**Dips, Spurs and Angles**

Work will soon be resumed in the development of the Dollarhide mine near Hallel, Idaho.

The Shamrock, of Marysvale, Utah, will soon have another shipment of highgrade ore on the market.

The Pittsburgh Idaho Mining company, of Gilmore, Idaho, has posted its second dividend of three cents a share.

It is stated that considerable new ore is being exposed in the Star Consolidated, in Tintic district, Utah, by lessees.

A strike of highgrade ore has been made in the Mizpah mine, near Moors Flats, California, owned by W. S. Gregory.

The Gilsonite company, operating near Myton, Utah, is shipping a car of gilsonite weekly, loading on the cars at Price.

J. W. Duffield has resumed work in the development of the Copper Bell property in Newfoundland district, Box Elder county, Utah.

The Lead Queen M. & M. company, of Magill, Nevada, has contracted its mine output to the United States Smelting company, of Salt Lake.

The Goldfield Belmont, of Goldfield, Nevada, has three feet of ore exposed in a stope on the 300-foot level that averages $200 to the ton.

The Tonopah-Belmont, of Tonopah, Nevada, produced $148,176, net, in July. For the same period Tonopah Mining made a net profit of $120,415.

Considerable excitement exists in western Nevada over the new strike made at Terrill, thirty miles south of Fallon. The ore from the new discovery is said to be very rich.

The old stamp mill at Dos Cabezas, Arizona, has been remodeled and placed in commission by Charles Davies, who has a bond and lease on a gold property near that place.

The mines of Park City, Utah, shipped 3,640 tons of ore during the month of July, as follows: Daly West, 3,380 tons; Silver King Coalition, 2,898 tons; Daly Judge, 1,693; Grasslii Chemical company, 681 tons; Ontario leasers, 357 tons; Little Bell, 267 tons, and C. H. Moore, 20 tons. In addition to the Allegany oil well, recently "brought-in" in the Spring Valley field in Wyoming, two other new producers have been reported—the Ben-Jo Oil syndicate and the T. C. Oil company. According to advice from Evanston, there are now twenty-six producing oil wells in the Spring Valley field.

The Miner, of La Plata, Colorado, is a new paper in an old mining camp. The Miner is published by Frank McQ. Hartman, and is a typical mining publication, being filled with readable news and chock full of push and vitrager. It is a most creditable paper, and should be of great benefit to the grand old camp it represents.

The Independence Placer Claims company, composed of Spokane and Wallace people, is organizing a force to work its properties on Moose and Independence creeks, below Moose City, Idaho, which was a prominent mining center forty-seven years ago. Recent discoveries of gold are the causes leading to this renewed activity in ore of the oldest placer camps in the Coeur d'Alene district.

The Utah Oil Refining company, of Salt Lake, will hold its annual meeting on Sept. 12th, at which time the capitalization of the company may be increased from 100,000 shares of $1 each to 200,000 shares of the same par value. In addition, $100,000 in bonds may be decided upon. The company, of which J. C. Howard is manager, has an oil refining plant in Nort Salt Lake, and is doing a flourishing business.

A New York special to the Record of Pioche, Nevada, states that E. R. Woolley has transferred to L. Vogelstein, of New York, a controlling interest in the Amalgamated Pioche Mines & Smelters company, the Nevada-Utah Mines & Smelters corporation, and in the Day-Bristol Con. Mines company. It is expected that, under the new control, a new era of activity and prosperity will be opened for Pioche.

Horst-Powell mine in the North Fork section of the Coeur d'Alenes, owned by E. E. Horst, of Kingston, Idaho, has two cars of sorted ore ready to be hauled to the railroad. The property has been working steadily for several months. The latest work has disclosed ore of far better quality than found heretofore, which, it is believed, will pay to haul the six or seven miles to the railroad and ship without reduction.

