

STOCKS

The following are the closing stock quotations, and the record of the day's sales, as received from the San Francisco stock exchange this afternoon by J. C. Robertson, broker:

Table with columns: TONOPAH, Bid, Ask. Includes Belmont, Cash Boy, Great Western, Uppy Queen, Halifax, Jim Butler, MacNamara, Midway, Misap Ex, Monarch Pittsburg, Montana, North Star, Rescue-Eula, Tonopah Ex, Tonopah '76, Jmatilla, West End, West Tonopah, Tonopah Divide.

GOLDFIELD.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes Atlanta, Blue Bell, Booth, C. O. D., Combination Fraction, Cracker Jack, Black Butte, Florence, Goldfield Con., Merger Mines, Grandma, Great Bend, Kewanas, Jumbo Ex, Jumbo Jr., Slimmerone, Sandstorm, Silver Pick, Spearhead, Yellow Tiger, Red Hills.

MANHATTAN.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes Manhattan Con., White Caps, Morning Glory, Union Amalg., Gold Wedge, Dexter, Dexter Union, Mustang, Manhattan Carson, Union Amalg. Ex., Red Top, White Caps Ex.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes Nensel, Nevada Packard, Rochester Morgor, Rochester Mines, Round Mountain, Yerington Mt. Cop.

TONOPAH.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes Morning Sales, Tonopah Ex, West End, Rescue-Eula, Great Western, Cash Boy, West Tonopah, MacNamara.

Afternoon Sales.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes Tonopah Ex, Midway, West End, Rescue-Eula, Cash Boy.

GOLDFIELD.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes Goldfield Con., Cracker Jack, Merger Mines, Silver Pick, Jumbo Jr.

MANHATTAN.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes White Caps, Morning Glory, Red Top, Union Amalg.

Afternoon Sales.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes White Caps, Morning Glory, Manhattan Con.

MORE GYM MEMBERS.

The Tonopah Volunteer Fire Department gymnasium has now a total of 152 members. Manager H. W. Skinner hopes to increase that to 200 in the next month.

NOTICE TO TRIAL JURORS.

All trial jurors must appear on January 7th in the district court at 10 a. m. By order of L. E. Glass, clerk of the district court. adv231f

SUBSTITUTE FOR WAR TAX.

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Senator Smoot announced today he will soon introduce a substitute for the war tax.

Jones' pure apple cider at Hall Liquor company. Just arrived. Six bits a gallon. adv231f

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91 BIRTHS AND 66 DEATHS DURING 1917

There were four births in Tonopah in December and two in Round Mountain. Three of the local births were girls and one a boy. The full report on vital statistics for the month, as compiled by C. J. Richards, health officer, follows:

Birth—Daughters to Milton H. W. Halton, Harlan Bailey, Louis D. Townsend of Tonopah, William H. Berg and Howard J. Melvin of Round Mountain. Son to Emery C. Marty of Tonopah.

Deaths—Margaret Malley, 71 years; William H. Dyer, 47 years; John C. Bottomly, 56 years; Joseph Oliver, 56 years; Mary Kenters, 10 months.

In the year 1917 there were in Nevada 91 births, 66 deaths and 61 marriages.

FOLLY TO SAY DIVER CREWS LOSE MORALE

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Admiral Benson, chief of operations, told the house naval committee today it is folly to believe there is a loss of morale in the German submarine crews. He has information that German prisoners indicated that their morale is the best in the German navy.

PASSENGER TRAFFIC IS TO BE CURTAILED

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Secretary McAdoo announced today that some definite agreement on the relations of railroad labor to the government will be made soon after a conference with the brotherhood chiefs. A general curtailment of passenger traffic is considered certain.

CONGRESS ADJOURNS FOR SEN. NEWLANDS

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Congress adjourned today until tomorrow in respect to the late Senator Newlands of Nevada and Representative Bathrick, after a brief session.

NEW DEPUTY SHERIFF.

