

TRAYLOR BOOMS THE KELLY MINE AND CAMP

And in His New York Interview Tells Some Interesting Facts About the District.

Samuel W. Traylor, president of the Traylor Engineering company of New York City, who was recently in Albuquerque, has submitted to an interview by the New York Globe, wherein he gives out reliable information which is of interest to all persons living in New Mexico. Traylor is supervising engineer as well as the largest individual owner of the Tri-Bullion Smelting and Development company, which company owns what is known as this section of the Magdalena mountains and it is the facts given in relation to this great property which are of so much interest locally, especially when it is taken into consideration that Mr. Traylor is recognized everywhere in the east and west as being one of the most eminent and practical mining engineers in the United States, and that anywhere he is willing to invest his own money, unlimited capital is willing to follow.

The Evening Citizen is confident that not one person in a thousand living in this territory has realized that not only one, but two or more of the greatest mines in the world are located at Kelly, less than one hundred miles from this city, and that these mines are steadily producing more than two millions dollars a year. It is more important, the ore deposits are of such a nature that mining on an extensive scale will continue in that camp for generations to come. In referring to other mines in the camp, we particularly have in view the Graphic, which is a mine equally important in every respect as the Kelly, and wherein only last week we chronicled the striking of the greatest and richest body of ore ever found in the Magdalena mountains.

In addition to the great properties mentioned, the Little group adjoining these and owned by the Kelly interests is undoubtedly one of the most valuable ground in proportion to its acreage as either of the others, and moreover following the great rhyolite contact for a mile north and two and one-half miles south of the Kelly and Graphic mines, there is a question in the minds of several mining engineers that there are still greater bodies of zinc sulphide ore to be opened up.

The large reduction works mentioned by Mr. Traylor in his interview with the Globe and lasting value to New Mexico in general and Albuquerque in particular as they will employ from 800 to 2,000 men, and the supplies for such a force will be drawn almost wholly from Albuquerque. It is understood that the commencement of the building of this large plant will be within the next few days, and that it will be completed about the first of next November.

The Globe article reads as follows: Samuel W. Traylor, president of the Traylor Engineering company and supervising engineer of the Tri-Bullion Smelting and Development company, 43 Exchange place, has returned from a trip through the west and southwest. He visited mining camps in Colorado, Nevada, Arizona, California and New Mexico, spending some time at Rhyolite, which is owned by Charles M. Schwab.

In the course of a chat with a Globe reporter Mr. Traylor said that a crushing amalgamating and cyanide plant is in process of erection there by the Traylor Engineering company, while at Ely the company is constructing a one-story great ion concentrating plant for the Giroux Consolidated. Mr. Traylor believes that the Giroux mines are the source of a great mineral deposit of copper, the only well-defined vein showing on the property of the Giroux company, and is the source of a secondary deposit occurring in the large quartz porphyry deposits lying below the immense vein, consisting of the properties of the Giroux Consolidated and of the Nevada Consolidated, which it adjoins. The finding of large bodies of rich sulphide ores on the 1,650-foot level in the Alpha shaft of the Giroux company would seem to bear out Mr. Traylor's opinion concerning this property. He is one of the few engineers who, in the opening up of the Ely copper deposits in the early history of the camp, realized the possibilities of the ore reserves in the district as a whole.

Many experts now hold that Ely is unquestionably the greatest copper camp in America. Mr. Traylor's standing among the mining engineers of the country makes his opinion and advice of great value. When asked to state the condition of New Mexico in the matter of mining development and something about the Kelly mine, rumors of the great richness and extent of the ore which have reached the east, Mr. Traylor said that New

Mexico had been neglected, especially in the southern section, where the big producing mines, which have made the history of the section are located. "Here," said Mr. Traylor, "are the Kelly and Lake Valley, mines which produced millions since they were opened in the Hillsboro district many millions have been produced in placer gold and copper from quartz ledges. The old Kingston camp above Hillsboro, which has produced large quantities of lead and silver, is now being re-opened. The lead and silver production of Silver City has reached its maximum. Georgetown, Santa Rita, Pinos Altos and the Mogollon mountains have added their quota to the mineral wealth of the region. In the Magdalena mountains, just south of Albuquerque, I and my associates are interested in the development of the Kelly group of mines, which are one of the most valuable properties I have ever been personally connected with or interested in. The ore bodies are not so extensive in width as some low grade properties in Arizona and Nevada, but they are of greater length, some are less than ten feet in being mined. This represents the thickness of the vein, which is forty feet thick in some places. It is a remarkable feature of the deposits that the entire mass mined is mineral, without gangue or quartz matter, and the richness of the ore will be appreciated when it is understood that it requires only about seven cubic feet in place in the mine to equal a ton, while the average in most mines is from fifteen to twenty-five feet."

