

## MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

### WAGONS NOW RUN THROUGH TO ALTA

Last Monday Marked an Unusual Event in History of Utah's Famous Camp.

### ROADS CONTAIN LITTLE SNOW.

Never Before, Says the Oldest Inhabitant, Have Wheeled Vehicles Entered District in March.

Supt. A. O. Jacobson of the Columbus Consolidated mine at Alta came down from camp last night and will remain over until tomorrow. To a representative of the "News" today Mr. Jacobson stated that the snow between the valley and camp has almost disappeared from the roads, and that a wagon was brought into Alta last Monday from Sandy, an unusual occurrence for this time of the year. In fact, said Mr. Jacobson, it is the first time in the recollection of the oldest inhabitant that such an event has taken place during the month of March. Usually the snow is piled up so deep in the upper portion of the canyon that sleighs are used until the last of April or even into the month of May.

At the Columbus mill, Mr. Jacobson says things are running along smoothly and the water supply will soon be sufficient to keep the plant going continuously. The present plant is not working, but the third will be put on soon. The power plant is running at full blast and is supplying the mine and mill with all the electrical energy that they need. The South Columbus mine is also supplied with air for its mining drills.

Mr. Jacobson says the Columbus Company bins contain the equivalent of about seven car loads of concentrates, which will be moved as soon as the condition of the roads improve or until the bins, which have capacity for holding 600 tons are filled; in which event it would be necessary to keep shipment going regardless of the condition of the roads.

At the South Columbus property development is progressing rapidly vigorously and the tunnel has passed the 600 foot point. Supt. Dwyer is having no more trouble with the air line, which caused not a little annoyance during the winter.

### SILVER SHIELD SANK.

**Bingham Stock Lost Ground During the Early Calls on "Change."**

The day proved to be a Waterloo for Silver Shield. Yesterday the stock went "a souring," while today it suffered a sudden reaction which forced the price down to 39 cents. The market for this morning was quiet, but the price did not go back to 42 cents. At the close, however, there were indications favorable for another rally. May Day was in better tone than yesterday and the stock sold up to 15 cents. Uncle Sam Consolidated remained fairly steady as did other Butler-Liberals. One lot of Mammoth offered at \$1.05 was taken. Prices came out at 12 cents. The closing quotations and sales were:

	Bid.	Asked
Alice	.59	.59
Alison	1.42	1.72
Altair	1.42	1.28
Carissa	10%	1.25
Con. Mercur	.33	.38
Croesus	.20	.23
Dale	6.35	6.95
Daly-Judge	6.35	6.95
Daly-West	16.00	17.00
E. & B. Bell	.81	.95
Galen	1.22	1.25
Gran. Central	3.02	3.21
Ingot	.01	.02
Lower Mammoth	.11	.12
May Day	1.42	1.42
Mine	1.42	1.42
Ontario	3.50	4.10
Petro	12%	15%
Sacramento	.60	.69
Silver Shield	.30	.35
Star Cons.	.12	.15
Sunshine	.20	.01
Swanson	.00	.00
Union Cons.	.25	.30
U.S. Mining Co.	26.00	27.50
Victoria	2.00	2.00
Boston Con.	6.25	7.00
Butler-Liber.	16%	17%
Curry	.01	.01
Joe Powers	.01	.01
Little Chief	.03	.03
Beck Tunn.	.08	.10
Mathias, Wash.	.00	.00
New York	.50	.50
Tetra	.19	.21
Victor Con.	.01	.01
Wabash	1.40	1.42
Yankee	.38	.38

### NEVADA STOCKS.

**Tonopah, Belmont, Goldfield, Mohave, Tonopah Extension, Tonopah, Tonopah, Tonopah, Jim Butler Tonopah, Yankee Con.**

**REGULAR CALL SALES.**

**OPEN BOARD SALES.**

**Carisa, 1,000 at 12.**

**Daly-Judge, 100 at 6.50.**

**Little Chief, 1,000 at 3%.**

**May Day, 500 at 14%.**

**Silver Shield, 1,000 at 39, 1,000 at 40;**

**500 at 40%.**

**RECAPITULATION.**

**Shares Amt.**

**Regular, 16,000 \$3,743.27**

**Open, 5,100 1,871.25**

**Forenoon totals ... 21,100 55,614.62**

**A. S. CAMPBELL,**

**Stock Broker, 218 D. F. Walker Block.**

**HIGH BALL COMPANY.**

**Articles of Incorporation Have Been Filed at Provo.**

**Special Correspondence.**

**Provo, March 15.—Articles of incorporation of the High Ball Mining & Milling company have been filed with the county clerk.**

**The principal place of business of the company is Provo City.**

**The capital stock is \$500,000, divided into 300,000 shares of the par value of 10 cents each, based on the valuation of six mining claims, the High Ball and the High Ball Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive, situated in Rock canyon, east of Provo.**

**The property is located on the south side of the canyon, immediately opposite the Buckley property, which is**

### Today's Metal Quotations:

Local setting prices are reported by the American Smelting and Refining company:

**SILVER, 58½**

**COPPER, CASTING, 14½**

**" ELECTRO, 14 13-16**

**LEAD, \$3.50 @ \$4.45**

### New York Quotations:

**LEAD, quiet, \$4.55 @ \$4.60**

**COPPER, firm, 15½ @ 15½**

## LOCATION OF NEVADA CLAIMS.

### What is Required to Acquire and Hold Title to Property in the Neighboring State.

### OF INTEREST TO MANY UTAHNS

### Location Work Must be Performed And Proof of Same Filed Within Ninety Days.

now making a very favorable showing. The High Ball property also looks promising, showing the same character of ore as the Buckley property.

The officers of the company are J. E. Armitage, president; Lawrence L. Bean, vice-president; Wilford A. Johnson, secretary and treasurer; W. A. Wilson, George A. Harrison and Richard Jones.

### IRON ORES IN UTAH.

**Field in Northern Part of State Still Lies Open to Location.**

In northern Utah much of the iron field lies open to location, and where not already taken little value is set aside for others in possession, and save where it serves as fuel in the smelting of copper and lead, there is no use is made of it. It is, however, an excellent ore for iron and steel manufacture, as most of it is comparatively free from silica and it invariably lies adjacent to extensive fields of limestone suitable for fluxing iron.

In many places we find these iron deposits which are in limestone.

In the past attempts have been made to produce iron from the ores of Utah, A company was formed in the sixties to reduce the ores of iron at Pinto, Iron county, the members of this company were all citizens of Utah. A furnace was built in the mountains and the iron was carried away during the early part of the year, the company failed and the mines of Cedar county are still located in the same position.

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Fourth—The number of linear feet claimed is length along the course of the vein, each day within the period of discovery with the width on each side of the vein or lode, by defining the boundaries of the claim.

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