

## BELMONT DECLARES EXTRA DIVIDEND OF \$150,000

### Payable November 15 As Thanksgiving Greeting to Stockholders

#### Clyde Heller Offers \$2,000 To American Mining Congress

The next session of the American mining congress has been invited to come to Tonopah, but the decision will not be made for several months yet, when the directors hold their first meeting. Clyde Heller, president of the Belmont and Jim Butler, is said to have sent word to the meeting that his companies would contribute \$2000 to the fund necessary to the procurement of the meeting. Competition for the next gathering is keen, but there was a disposition manifested to come to Nevada, owing to the great activity in mining and the prominence of Tonopah in the mining world suggested that this place be selected.

#### CHOLONA COPPER IN HUMBOLDT HAS GOOD BACKING

HAS RED OXIDE ORE OF SUFFICIENT VALUE FOR SACKING AND SHIPPING.

One of the new mining properties in Nevada being developed by Utah and Idaho men, and now coming to the front in a prominent way, is that of the Cholina Copper company, located in Humboldt county, according to the Salt Lake Tribune.

James P. Olson, managing director of the property, is in town for the purpose of negotiating for a gasoline hoist, which is to be shipped out from Salt Lake and installed on the ground over a working shaft that is being sunk to the 300 level, and which will cross-cut the vein system at about 200 feet below the surface. Mr. Olson has determined to go about 100 feet below the cross-cut point by reason of his calculation that in doing so he will reach the sulphide zone, of which there is now ample evidence exposed.

In the meantime, says Manager Olson, he has two men working on a mine which he is sinking in the main drift in red oxide, some of the ore being so rich as to justify sacking for shipment. He brings a report, gratifying to his associates, that the greater depth that is attained in the workings on the property the more mineralized is the ground. A porphyry dike is making its appearance in the mine, and that, together with the lime and granite contact, gives every indication that the mine is destined to come into the big producing class in a comparatively short time.

Supplies for the winter have been shipped out to the camp—enough to sustain the working force until next March—and otherwise financial support has been attracted to the property by reason of the good showing that has been made in the few months that active work has been going on.

The property is favorably located, in that it is but twenty miles from the Western Pacific station at Cholina, with a grade of only 3 per cent in the wagon road. The water and climate are both favorable to a continuous campaign of development of the ground, and this will be pushed as fast as the force can put it through.

#### Milkmen Cannot Stand Low Prices

By Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Bankruptcy threatens the farmer if he tries to comply with all requirements of health officials, according to Prof. H. E. Harding of the University of Illinois, in an address today before the International Milk Dealers' association. He says the rise in the price of milk does not correspond to the increase of labor and feed.

#### TYPHOID FEVER CARRIES OFF AN OLD FREIGHTER

ONE OF WITTENBERG'S MEN SUCUMB TO LONG ATTACK OF TYPHOID FEVER.

Edward J. Robinson, aged 34 years, died at the Miners' Union hospital last night and the body is held for the arrival of a brother from Estherville, Iowa, who is expected to be here in the morning, as he left his eastern home Saturday on hearing that his brother was not likely to survive. The deceased was one of the best known employees of the Wittenberg company and handled one of their long strings of animals between here and Willow Creek. He leaves a widow and four children at Alamo, a small town 70 miles from Caliente, Nev., and is also survived by his mother and several brothers and sisters.

#### SIMONS BOUND OVER TO JURY BY DUNSEATH

COMMITTED TO JAIL IN DEFAULT OF A BOND OF THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Russell Simons was bound over to the grand jury by Justice Dunseath this morning, after listening to arguments on the allegation that he had defrauded his creditors by obtaining goods on false pretenses.

Thomas K. Chambers, for the defendant, made a strong plea for Simons, declaring no case had been made out and that the court should dismiss the proceedings. He said Simons had a wife and family dependent on him for support, including a baby in arms, and that he should have been liberated without further delay.

The court took a different view of it and ordered Simons committed to jail in default of \$3000.

#### LUNING BOASTS GREAT ACTIVITY IN DEVELOPING

#### SALE OF SIERRA COPPER CLAIMS MEANS INCREASE IN SHIPMENTS.

Wesley Stewart, postmaster, returned from Luning late yesterday afternoon, after spending a day at the copper camp, which he reports in the most prosperous condition and everybody looking forward to the installation of the leaching plant at the Wagner Azurite property, managed by Frank Everett.

