

MINE, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

NEW HOIST FOR THE CENTENNIAL

Great Tintic Producer to be Equipped for Long Season Of Activity.

TO HAVE STEEL BUILDING.

A Precaution Against Damage From Fire—Engineer Moore Working on Plans.

That the members of the board of directors of the United States Smelting, Refining & Mining company are thoroughly convinced that the great Centennial Eureka mine in the Tintic district will respond with its riches for a good many years to come, has been evidenced by the fact that Mine Manager Clarence E. Allen has been instructed to proceed forthwith with the reconstruction of the hoisting plant.

Machinery of the most modern type that the market affords and capable of working the mine to great depth will be installed. In fact, when the plant is ready for commission, this old Tintic producer will be as well equipped for the handling of great tonnages as any mine in the west.

To guard against and remove every possibility of damage from fire, the management has been instructed to house the equipment in a steel building and Chief Engineer Moore has commenced the work of drawing the plans.

The Centennial Eureka has been the heaviest shipper of ore from the Tintic mining district for some time past, and probably will continue to be for many years to come.

A CHEERFUL NAME.

Sunny Jim the Title to a New Nevada Mining Camp.

Sunny Jim is the cheerful name given to a new mining camp that has just come into existence in Esmeralda county, Nev., though strikes made about four miles from the town of Masonic.

The discoverer a man by the name of J. W. Duval, who has laid off a townsite.

A few days ago, says an exchange, he informed a few of his friends of his discoveries and the fact that he had proved his statements. Parties went with him, broke off samples of the rock from the dikes, mined it and found it valuable and the good news soon leaked out.

Alfred Mitchell of Masonic is associated with Mr. Duval, and together they have some 10 or 12 claims.

Sam Smith, Scofield and Barter have some good locations there, as also have Mrs. Sim Eastwood, George Van Sickle, Joseph Wolfe and Montrose, Carpenter and Boone.

The whole country is a vast region of copper and quartz. The ledges, well defined, cut through it in large dikes. While the whole district does not give paying values in the past, yet enough is found to encourage the prospectors to delve with feverish haste.

Masonic was practically deserted for the week and all were staking out claims.

Mr. Mitchell, who has been employed by the Masonic Mountain Mining company, has quit his job and has taken up his residence in the new district with Mr. Duval. They will commence extensive development work on the Little Edna, one of their most promising claims.

The townsite is located about four miles from the Conway ranch in Esmeralda county.

Messrs. Duval and Mitchell are old miners and their words and opinions carry weight. They believe that their find is worthy of every word that can be said for it. They have located all the ground they want and are now assisting others in the further development of the district.

People are now rushing into the district in large numbers and another week will undoubtedly disclose a number of promising finds.

MINES OF BUTTE.

Interesting Developments in the North Butte and Other Mines.

A Butte correspondent writes interestingly of late developments in that Montana camp.

North Butte is branching out. Since its organization it has been gradually acquiring additional territory and now has an area that makes it a prominent factor in the production of copper. Its latest acquisitions are the Lynchburg and the John Emmitt claims, which added 100,000 for the former and 500,000 for the latter. Among the mines now owned by the company are the Speculator, Jesse, Miners' Union, Edith May and the Berlin group of five claims, with the new purchase. It has ore in the first four named, and is reported to have struck a vein in the Berlin group. The company is now producing between 800 and 1,000 tons of ore a day, and expects to double this quantity in 60 days of operation. The engine is going into place rapidly under the direction of Steven Blouval, erecting engineer for the Nordberg Machinery company, who was sent here to put up this engine, also the one at the Leonard for the Boston & Montana. All of the machinery for both has been delivered. These engines will work to a depth of 3,500 feet of shaft.

Butte Coalition is not making much headway with its crosscut between the 1,800 foot level of the Diamond mine and the Valdeira, one of the east claims of the Alice group. The face of the opening is in more than 4,000 feet, but the rock is hard and the gas generated by powder smoke interferes with the work. It is estimated that the cut is within 300 feet of the Valdeira vein.

Amalgamated is maintaining its lead in ore production and will soon increase its output. It is considering the placing of a new hoisting engine on the Pennsylvania mine and the resumption of operations through the shaft of the Berkley, which property was once a large producer, but had to be closed on account of litigation with F. A. Helms. The Fashow smelter is revolving more than 5,000 tons of ore a day. It can handle more.