The directors of the Pittsburgh-Idaho mines at Gilmore, Idaho, have just declared a second dividend of three cents a share. The new compressor which was ordered some time ago, and the pneumatic drill, are now being installed. There is much activity at the camp, the mines sending out from sixteen to eighteen cars of ore a week. Several properties will begin shipping in a short time. Work is progressing on the Alle and the Silver Dollar mines.

The Utah Copper company has declared its regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents a share, on outstanding stock, amounting to $1,177,011, payable September 30th. The payment of this dividend will make a total disbursement, so far this year, of $3,526,010, and a total of $10,385,460 for the few years the company has been paying dividends, equaling $3.25 cents a share. The Nevada Consolidated has also posted its regular quarterly dividend of 37½ cents a share, making a grand total, to date of $3.2 a share, or $35,605,464.

Conrad Wolfe, of Spokane, president of the United Copper Mining company at Chevelah, Wash., announces that the 75 ton concentrator will be in operation in September. Operations will be started soon on the lower tunnel, designed to tap the ore vein at the 1,000-foot level. The drive is in 500 feet. At the 525-foot level the vein is from five to twenty-five feet in width. A large body of low-grade ore was found recently 600 feet south of the old shoot. Regarding the rumors of a sale, Mr. Wolfe said that the property is not on the market.

A. G. Hillen, of Las Vegas, Nevada, has issued a circular letter descriptive of the mineral resources of Eldorado Canyon district, forty miles southeast of Las Vegas. In a summary of the development work done it is shown that, in numerous properties, the gold-bearing ledges range from five to sixty feet in width, while large bodies of payable milling ore have been exposed in mine workings. Eldorado is a great district. It is very heavily mineralized and is worthy of careful and systematic investigation by those looking for good mining opportunities.

The New Stockton Mining company, of Salt Lake, owning valuable property near Stockton, Utah, quite recently made exhaustive tests on New Stockton lowgrade ores, employing the Kidder dry concentrating process. The run, it is stated, was very satisfactory. A quantity of ore from the mine, assaying .055 ounce gold, 2.1 ounces silver, and 8.9 per cent lead was treated, the concentrates showing a value of .08 ounce gold, 2.5 ounces silver, and 55.5 per cent lead to the ton. The ore is a carbonate, and is difficult to handle satisfactorily by the wet process of concentration. It is more than likely that a Kidder dry concentrator will be added to the equipment of the New Stockton mill.

The Utah mine, of Fish Springs district, Utah, recorded an output of four cars of high grade ore during the month of August.

The Ohana Gold Mining company, operating near Blackhorse, White Pine county, Nevada, will soon equip its property with an air compressor and machine drills, and a gasoline hoisting plant. It being the intention to sink to the water level and drift back into the mountain, where the orebodies will be uncovered at a vertical depth.
of from 600 to 700 feet. This work will develop three parallel veins which, on the surface, are from five to six feet in width, each. Investors who recently made an exhaustive examination of the company's property have recently taken over $20,000 of Ohana stock in order that this development and equipment might be carried on. A. G. Burritt, of Salt Lake, who was the originator of this enterprise, has been re-elected president and general manager of the company, and future work will be carried on under his direct supervision. The orders for the necessary machinery are now being placed. Those who are interested in the Ohana will be pleased to learn that Mr. Burritt is again in charge of this valuable and promising proposition.

The Aura King Mining company, of Ogden, is arranging to resume work in the operation of its valuable property in Elko county, Nevada. In commenting upon this enterprise the Standard, of Ogden, says: "Many years ago placer mining was carried on to a considerable extent in Blue Jacket canyon, Bull Run Mountain, Nevada, and the richest placer workings were in the creek bed, just below where a large spring or underground stream comes out of the side of the mountain, over a vein of ore, on ground now owned by the Aura King Gold Mining company, in which many Ogden people are interested. This same underground stream is encountered on the vein in extending the present tunnel on Aura King, and it has been demonstrated that much of the rich placer gold in the old workings came largely from the decomposed ore brought out by this underground stream. A new tunnel has now been started to follow in the vein on the course of this underground stream and pipe the water to one side so that the vein can be worked and the gold ore extracted."