The Tri-Bullion Smelting and Development company has already shipped and is shipping daily, the Tri-Bullion company is now completing plans for the construction of a modern and complete plant for successful treating and extracting all of the values from the Kelly ores; or in fact, any similar ores to be found in the United States. The first unit of the plant will be for handling 200 tons daily of crude ore, averaging about 35 per cent zinc which will be extracted in the form of zinc oxide. The addition of about 3,000 retorts will produce from twenty to twenty-five tons of spelter daily.

Regarding the extent and value of the Kelly mines Mr. Traylor said: "The lead in our Kelly ores of itself considering the cheapness of mining, the simple method of extraction and the enormous tonnage shown, would be considered in many of the mining camps of the United States as a mine in itself and a most valuable one. The lead, however, in our mine represents only a small portion of our ore values. It is my belief that we have, conservatively the largest zinc mine, considering no other values whatever, thus far developed in the United States, and that the Tri-Bullion Smelting and Development company, which controls the Kelly mines, will be the largest producer of this metal in a short time. We will be able to secure from what is known as clinker or residue coming from the zinc oxide plant, a quantity of iron ore, which consists almost wholly of iron. This iron contains all of the gold, copper and about 75 per cent of the original assay of the silver. We shall make the most valuable use of this product by using it in our blast furnaces to produce a special high-grade ore, which we shall either produce from our own mines in Arizona and elsewhere or possibly purchase in the general market. We have developed, conservatively, at the Kelly mine at this time 400 tons of iron ore, which should be some unforeseen delay in carrying out our development, we shall be able to increase this estimate to at least a million tons."

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"This is not a selfish proposition," said President H. D. W. English, of the chamber, in speaking of the crusade. "It is for the commercial and industrial good of the city. I feel that the public should be given the news, but the reports of scandals, such as have filled the columns of the papers not here alone, but elsewhere throughout the country, during the past eight months have been a positive hurt to the city."

"Already you hear Pittsburg no longer called the 'Iron city' or the 'Steel city' or the 'Smoky city,' but it is now called the 'Scandal city.' That's a misnomer. We're going to correct that."

"Why, I've heard of respectable Pittsburgers, who, when in New York, are almost ashamed to acknowledge that they live in Pittsburg, precipitated, it is claimed, by the divorces, the murders, the breach of promise suits and what not, that savors of the sensational. This thing, if it is not doing so already, will soon begin to injure trade, stagnate commerce and industry."

Some of the cases that have prompted the chamber of commerce to try to suppress the publication of scandals in the newspapers are:

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The divorce of W. E. Corey, president of the United States Steel corporation, by his wife.

The pending divorce case of R. Gullie, prominent theatrical manager.

The sensational stories printed in connection with the marriages of Miss Magee, Miss Alice Thaw, Miss Lucy Carnegie, etc.

The recent orgy of crime in Pittsburg, precipitated, it is claimed, by the publication of stories telling of the city's marvelous wealth.

The breach of promise suit against Gibson D. Packer, one of the "Carnegie partners."

Territorial Topics

A BARREL OF WHISKEY FOUND AMONG DRIFTWOOD

Last week several natives, while searching for driftwood on the banks of the Gila, found a 50-gallon barrel of whiskey full of the liquor, says the Salomonville Bulletin. They rolled it to town, and as they had no license to sell liquor by wholesale, concluded to distribute it among themselves, friends and comrades.

FOREST RANGER CASE MARRIED MISS MAXWELL

John B. Case, forest ranger on the Gila reserve, and Miss Maxwell of Pleasanton, on the Pecos, were married recently at El Paso. They passed through Silver City last week en route to their home at Mogollon. The bride is a sister in law of Maurice Coats, a prominent merchant of Mogollon, and was reared at Pleasanton in the Pecos. The groom is a very capable forest official and has resided in this section for several years.

LITTLE TOYS TRAVELED THREE THOUSAND MILES

The three little daughters of Emery White were passengers on Friday's train, says the Silver City Independent. The young travelers, aged 8, 10 and 12 years, were placed aboard a train at Philadelphia, Pa., and made the long journey of over 3,500 miles unaccompanied. Mr. White came to Silver City last July to accept a position with Lowe and Hanson, and had only been here a short time when he was called home by the sudden death of his wife.

INFANTUARY FOR MAN'S WIFE MAY CAUSE CAPTURE

Love for her daughters, strange as it may seem in view of her actions, may make Mrs. Lee Redwine the means of capturing C. E. Phillips, who is wanted badly by the officers for assisting Constable Lee Redwine to escape, says the Phoenix Republican.

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With the little daughter keeping the mother in the city, and the mother acting as the magnet that holds Phillips in her close vicinity, there is a possibility that this strange condition of affairs may bring about Phillips' capture.