Original Consolidated, a Clark asset, is not doing much at its plant, but the mines are giving the Washoe between 800 and 400 tons of ore a day. A new tunnel is building in the plant. It is about ready to be tested.

East Butte Copper has finished its shaft to a depth of 550 feet by upraise and is sinking. Tributaries are still working in all holes save the main shaft. They are taking some good ore from the upper levels. The veins are small. Butte Coalition is extracting a lot of

Today's Metal Quotations.

SILVER, Local selling prices are reported by the American Smelting and Refining company:	
COPPER, (Casting)	18 1/2
COPPER, (Electro)	18 1/2-32
LEAD	\$5.75
LEAD, quiet	5 7/8 @ 6.00
COPPER, (Firm)	18 1/2 @ 19

NEW YORK QUOTATIONS.

LEAD, quiet	5 7/8 @ 6.00
COPPER, (Firm)	18 1/2 @ 19

ore from its claims and will eventually increase the production materially. It has announced its intention of keeping the old plant of the United Copper company in operation.

ON MINING EXCHANGE.

A Tendency Towards Lower Prices—Closing Quotations and Sales.

The sales of the forenoon on the mining exchange were somewhat lighter than usual. During regular call, only four stocks participated; which were: Bullfrog National Bank, Lower Mammoth, May Day and New York Bonanza. The general tone of the market was to lower prices and the only stock that exhibited additional strength was Honoreine of Stockton, which was bought at \$2 a share. May Day closed on a sale at 17 cents, while Carson ended a cent lower than the opening. Columbus Con. remained stationary, at 7 1/2. Thompson tumbled to 20 cents, while New York fell to 22 cents.

The closing quotations and sales were:

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

UTAH STOCKS.	Bid.	Asked.
Alice	2.75	3.50
Alma	2.75	3.50
Bullfrog Beck	1.75	3.50
Carson	2.75	3.50
Crook	2.75	3.50
Con. Mercur	2.75	3.50
Daly	1.25	1.40
Daily Judge	11.50	12.00
Daily West	15.75	17.25
E. & B. Bell	2.375	3.25
Grand Central	3.50	3.80
Galena	2.00	2.25
Emerald	1.625	2.00
Little Bell	12.50	13.50
Lower Mammoth	1.50	1.75
Mammoth	1.50	1.75
May Day	17	18
Ontario	2.50	2.75
Silver King	25.00	26.00
Sacramento	2.00	2.25
Silver Shield	1.00	1.10
Star Con.	1.11	1.14
Swansea	2.00	2.25
Sunshine	2.00	2.25
United States Mining	57.00	58.00
Utah	1.00	1.10
Utah Sam Con.	1.38	1.40
Victoria	2.00	2.25
Union Consolidated	23.75	25.00
Butler Liberal	1.00	1.10
Butte Tunnel Con.	1.05	1.10
Black Jack	1.50	1.55
Cyclone	1.00	1.10
Ingot	0.11	0.12
Joe Bowers	0.02	0.03
Little Chief	0.01	0.02
Montezuma	0.01	0.02
New York	0.01	0.02
Dalton	0.01	0.02
Washoe	1.10	1.25
Yankee	0.35	0.38
Richmond Anaconda	0.03	0.04

NEVADA STOCKS.

Golden Anchor	80	90
Golden Crown	24	30
Jim Butler	1.20	1.40
McNamara	63	68
Montana Tonopah	3.00	3.50
Monopah Nat. Bank	44	48
Ohio Tonopah	32	37
Tonopah	19.75	20.00
Tonopah Belmont	3.25	3.50
Tonopah Extension	10.50	11.25
Tonopah Midway	2.00	2.125
Tonopah West End	2.375	2.50
Atlanta	1.10	1.25
Blue Bull	1.25	1.37
Diamondfield B.	0.05	0.06
Dixie	0.05	0.06
Goldfield Belmont	40	45
Goldfield Bonanza	45	52
Goldfield Mining	45	52
Great Ben	1.40	1.50
Jumbo	1.00	1.10
Kendall	1.00	1.10
Mohawk	1.30	1.50
Red Bull	1.00	1.10
Sandstorm	1.00	1.10
Silver Pick	24	28
St. Ives	58	65
Tramp	1.05	1.10
Tonopah Nat. Bank	44	48
Denver Bullfrog	1.00	1.10
Gold Bar	1.50	1.60
Montgomery Mountain	42	47
Ohio Bullfrog	1.25	1.37
Original Bullfrog	1.00	1.10
Ellipse	0.92	1.00
Manhattan Grassy	20	30
Jumping Jack	24	30
Manhattan Con.	1.00	1.10
Manhattan Dexter	24	30
Manhattan Pine Nut	25	30
Seyler Humphrey	22	31

