UTAH COAL AND IRON MINES

Statistics Relating Thereto Prepared by the Chamber of Commerce.

THE SUPPLY INEXHAUSTIBLE.

A Compilation of Valuable Information—The Deposits of Manganese.—Natural Gas.

The Chamber of Commerce has sent the following to Windsor Jones, San Francisco, in response to a telegram received from him at that place:

SALT LAKE CITY, May 11, 1892.

Windsor Jones, Esq., Palace Hotel, San Francisco:

DEAR SIR—Replying to your telegram of the 7th inst., I beg to advise the following:

The Utah Coal fields are the nearest to the Pacific Coast south of Oregon. They are in the Territory of Utah, and the low rates to California seem to place its quality as to enable it to compete with Wellington.

The coal fields extend from Scofield to Kanab, a distance of 300 miles, and are from 50 miles to 100 miles in width, and are in Sanpete, Emery, Carbon, Kane, Iron, Beaver, Piute, Sevier, Wayne, Garfield, Kane and Washington counties. The Scofield fields are 2,500 feet above the sea level, and are 7,500 feet above the sea level at Kanab. The Scofield fields are 120 miles from Salt Lake City, and are reached by a branch of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad, which connects with the main line at Thistle, 50 miles south of Salt Lake City. The Kanab fields are 300 miles south of Salt Lake City, and are reached by the Rio Grande Western Railway. The Scofield fields are 7,500 feet above the sea level, and are 2