The sale of the Paminez Sierra property, better known as the Spanish woman's mine, was a legitimate proposition that means the bringing of a lot of capital into the district. The first payment was a very substantial one, and the buyers are on the ground represented by an energetic superintendent, who is beginning at the bottom by bettering the roads and securing good transportation.

He has thirty-two men employed on road and mine work and will increase this number as fast as he can make room for more. Superintendent James, formerly of Fallon, is building a high-line road that will save the expensive haul through the sands and give an easy grade to the teams. The distance is six miles but most of this is light work. Three miles will prove a costly undertaking.

#### PROGRESSIVE DINNER SUNDAY AFTERNOON

A very pleasant affair, which was participated in by about ten couples, occurred at the homes of Mrs. Roy Crump and Miss Leslie Wardle Sunday afternoon. The affair was in the nature of a "progressive dinner," but was virtually a banquet. The table, the length of two full rooms, was resplendent in cut glass and silver, lighted by pierced brass candle holders. Each course was furnished, cooked and served by different ladies, and during the serving of each course Miss Kelly read extracts from "How to Make a Hit at a Banquet," very unique quips which caused unbounded mirth. Miss Emma Stien served the soup; Miss Alice Joanis, the salad; Mesdames Crump and Charles A. Smith, Miss Keely and Miss Thelma Hamma served the turkey and fixings; Miss Marguerite Gibbons, the entree, salted almonds, etc; Miss Mayme Gomm, the dessert and cake. The gay company repaired to the home of Miss Leslie Wardle for black coffee and confections and the rest of the evening was passed in music, wit and song till a late hour, when the guests departed, complimenting themselves and each other on having carried through a very pleasant and successful entertainment.

Those invited were: Mesdames Roy Crump and Charles A. Smith, Misses Kathleen Keely, Emma Stien, Alice Joanis, Thelma Hamma, Hazel Logan, Marguerite Gibbons, Leslie Wardle, Mayme Gomm, Messrs. Roy Crump, Charles A. Smith, M. H. W. Hatton, Fred Steen, Harold Marsh, Harold Kind, J. S. Mullins, Frank Brown, William Walker and Clinton Sparke.

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#### U. S. WANTS NO MORE GROUND

#### PRESIDENT WILSON OFFICIALLY DEFINES FOREIGN POLICY OF THIS COUNTRY.

(By Associated Press)  
MOBILE, Ala., Oct. 27.—The president announced to the world today that the governing motive of the United States in its relationships to other countries on this hemisphere would be "morality, not expediency."

The president, in his speech to the southern commercial congress, made a veiled attack on what he termed the "material interests" that influenced the foreign policy of some of the government's relations with the nations of Latin America.

#### CANNOT GUESS ELECTIONS IN OLD MEXICO

MAY BE WEEK OR TWO BEFORE RETURNS OF THE VOTE ARE COUNTED.

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—In the face of meager returns from the Mexican election, it is apparent that a president was not chosen. Officials here claim justification for declining in advance to recognize the election as legal and fair. The prevailing opinion is that Huerta will retain authority until the new congress proclaims the election null and void.

#### SEVEN FIREMEN KILLED IN FIRE AT MILWAUKEE

(By Associated Press)  
MILWAUKEE, Oct. 27.—The death list by a fire that last night destroyed the store of the Goodyear Rubber company and adjoining buildings remains at seven. All were firemen, who were caught under a falling wall.

Three others are in a critical condition. Seventeen were injured, but they are expected to recover. The loss is \$500,000.

#### REGULAR DIVIDEND OF \$375,000 WAS PAID FIRST OF OCTOBER AND NEXT DUE IN JANUARY

This morning the wires flashed the good news that the Belmont had declared an extra dividend of ten cents a share, payable November 15th to stockholders of record on November 5th. The last previous dividend was paid on the first of October, and when this last special and extra dividend is paid the Tonopah Belmont Development company will have disbursed \$5,243,000 in the comparatively short period of its existence. The last dividend was the eleventh consecutive dividend of 25 cents a share, equal to a disbursement of \$375,000. This will leave approximately \$1,500,000 in the treasury.

The special and extra dividend aggregates \$150,000, as the company is capitalized for 1,500,000 shares, all issued.