REGULAR CALL.

Bullfrog National Bank, 100 at 67.	
Lower Mammoth, 100 at 31.	
May Day, 1,000 at 23 1/2; 2,000 at 22; 1,500 at 22 1/2.	

OPEN BOARD.

Bullfrog National Bank, 100 at 67.	
Carson, 1,000 at 23; 1,500 at 23 1/2; 2,500 at 27.	
Uncle Sam Con., 300 at 40.	
Columbus Con., 300 at 7 1/2.	
Great French, 500 at 45.	
Honoreine, 1,000 at 2.00.	
Little Bell, 150 at 12.62 1/2.	
Little Chief, 1,000 at 17 1/2.	
Montgomery Mountain, 500 at 45.	
May Day, 1,500 at 17 1/2; 500 at 17 1/4; buyer 60; 1,500 at 17.	
New York, 1,000 at 22 1/2; 1,000 at 22.	
Thompson, 1,000 at 30; 500 at 31.	

RECAPITULATION.

Shares.	Value.
Regular call	5,700 \$1,275.50
Open board	15,900 9,610.75
Forenoon totals	21,600 \$10,886.25

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NEW SOUTHPORT STRIKE.

An interesting strike of lead carbonate ore has been made on the property of the Southport Mining company at Stockton. Samples sent in to Macgregor W. C. Alexander yesterday gave the latter cause for the expression of considerable satisfaction.

In buying any variety of pickles ask for Mount's, and be sure you are getting the best.

GOLD BUTTE IS COMING TO FRONT

Supt. Gibbs Reports Tunnel Has Been Completed for Distance of 120 Feet.

INSTALLING NEW EQUIPMENT.

Optimistic as to Future of Southern Nevada Property and Camp—The Kimberly Syndicate.

A letter from Superintendent Gibbs of the Gold Butte property at Gold Butte, Nevada, of the date of the 16th inst., contains the information that the tunnel now being driven to open up the ore bodies, had penetrated the mountain for a distance of 120 feet, which he figures, is not to exceed 15 feet from where it ought to intersect the Nevada shaft.

The gasoline engine and blower, ordered sometime ago, has reached the mine and when Mr. Gibbs wrote, was being installed, but reported that he had been distressingly annoyed by the failure of the machinery firm to correctly fill the order for the necessary pipe to go with the blower and in not sending more than half the T rails needed to extend the track to the Nevada shaft.

Otherwise, the superintendent states, good progress is being made with development and as the tunnel is pushed into the mountain he becomes more thoroughly convinced that the Gold Butte is going to make good; that it will become a producer of magnitude.

There has been no blowing of trumpets about Gold Butte. No attempt to create a boom in this new district in southeastern Nevada has been undertaken. Nor is there likely to be, said an official today, "so far as the Gold Butte company is concerned. If a boom comes, it will have to be on the merits of the camp, not on the strength of 'hot air' tales, such as have characterized the beginning of some other western camps."

The Gold Butte has been successful in financing its proposition and nothing now stands in the way of the speedy development of the company's ground.

Not a little interest has been created in the past week over the rich samples or ore received in this city recently from the Gold Butte, as they compare favorably with any brought in from other southern Nevada camps.

The postoffice department at Washington has ordered the establishment of a postoffice at Gold Butte, with star route service to the Kimberly syndicate. The contract will probably be let some time in June.

The Kimberly syndicate, which has acquired territory adjoining that of the Gold Butte, is preparing to organize a company and to commence the sinking of a permanent working shaft. The latter property will be under the management of O. Wiser, former superintendent of the Annie Laurie Mining company's mill at Kimberly.

