

The company has already made an oil burner of one of its ships, the Princess Marie, and the experiment princess Marie, and the experiment is especially strong, both financially

the agency for all the fuel oil the road and its Puget sound and coast craft can consume.

MARKETERS ENCOURAGED

tive ground and the yield of the wells is remarkably large and constant.

The history of No. 1, which is now over 2 years old, shows that it has been delivering each day with little or no variation 1600 barrels of fuel oil, which record has been kept up for

Previous to that it made 8000 bar-

RAILROAD MAY BUILD NORTHWEST OF BENSON

BENSON, Ariz., Nov. 11.—Another reason for the E. P. & S. W. to extend northwest from Benson is the favorable result from prospecting by the Copper Queen company on the Maverick group, north of Florence, remote from any railroad.

Last week Engineer Woodrow of the Copper Queen company inspected the work. Prospectors from the camp say the prospect shaft was 105 feet deep, and the botom was still in ore-native

and the botom was still in ore—native copper and chalcocite.

That the E. P. & S. W. company is taking special interest in the survey now being made for a branch from the San Pedro valley north of Benson to the Copper Queen holdings in the Catalina mountains is evident from the fact lina mountains is evident from the fact that J. L. Campbell, chief engineer of the railroad company, went out there

C. & A. BUYS SUPERIOR COPPER AT LORDSBURG

last week.

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 11.—The Superior copper mine at Lordsburg, N. M., which was owned by El Paso men, has been sold to the Calumet and Ari zona Mining company, controlled by the Cole-Ryan syndicate of New York. The sale was made by W. F. Payne

SILENT KING CLAIM

district, where such properties as the King of Arizona, the North Star, the

Blue Stone and the Ironwood proper-

ties are located, the two latter belong-

ing to and being operated by Charley Sorm, Arizona mining operator. The new district is known as the New Al-

The mineral belt is about seven miles

The fifther best is about the miles wide. The formation is an intensive porphyry through a rhyolite field. The

phyry through a rhyolite field. The quartz ledges, which are large and prominent, cut through the formation

n an easterly and westerly direction.

The entire field is of volcanic origin

The large ore bodies occur in the intru-

ion through the eruptive formation

sion through the eruptive formation. The pivotal property has a shaft 130 feet deep, all of which is in high grade ore, some samples assaying into the thousands of dollars. But the general average in the shaft is about \$200 to the ton with a small percentage of gilver, it is said. Aside from the beta

silver, it is said. Aside from the better grade of ore they have considerable medium grade miling ore.

Several lines of business have been

started in the new camp and many more will start as soon as the freight

can be hauled from Vicksburg, a sta-tion on the Santa Fe. The present

the volume of fresh cool air that come

Cleveland has made another strike

mitted for inspection will run \$500 to

Cal Gregory is performing his annual

RUNS OIL FROM NO. 2

MARICOPA, Nov. 11 .- The Consoli-

dated Midway is running oil from its

No. 2 well on the southeast quarter of section 32-12-23 to the receiving

The well sands up frequently, but the hole is becoming free from sand and the indications are for a good well.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—Standard copper dull; spot, \$12.40@12.45.

Lead quiet, \$4@4.50.

NEW YORK MARKET

tanks on fractional section 30.

PRICES OF METALS IN

HIGH GRADE COPPER

CENTURION STRIKES

Mr. Payne had an option on the Lordsburg copper mine for \$85,000, and the sale to the C. and A. company was at an advanced price. The new com-pany is now working the mine and has returns on the first shipment of ore from it. In addition to being a paying copper property, the Superior mine runs in gold and silver.

PREPARES TO WORK

La Ventura Oil company, organized La Ventura Oil company, organized in September to operate on 160 acres in Ventura county, is said to be making preparations to begin. Directors of the company are: A. R. Worth, president; E. R. Cammet, secretary; F. R. Pitney, treasurer, and H. F. Austin.

BANKERS DELIVER 21,000

KERN RIVER, Nov. 11.—Deliveries from the Bankers property for October amounted to 21,000 barrels, to the Associated

SONORA BRIEFS

DOUGLAS, Nov. 11 .- At the Sar Geronimo mine, over near the San Miguel river, eastward from Posa station, the new 100-ton concentrating mill has been completed, and shipments of high-grade concentrates are going forward.