SAMUEL BURNSIDE DEAD AT LOS ANGELES

Telegrams were received Thursday at Silver City by John L. Burnside and W. E. Burnside announcing the death of their father, Samuel Burnside, at Los Angeles on the same day.

Mr. Burnside was 75 years old at the time of his death. He had been in feeble health for some months past and the end was not unexpected. Deceased was well known in southwestern New Mexico, having resided in Deming for ten years, from 1894 to 1904, when he removed to Los Angeles. Before coming to Deming he had spent all of his life in Illinois.

Mr. Burnside is survived by a widow and five children, Mrs. William Harris of Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Frank K. Wyman of Deming; and Laura and W. K. Burnside of Los Angeles, and John L. and W. E. Burnside of this city. During his residence in Illinois Mr. Burnside occupied many positions of trust and responsibility, having served two terms as a member of the Illinois legislative assembly and for many years as supervisor of the county in which he lived, and also as a member of the local school board. He was a man of quiet and retiring habits, but of the utmost integrity and honesty. He was a consistent Christian all of his life and always took a prominent part in church affairs. The news of his death will be received with sorrow by his many friends in New Mexico, who extend heartfelt sympathy to sorrow-stricken family.

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"This is not a selfish proposition," said President H. D. W. English, of the chamber, in speaking of the crusade. "It is for the commercial and industrial good of the city. I feel that the public should be given the news, but the reports of scandals, such as have filled the columns of the papers not here alone, but elsewhere throughout the country, during the past eight months have been a positive hurt to the city."

"Already you hear Pittsburg no longer called the 'Iron city' or the 'Steel city' or the 'Smoky city,' but it is now called the 'Scandal city.' That's a misnomer. We're going to correct that."

"Why, I've heard of respectable Pittsburgers, who, when in New York, are almost ashamed to acknowledge that they live in Pittsburg, precipitated, it is claimed, by the divorces, the murders, the breach of promise suits and what not, that savors of the sensational. This thing, if it is not doing so already, will soon begin to injure trade, stagnate commerce and industry."

Some of the cases that have prompted the chamber of commerce to try to suppress the publication of scandals in the newspapers are:

The Augustus Hartje divorce case. The slaying of Stanford White by Harry K. Thaw.

The divorce of W. E. Corey, president of the United States Steel corporation, by his wife.

The pending divorce case of R. Gullie, prominent theatrical manager.

The sensational stories printed in connection with the marriages of Miss Magee, Miss Alice Thaw, Miss Lucy Carnegie, etc.

The recent orgy of crime in Pittsburg, precipitated, it is claimed, by the publication of stories telling of the city's marvelous wealth.

The breach of promise suit against Gibson D. Packer, one of the "Carnegie partners."

Territorial Topics

A BARREL OF WHISKEY FOUND AMONG DRIFTWOOD

Last week several natives, while searching for driftwood on the banks of the Gila, found a 50-gallon barrel of whiskey full of the liquor, says the Salomonville Bulletin. They rolled it to town, and as they had no license to sell liquor by wholesale, concluded to distribute it among themselves, friends and comrades.

FOREST RANGER CASE MARRIED MISS MAXWELL

John B. Case, forest ranger on the Gila reserve, and Miss Maxwell of Pleasanton, on the Pecos, were married recently at El Paso. They passed through Silver City last week en route to their home at Mogollon. The bride is a sister in law of Maurice Coats, a prominent merchant of Mogollon, and was reared at Pleasanton in the Pecos. The groom is a very capable forest official and has resided in this section for several years.

LITTLE TOYS TRAVELED THREE THOUSAND MILES

The three little daughters of Emery White were passengers on Friday's train, says the Silver City Independent. The young travelers, aged 8, 10 and 12 years, were placed aboard a train at Philadelphia, Pa., and made the long journey of over 3,500 miles unaccompanied. Mr. White came to Silver City last July to accept a position with Lowe and Hanson, and had only been here a short time when he was called home by the sudden death of his wife.

INFANTUARY FOR MAN'S WIFE MAY CAUSE CAPTURE

Love for her daughters, strange as it may seem in view of her actions, may make Mrs. Lee Redwine the means of capturing C. E. Phillips, who is wanted badly by the officers for assisting Constable Lee Redwine to escape, says the Phoenix Republican.

Mrs. Redwine has a mother's strong affection for her daughter, and to appear in the probate court and fight the efforts of Mrs. Ella Boone, her mother, to have the child placed in other hands, she must remain in Phoenix.

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Officers are of the opinion that Mrs. Redwine will remain hidden, until she has to appear in the probate court to answer her mother's charges that she is an immoral and unfit person to have the custody of four-year-old Inez Redwine, Lee Redwine's daughter.

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