CONCENTRATES

W. V. Rice departed this afternoon for Fairview, Nev.

Edward McCarrick has gone to Fairview, Nev., again in search of more bonanzas.

The Cyclone mine of Stockton is represented in today's market with 40 tons of good ore.

W. E. Smith, manager of the Potomac Lead Mining company, is in the city from Good Springs, Nev.

An order has been placed for an air compressor by the management of the Consolidated Flagstaff of Alta.

General Manager McVie of the Bingham Consolidated mines is expected to reach home from California tomorrow.

William H. Dale has gone to Lovelock, Nev., to look into the merits of a mining proposition recently brought to his attention.

President Baird, Director Buhl and General Manager Ellingwood of the Western Exploration company departed last night for San Francisco.

The ore and bullion settlements reported for the week ending May 18, by Cornick & Company were: Crushed ore and concentrate, \$37,000; base bullion, \$29,000.

In accordance with instructions of the board of directors, Supt. Radatz of the Honoreine mine at Stockton has ordered the mill at Buhl, near Stockton, into commission today.

The experimental work of the Boston Consolidated's Bingham plant will be brought to a conclusion in a few days and Metallurgist Batteas says the mill will then be closed.

Banker W. S. McCormick, who is one of the directors of the American Smelting & Refining company, has gone to Elv, Nev., to join Vice President and Traffic Manager Silas W. Eccles of the latter corporation.

The directors of the Calumet & Hecla Mining company of Michigan posted a dividend of \$15 a share yesterday, or \$150,000 at a meeting held yesterday. The date of payment is June 22 to all shareholders of record on May 24.

William H. Tibbals has closed another deal through which eastern clients have acquired an attractive property in the Fairview, Nev., district. The ground involved is one of the groups recently secured by Edward McCarrick.

No shipments have yet been received from the United States company's mines at Eureka, Nev., although the management of Eureka & Palisade railroad was notified that shipments of 50 tons per day would be in order after May 15.

The tramway of the Continental Alta Mines & Smelters corporation, which has been out of commission since the snow slides of last winter, is going again. The tramway operates between the company's mines at Alta and the mill five miles down Little Cottonwood canyon.

Frank Jardine, superintendent of the Utah-Goldfield Mining company's properties near Goldfield, Nev., came in from the west yesterday and, within the next few days, will leave for Deep Creek to look after some mining interests of his own. He will return in about six weeks and put in the summer there.

Bucket-Shop Must Go

The Bucket-Shopper is the jackal-thief who sneaks along the trail of the larger beasts of prey—the Frenzied Financiers—picking up what they disdain to touch.

By letting his victims make a little money at the start, he lures them on to stake all their savings, to borrowing on their homes, even to stealing, and finally to their ruin.

Merrill A. Teague, who led a vigorous and successful fight last summer against a pack of these unclean creatures in Philadelphia, is telling the readers of Everybody's what a Bucket-Shop is, who the thieves are, where they are, and how they operate.

Teague's fact-series on Bucket-Shopping begins in Everybody's for June.

Everybody's Magazine

15 cents a copy \$1.50 a year

BUSINESS NOTES.

Today's local bank clearings amounted to \$790,626.72, as against \$605,926.15 for the same day last year.

The boards of directors of the Utah Sugar company, the Idaho Sugar company and the Western Idaho Sugar company held their regular meetings yesterday, and received reports from General Manager Cutler of the condition of the beet crop in the several districts. The reports were very satisfactory in character, and Mr. Cutler stated that careful scrutiny had failed to reveal the presence of any signs of the white fly or blight. The crop is well up everywhere and thinning is going rapidly forward. Only the best farms and farmers have planted this year, which makes the outlook hopeful for a large crop.

The Western Idaho board decided to make the next call on the stockholders for 5 per cent payable June 15. The factors are rapidly going forward, and Mr. Cutler thinks will be finished ahead of the period named in the contract, Sept. 1.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TODAY'S.

Carl Gutke to Jno. Williams, part of lot 3, block 3, plat 2, 350
 John E. Moore to J. C. Williams, lots 1, 2, 3, block 2, Williams' sub.
 E. M. Moore to J. C. Williams, lots 4, 5, block 2, Williams' sub.
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