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**THE "MAINE."**

Tuesday's reports from Havana detailing disclosures made around and inside of the hull of the battleship Maine now that the water has been pumped out of the cofferdam and the mud has been cleared away are, of course, unofficial. But they come from eye-witnesses of the wreck and the work going on all about it and have been made under the direction of and have the support of men who can fairly be called experts in the matter of sub-marine explosions; and the facts set forth ought to convince a reasonable unprejudiced, open mind that the destruction of the Maine was by an exterior explosion.

Briefly, the double bottom of the ship has a part of her keel standing in a perpendicular position about twenty-eight feet higher than the natural position, the hull has been broken into two parts, one section including the heavy conning-tower having been thrown aft toward the stern, and the settling of the tower to the main deck has brought it to the opposite side of the ship to that on which the explosion took place; other portions of the superstructure were thrown forward, falling upon the forward deck; and the position of the lowest or platform deck, in an upheaved mass above the submerged bow, indicates that what is now the highest point originally and structurally occupied a position at about frame number eighteen of the hull.

"This suggests," says the Sun correspondent, "that there was an explosion of a mine under that part of the ship, say about midway between the stem and the midship section. It is a confirmed belief that such a tearing of the ship's bottom could not have been produced by an interior explosion. It is further said that no regulation military mine could have wrought such terrific havoc. It must have been a large mine, as Captain Sigsbee and others suggested at the time, perhaps a sugar-mill boiler or a large tank loaded with explosives."

There will naturally be naval and military authorities who will refuse to accept these conclusions without the backing of official reports setting forth the disclosures made by the uncovering of the warship's hull in the most minute detail possible. And even then the most conservative authorities may be found still holding fast to the opinion that "nothing has been proved—nothing ever can be proved." The masses of the American people, however, and of unbiased foreigners will be prepared by these latest disclosures to set it down as beyond further conjecture that the Maine was not destroyed by an interior explosion and could not have been as the hull now tells the awful story.

But the present situation will raise another highly interesting question for the naval savants and that portion of the lay population which delights in the solution of problems:

How was it possible for a mine as large and as difficult of handling as a sugar-mill boiler or a molasses tank to have been planted under the forward part of the battleship Maine's bottom without attracting any attention at all aboard-ship and apparently none on shore—especially as the wire or other device for exploding it had to be carried away to a point of perfect safety somewhere? Is it possible or thinkable that enemies of the United States engaged in the plot voluntarily sacrificed their own lives in order to make the "job" a successful one?

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**TONOPAH.**

Tonopah Nevada	\$6.25
Montana	.80
Tonopah Ex.	1.00
MacNamara	.21
Midway	.26
Belmont	6.92 1/2
North Star	.19
West End	.59
Rescue Eula	.25
Jim Butler	.23
Mizpah Ex.	.64

**GOLDFIELD.**

Goldfield Con.	\$5.70
Booth	.68
Blue Bull	.68
Merger Mines	.25
Atlanta	.17
Jumbo Ex.	.24
Florence	1.05
Spearhead Gold	.08
Comb. Fraction	.09
Kewanas	.09

**COMSTOCK.**

Ophir	\$1.60
Mexican	\$3.67 1/2
Sierra Nevada	.32
Union Con.	.93

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

Pitts. Silver Peak	\$ .85
Nevada Hills	2.95
Manhattan Con.	.09
Man. Dexter	.04
Man. Mustang	.02
Man. Big Four	.21

**NEW YORK CURB.**

Tonopah Mining	\$5.87 1/2
Montana	.78
Tonopah Ex.	1.00
Rescue Eula	.26
Midway	.26
Belmont	6.87 1/2
Jim Butler	.23
Goldfield Con.	5.27 1/2
Mizpah Ex.	.60
West End	.59
North Star	.20

**SALES.**

500 MacNamara (8-5)	\$ .22
1000 Jim Butler	.24
500 Jumbo Ex.	.25
100 Florence	1.10

**Forenoon—**

1000 MacNamara	.22
100 Belmont	7.00
400 Belmont	6.95
200 West End (B-60)	.60
1000 West End	.60
5000 West End	.58
2500 Rescue Eula	.25
2000 Rescue Eula	.26
600 Goldfield Con.	5.75
500 Goldfield Con.	5.77 1/2
150 Goldfield Con.	5.80
500 Goldfield Con.	5.70
1500 Jumbo Extension	.26
500 Jumbo Extension	.25

**SERIAL 02208**

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Carson City, Nevada, Sept. 15, 1911.  
 Notice is hereby given that Fred T. Gleason, of Goldfield, Nevada, who, on February 24, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 02208, for NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 26, N 1/2 SE 1/4 and SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 27, Township 1 North, Range 49 East, Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the County Clerk of Nye County, at Tonopah, Nevada, on the 25th day of October, 1911.  
 Claimant names as witnesses: John Alfred Bier and James Clifford, of Goldfield, Nevada, William G. Cook and August Charles Reed, of Silver Bow (Via Tonopah, Nev.)  
 LOUIS J. COHN, Register.

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.**

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Nevada Boy Goldfield Mining company will be held at the office of the company at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., room 314 State Bank & Trust Company building, Tonopah, Nevada, on Monday, November 6, 1911, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, the transaction of all business properly to come before the meeting, and the adoption or rejection of an amendment of Article III, of the Articles of Incorporation of the company, so that the same shall read as follows:

The company's principal place of business is at Pierre, South Dakota, and it may have a business office outside of said state, at the town of Goldfield, state of Nevada, and at such other places as the board of directors may appoint, at any of which named places or places so appointed any incorporators, directors and stockholders' meetings may be held, the books of the company may be kept and corporate business may be transacted, and the incorporators and stockholders may vote by proxy. The domiciliary office of this company shall be at the office of the National Incorporating company in the City of Pierre, South Dakota.

Also for the ratification or rejection of the act of the stockholders of June 5, 1909, amending Article 1 of Section 2 of the by-laws so as to read as follows:  
 Section 2. The company may also have an office in the town of Goldfield, state of Nevada, and may also have offices in such other places as the Board of Directors may appoint.

Please sign enclosed proxy and return in the accompanying stamped addressed envelope.  
 A. H. HOWE, Secretary.  
 9-30-10-7-14-21-23

1000 Comb. Fraction	.09
2000 Blue Bull	.09
300 Nevada Hills	3.00
100 Nevada Hills	2.97 1/2
100 Nevada Hills	2.95

**ORE SHIPMENTS DURING LAST WEEK NORMAL.**

Following is a report of the mines of Tonopah for the past week:

Tonopah Mining	2850
Belmont	2300
Montana	1045
Tonopah Extension	1029
West End	500
Midway	50

Total.....1784  
 The estimated total value of ores shipped to the various mills in this vicinity is \$194,600.

As exploration work proceeds the lode mines of Alaska are steadily showing up in better form. The season of deep snows is near at hand, but much work is planned for the winter, and greater things are ahead for the following summer.

**CLASSIFIED ADS.**

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**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.**

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Goldfield May Queen Mining company will be held at the office of the company at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., room 314 State Bank & Trust Company building, Tonopah, Nevada, on Monday, November 6, 1911, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, the transaction of all business properly to come before the meeting, and the adoption or rejection of an amendment of Article III, of the Articles of Incorporation of the company, so that the same shall read as follows:

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