

That mining is profitable is proved by the following list of dividends paid by mining companies in the States during the month of June and for the six months ended June 30th, 1889:—

	No.	Month June.	Per share.	Total 6 mos.
Alma Con of Idaho.....	1	\$... ..	.03	\$ 15,000
Aspen M. & S. Co., Col.....	6	40,000	1.20	240,000
Atlantic Copper, Mich.....	1	.....	2.00	80,000
Boston & Montana, M. T.....	2	.....	3.00	300,000
Caledonia, Dak.....	6	8,000	.48	48,000
Calumet & Hecla, Mich.....	1	.....	5.00	500,000
Central Copper, Mich.....	1	.....	3.00	80,000
Colorado Central Col.....	3	13,750	.15	41,250
Copper Queen, Ari.....	1	.....	.50	70,000
Cou Cal. & Va., Nev.....	5	108,000	2.50	540,000
Confidence, Nev.....	1	.....	1.00	24,900
Daly, Utah.....	6	37,500	1.50	225,000
Delhi, Cal.....	1	.....	.50	50,000
Deer Creek, Idaho.....	1	10,000	.05	10,000
Dunkin, Col.....	2	.....	.10	20,000
Evening Star, Col.....	1	.....	.25	12,500
Granite Mountain, M. T.....	6	200,000	2.50	1,000,000
Homestake, Dak.....	6	12,500	.90	112,500
Hecla Con, M. T.....	6	15,000	3.00	90,000
Illinois, N. M.....	1	.....	.20	20,000
Idaho Gold Quartz, Cal.....	6	15,500	35.00	108,500
Iron Silver, Cal.....	1	.....	.20	100,000
Ivanhoe, Cal.....	1	10,000	.05	10,000
Jay Gould, Mon.....	6	10,000	.20	74,000
Jackson, Nevada.....	1	5,000	.10	5,000
Mammoth, Utah.....	1	.....	.....	10,000
Monitor G. M. Co., Dak.....	1	.....	.05	12,500
Morning Star, Col.....	1	.....	.25	25,000
Montana (Limited) M. T.....	1	.....	.06½	41,250
Mount Diablo, Nev.....	2	.....	.60	30,000
Nevado, Nev.....	3	.....	.30	30,000
N. Y. & Honduras Rosario, C. A.....	2	.....	.20	30,000
Napa, Cal.....	1	.....	.10	10,000
Ontario, Utah.....	6	75,000	3.00	450,000
Original, M. T.....	1	.....	.05	3,000
Oreola Copper, Mich.....	1	.....	1.00	50,000
Parrott M. T.....	.....	.....	.....	36,000
Pinalco, Nev.....	3	.....	.....	30,000
Pyrenees, M. T.....	1	.....	.05	5,000
Pelican Eagle.....	2	.....	.....	10,000
Pumas Eureka, Cal.....	1	.....	.50	70,313
Quicksilver of Cal.....	2	.....	3.00	128,740
Silver Cord, Cal.....	1	.....	.10	50,000
Sierra Nevada, Idaho.....	1	.....	.02	20,000
Small Hopes, Col.....	1	25,000	.10	25,000
Silver Mines of L. V., N. M.....	1	25,000	.05	25,000
Tamarack, Mich.....	2	.....	10.00	400,000
Ward Con., Col.....	1	.....	.05	10,000
Webb City, Missouri.....	4	1,100	.40	4,400
Young America, Cal.....	1	.....	.02	10,000

Total.....\$611,350 \$5,292,913

The Lookout M. Company is reported to have paid 6 dividends of two cents each, aggregating \$60,000. The Grady M. & S. Co., one of \$20,000. The Cortez of Nevada one of fifty cents, and the Charleston S. C. M. & M. Co., one of \$3.50 per share.—*Financial & Mining Record*.

MONTAGUE.—Another fine lot of gold specimens were on exhibition in Halifax taken from the Annand property.

MOOSE HEAD DISTRICT.—The ten stamp mill erected on the McMan property is doing good work. It was erected under the supervision of Mr. McPherson, whose skill as a millwright is now acknowledged throughout the Province.

The *Canadian Mining Review* is republishing Mr. E. Gilpin's paper on "Coal Mining in Nova Scotia," and the June number has an interesting paper on "the Empress Mill," Renfrew district, N. S., by J. E. Hardman M. E., of Oldham. The latter article is, however, somewhat marred by the absence of plates to which reference is made.

The State Mine Inspector of Iowa reports the output of coal in that State in 1888 at 3,864,490 tons, which is about the average production of the past five years.

There were 297 coal mines worked in France in 1886, giving an output of 19,910,000 tons, of which 10,373,000 tons were produced in the departments of the Nord and Pas des Calais. The consumption of coal in France has not increased in the ratio of the production. The imports of foreign coal into France diminished 761,000 tons in 1885 and 536,000 tons in 1886. The aggregate consumption of coal in France was 32,439,000 tons in 1883, but fell to 29,619,000 tons in 1886. The reduction of the railway rates and some pressure otherwise diminished the use of foreign coal. The production of iron and steel in France in 1883 was 3,570,000 tons against 2,712,000 tons in 1886. The aggregate in 1886 comprised 767,000 tons wrought iron, 1,517,000 tons pig iron and 428,000 tons steel.

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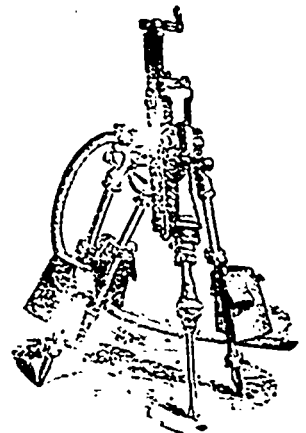
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