Sheriff Thomas has appointed Al Shidler to succeed T. A. MacDuff, deputy sheriff, who resigned two months ago. Mr. Shidler was the Socialist candidate for county clerk two years ago. He has worked for a long time as mine carpenter for various local companies.

PATIENT DOING WELL.

Miss Himako, operated on for appendicitis at the Miners' hospital, was reported today to be doing splendidly.

NEW SCHOOL HOUSE FOR PINE CREEK DISTRICT

The Pine Creek district school board, No. 5, has built a new school house and school will open next Monday. The new building, which replaces the log structure erected some eight years ago, is 16x24 feet. It will accommodate the district's twelve pupils.

THELEN RE-ELECTED.

(By Associated Press) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 3.—Max Thelen was today re-elected president of the state railroad commission.

SEARCH FOR CONVICTS.

(By Associated Press) SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 3.—The sheriff is aiding today in the search for two Mexicans who escaped from the Poison penitentiary Tuesday.

C. W. SMITH IS MADE SUPT. OF SCHOOL

At a meeting of the state board of education held at Carson City on Saturday, Chauncey W. Smith, formerly principal of the schools of Virginia City, was elected to the position of deputy superintendent of public instruction to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of B. G. Bleasdale. The latter goes to Yerington to assume the principalship of the high school of Lyon county, where a vacancy has occurred through the resignation of Prof. McCree, who enters the military service of his country. The Yerington school is the first high school in Nevada, in which Mr. Bleasdale served as teacher.

Prof. Smith has been assigned to the Third district, comprising Humboldt and Churchill counties, and his headquarters will be at Fallon. He assumes his new duties in a week, the salary of the position being \$2,000 per year and traveling expenses. The news of Mr. Smith's appointment will be received with much interest in this city, and he will have the congratulations of many friends here.

He has had much practical experience and training in educational matters in this state, having been high school principal at Tonopah, as well as in this city, and is well equipped for the responsibilities of the position.

It is of interest to observe that two former principals of this city are now in the state educational service, John Edwards Bray being the successful state superintendent for many years, and James V. Comerford has made good as deputy superintendent in the district comprising White Pine, Esmeralda and other eastern and southern counties with headquarters at Ely—Virginia City Chronicle.

ALIMONY EXPENSES ARE ASKED IN ACTION

Judge Mark Averill at 4 o'clock this afternoon will hear a motion to allow alimony and counsel fees to Mrs. Chelsea Gendel in a divorce action against Philip Gendel. Mrs. Gendel asks \$200 counsel fees, \$200 for traveling expenses for herself and child and \$100 a month alimony.

MORE QUESTIONAIRES SENT.

The following registrants were today sent their questionnaires: Arthur Dunlap, 404; Kosto Cuckovic, 605; Louis B. Healy, 606; Steve Lako, 607; Harold Neils Hansen, 608; Patrick Joseph Bayan, 609; Milo Stanatz, 610; John Kruk, 611; Burt Bullcreek, 612; Harold Andy Cosmon, 613; Pavo Kuduljica, 614; John Barnard Murray, 615; Carl Henry Lucas, 616; Arthur Andrew Linstad, 617; James Monroe Butler, 618; Vilas William Sullivan, 619; Eno Henry Saari, 620; William Porter, 621; Elias Mickelson, 622; Mike Vlach, 623; Emery Edward Garrett, 624; Charles Raymond Danemiller, 625; Charles Lewis Cornberger, 626; Oscar Mike, 627; Elmer Gilmore Willey, 628; Gustaf Prausen, 629; Radl Marcott, 631; Pablo Arellano, 632; John Batenovich, 634; Monty Williams, 635; Andrew Werner Linnell, 636; Peter Kullacha, 637; Herbert Trevar-ton, 638; John Francis Fowler, 639.

PATIENT GOES HOME.

Mr. Wetherford of Millers, who has been in the Miners' hospital for a week suffering with a muscle bruise, returned to his home today. He will be unable to work for some days yet.