Material is at Toledo to construct a telephone line to the Mina Mexico, beyond the Yaqui, to connect with the population is about 500. line now ramifying from Toledo to San Javier, La Dura, La Libertad and

Frank Richardson of the Richardson Construction company has re-turned from Esperanza to Los Angeles. He was accompanied by E. F Elliott, from San Buenaventura, Cal who is interested in the Yaqui delta The C. M. Wooster company of Los Angeles and San Francisco, which is operating extensively in Sonora river valley lands, is reported making preparations to build a projected canal to irrigate the Bushard tract, just below Villa Seris, across the river from Her-

Yaqui, is reported giving the mechin-ery a general overhauling, and instal-

the Yaqui river from Toledo or Sopetent mining man who has operated in Sonora and Chihuahua many years, is general manager. is general manager.

uncovered ore which assays \$20 in gold Santa Eduviges mine, in the Sahuar- and copper. Baker, from Trenton, N. J., president

A tunnel has been run more than 300 feet in solid limestone. When work stopped for want of funds, the ground had changed and the face of the tunnel was in soft calcite spotted with silver chlorides and bromides. The calcite is believed to be the vein casing, with a goodly ore body not far be-

BUILDING PERMITS

CONTAINS RICH ORE Following are the permits issued Sycamore avenue—B. L. Trout, 215 since the last publication of the list North Magnolia avenue, owner; E.

\$75,931 Totals

Fortuna street, 5612-L. M. Brown 1548 East Fifty-third street, owner and builder; one-story three-room resi-Eighth street, 1001 West-C. W. Ba-

ker, 2432 South Figueroa street, owner; Z. C. Lappell, builder; addition to res-Bonita street near Melrose avenue-L. B. Burck company, 142 South Spring street ,owner and builder; one-story

six-room residence, \$1500. Bonita street near Melrose avenue-L. B. Burck company, 142 South Spring street, owner and builder; one-story five-room residence, \$1400. Forty-eighth stret, 1827 West-H. E. Casselman, 851 East Fifty-first street, owner and builder; one-story six-room

residence, \$2000. Irolo street, 753—F. B. Moiso, 642 North Hill street, owner and builder: one-story eight-room residence, \$3000. Virgil avenue, 147 South—Alice Clute, 619 Commonwealth avenue, owner; Gardner & Conklin, builders; 1½-story seven-room residence, \$3500.

Fifth avenue near Montclaire avenue -Harriet Morgan, 2620 La Salle avenue, owner; N. F. Whittemore, build-

er; one-story five-room residence, \$1500. Forty-seventh place, 224 West—G. A. Penell, at lot, owner and builder; one-story one-room residence, \$200. Anderson street, 1100 North—E. B. Osborn, 951 West Eighth street, owner; G. F. Pratt, builder: one-story one-room business building, \$1350.

DRAGOON, Ariz., Nov. 11.—The Centurion company has just entered the finest body of high-grade copper ore ever encountered on its property. The McKinley avenue, 3527-Home Builders, Mason opera house building, own-er and builder; one-story five-room residence, \$1400.

strike was made at the 425-foot level in the east drift. The ore is high-grade green carbonate of copper occurring in Twenty-seventh street near Fifth ava large body of red oxide of iron and sulphur. All indications point to very enue—J. B. Ridgway, 2265 West Twen-ty-third street, owner and builder; extensive bodies deeper down, and from 11/2-story six-room residence, \$1500. Santa Cruz street, 1917-L. W. Brand up from below, one concludes that the system of caves extends to unknown a lot, owner; C. H. Perry, builder, one-story three-room residence, \$250. San Julian street, 3814—J. B. Metz-ger, 3810 San Julian street, owner and depths. This is evidence of vast and valuable bodies with greater depth. The Texas-Arizona shipped another car of high-grade lead carbonate ore builder; one-story five-room residence,

San Francisco street, 2806—S. G. Ramsay, 2526 East Second street, own-It is understood that the Arizona and er and builder; one-story five-room resrich galena ore on the property each of the Ben X. Williams group.