#### FREDDIE WEEKS FROM MIX-UP IS PUT IN JAIL

#### PUGILIST CANNOT KEEP OUT OF TROUBLE AND WILL BE ARRAIGNED FOR SENTENCE.

Freddie Weeks was slated for a seance this morning before Justice Dunseath. He has been acting badly of late and during the past week was arrested three times for disturbing the peace Sunday morning he was arrested and kept in jail until about 8 o'clock in the evening, when he was released on promise of good behavior. In less than three hours he picked up three miners and was raising another disturbance when he was hauled off to the county jail.

#### FIERCE NORTHER SWEEPS SOUTH THIS MORNING

(By Associated Press)  
AMARILLO, Texas, Oct. 27.—The temperature fell to 22 degrees last night, the freeze destroying a large amount of the feed crop.

(By Associated Press)  
ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27.—A heavy snow swept a large section of Missouri today.

(By Associated Press)  
BARTLESVILLE, Okla., Oct. 27.—Three inches of snow, the heaviest in fifty years, fell here last night and today. The temperature dropped from 80 to 29 and large crops of forage are ruined. The snow was worst in western Oklahoma.

#### TEMPERATURE REPORT.

Highest temperature yesterday, 65 degrees; a year ago, 62.  
Lowest temperature last night, 62 degrees; a year ago, 31.

#### Sex Hygiene In Chicago Schools

(By Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Sex hygiene, a part of the regular curriculum of the public schools, was inaugurated today six physicians appointed to lecture gave their first instruction. The sexes were segregated during the lectures. The subjects of diseases in simple but unmistakable terms.

#### COLORADO MEN ON THEIR WAY TO THE COAST

(By Associated Press)  
HORACE HULL and S. L. Peavy, of Steamboat Springs, in the northwest part of Colorado, passed through Tonopah this morning en route for Escondido, Cal., where they go to visit relatives and will remain on the coast for the winter. Hull is engaged in the electrical business and Peavy runs the stage line between Hahn's Peak and Steamboat Springs.

Both men are accompanied by their wives and supplied with a camping outfit, which they have used several times since leaving home, when they could not find lodgings convenient. They have been nineteen days on the way and say the best roads encountered were those between Ely and Tonopah, the last fifty miles in particular, which they remark was equal to the best boulevards of the cities. In Colorado, between Elk Creek and Willow Creek, they met with sand in such quantities that they were a whole day making fifteen miles. Both men travel in new cars. They continued on to Big Pine this morning by way of Silver Peak.

#### COURTHOUSE OFFICIALS CONDUCT A DANCE

Under the name of the Devil's club the boys from the courthouse and a number of their friends and their wives gathered Saturday evening at the hall of the Knights of Columbus and had an enjoyable time. The affair was strictly invitational, and as everybody knew everybody else, it was thought that no harm could come from a little razzing, which was indulged in to a late hour. A feature of the evening was the tin can and long hook brought and manipulated by Dad Jones.

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#### GUN MAN FROM PENITENTIARY MAKES BREAK

#### PAROLED CONVICT FLASHES A KNIFE IN WATER-STREET SALOON.

George Gibson, formerly of Goldfield, and more recently of this camp, where he has been keeping pretty low, got into trouble last night and would have indulged in one of his old-time escapades had not been stopped by Bob Dalzell of the night police force. About midnight he strolled into Roberta's saloon on Water street and, drawing a knife, he threw it on the bar and threatened to cut up any one who dared interfere with his movements. Dalzell stopped him and phoned Chief of Police Evans, who went down to investigate. He found Gibson in a fighting mood, but as there had not been any infraction of the law and the owner of the saloon did not prefer charges, Evans told Gibson he could go if he promised to leave Tonopah for good.

Gibson was only too willing to accept this leniency and said he would leave before daylight.

#### FIRE LOSS PROMPTLY PAID.

The fire loss last Thursday to the residence of D. J. Robb, on Edwards street, was settled, adjusted and paid within 48 hours, just two days after the fire occurred, through the insurance agency of S. R. Moore & Co. The insurance company was notified by wire within two hours after the fire was put out and answer came immediately to adjust the loss. Mr. Robb received his check for the loss before noon of the 25th. This is one of many of quick adjustments of fire losses which have been made through S. R. Moore & Co.'s agency.

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, Oct. 27.—Suffragettes today burned Tillhouse, the fine residence of T. McKenna, brother of the home secretary.