On the Princess group of the Empire company some very rich tungsten of idence. \$700. Thirty-ninth street, 1267 West-Edward Whipple, owner and builder; onestory two-room residence, \$250. Hollywood, Morningside court near

> room residence, \$226.
> Pomona street, 3404—.. W. Gibson, 355 North Alta street, owner and buildone-story five-room residence,

Gordon street near Santa Monica boulevard—Los Angeles Ice and Cold Storage company, Seventh and Mesquite streets, owner and builder; onestory one-room wagon shed, \$150.
Fifty-third street, 1101 East—Eddie
Drake, 1715 East Fifty-first street,
owner; Giles Drake, builder; alterations of residence, \$300.
Toberman street, 1633—Alex Mendel-

son, 544 South Broadway, owner; J. A. Weddle, builder; alterations of the building, \$1530.

Hollywood, Wilson avenue near E!
Centro avenue—John Bender, 317 Wilson avenue, owner; John Ward, builder; addition to residence, \$200.

San Pedro, 670 West Ninth street—

El Haunt 219 Center street. owner and

builder; one-story four-room residence, \$400.

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Holywood, Hawthorne avenue near residence, \$3500. Hollywood, Palm avenue near Hollywood boulevard—Mrs. L. C. Godfrey, 507 Hollywood boulevard, owner; E. Fossler, builder; addition to residence,

Gless street, 118 South-Samuel Bernege, 1029½ West First street, owner; Michael Pivovaroff, builder; to move

and alter residence, \$150. Grand avenue, 1814 South—C. A. Patten, at lot, owner; Adams Street Building company, builder; alterations of residence, \$500.

Glassell street, 2720—L. K. Palter,

2100 East Ninth street, owner and builder; one-story five-room residence,

Mariposa avenue near Third street— W. P. Layton, 386 Mariposa avenue, owner; L. B. Lesperance, builder; addition to residence, \$100. Eleventh street, 352 West—Alex. Mac-Keigan, 353 South Hill street, owner; Milwaukee Building company, builder;

three-story 39-room apartment house, Fifty-first place, 1252 West-B. Hancock, 923 West Fourth street, owner; J. R. King, builder; one-story sixroom residence, \$1600. Kingsley drive, 691—William

nedy, at lot, owner; J. P. Kuhn, builder; 1½-story two-room garage, \$500. Leighton avenue, 1260—D. C. Gates, 256 Leighton avenue, owner and builder; one-story seven-room residence,

Twenty-fourth street, 210 East-Jen nie McComas, 3123 Manitou street, owner; G. E. Jay, builder; two-story 12-room flat building, \$5150. Moneta avenue, 5909-Mrs. A. Thay er, 105 South Bunker Hill avenue, owner and builder; one-story three-room residence, \$400. Forty-second street, 1327 East-L. P.

McLaughlin, 1851 East Thirty-ninth street, owner; H. S. Harley, builder; one-story five-room residence, \$1500.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE WILL **ENTER NEW ROOMS TODAY**

Regular Call Sessions to Be Held at Public Market

Beginning today, the regular call sessions of the produce exchange of Los Angeles will be held in the new quarters fitted up at the public mar ket, corner of Sixth and Alameda Sunset boulevard—H. Arnott, owner;
J. A. Carpnter, builder; one-story six-room residence, \$2400.

Hoover street, 6612 South—N. Audricupolas, Angelus hotel, owner; P. J.
Leaver & Co., builders; one-story two-room residence, \$226. kinds of produce will now be listed.
Provision is made for comfortable
quarters for the board of directors for
the Produce Men's club and the rooms of the secretary and committees.

BROOKS OIL INCREASES CAT CANYON PRODUCTION

SANTA MARIA, Nov. 11.-The Brooks Oil company in Cat canyon reports an increasing production from No. 2 lately brought in at 2540 feet. When first put to test this well pumped about 400 barrels daily but has now reached the 600 mark and is increas-

ing steadily.

The management has decided to make an effort to save its No. 1 hole, which was badly handled after getting down 300 feet with nne oil showings. This hole will be cemented back past the collapsed casing and the upper sands

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