CHIEF JACK GRANT CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

Chief of Police Jack Grant continues to improve and is gaining in strength every day. He is now being permitted to eat some solid food, a bit of broiled tenderloin being served to him today.

STILL IN BUSINESS.

M. A. Hood, general agent for the Las Vegas & Tonopah railroad, denies the published report that his office has been closed as the result of the government taking over the railroads. He says he has had no notification of such action.

NO PEACE BOOSTS STOCKS.

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Stocks shot upward today on further signs of the collapse of peace negotiations.

Advertisement in the Daily Bonanza.

PERSONAL

W. B. ASTON of Goldfield is at the Mispah.

A. J. WINTHROP of Seattle is registered at the Mispah hotel.

W. H. ABY of Goldfield is at the Mispah hotel, having arrived on today's train.

H. E. EPSTINE, the broker, will leave for San Francisco tomorrow morning.

MISS MATHIER, who spent the holidays here, returned to Reno this morning.

MILTON JACOBI returned this morning from San Francisco, where he spent the holidays.

W. W. FANCHER, sheepman of George's canyon, is spending today in Tonopah.

HON. A. S. PUTNEY, Nye county assemblyman, is over from Manhattan on a business errand.

GEORGE SCHROFF of San Francisco was an arrival this morning and registered at the Mispah hotel.

STEPHEN BALLIET returned this morning to St. Joseph's academy at Rio Vista to resume his studies.

TONY BRACHETT, a Manhattan mining and business man, visited Tonopah yesterday and was admitted to citizenship.

ROY CRAG of the United States navy, who was here from the electrical school at Mare Island on a furlough, returned to his post this morning.

JUDGE HEARS TWENTY CASES DURING MONTH OF DECEMBER

Judge Mark R. Averill has submitted the following affidavit as to matters considered and being considered by him:

Mark R. Averill, being first duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says: That he is the duly elected, qualified and acting judge of the Fifth judicial district of the state of Nevada, comprising the county of Nye;

that one case, motion or other matter submitted to him as such district judge in and for Nye county remains undecided, the trial of the case of Robertson vs. Robertson, submitted December 29, 1917; that during the month of December, 1917, twenty matters were heard by him, one in Goldfield and the others in Tonopah; that the case of the Virginia Louise Mining company, heard in Pioche and submitted November 16, and the case of Thompson vs. Mitchell, heard in Goldfield and submitted December 26, remain undecided; that a demurrer to the complaint in the case of the T. & G. Railroad company vs. Nye County et al, heard in December, has not yet been fully submitted; and that no case, motion or other matter remains undecided that has been submitted for a period of ninety days.

Oil and Lubrication.

Oil is a peacemaker and serves its purpose by interjecting itself between the two warring elements of a bearing surface which would soon find themselves in the midst of a hot and disastrous argument were it not for the good offices of this conciliatory medium. Therefore it is an actual film of oil which is forced into the bearings or under the cylinder walls and over which adjoining bearing surfaces slide. It is because the actual film of oil must exist between the smooth surfaces of a bearing that it is found necessary for oil to be of a certain thickness or viscosity. It therefore becomes evident why oil, to be satisfactory for use in a gasoline engine, should be of a quality not easily broken down or thinned by the temperatures reached in the oil circulating system of the average automobile power plant.—H. W. Slausen in Leslie's.

Was Too Particular.

A Bonnton (N. J.) real estate man was trying to sell a small farm by mail to a possible purchaser in Manhattan, a very precise and particular person. One day a friend asked him how he was making out on the deal.

"Oh, I've quit," he said in a tone of marked pleasure. "You see, he wrote for so many details and kept insisting on having more that I got tired at last and wrote telling him if he would pay the freight both ways I would ship the darn farm down to the city for him to look at, and he never answered my letter."—Puck.

The Old Order Peseth.

What has become of the old fashioned man who was about to solve the problem of perpetual motion?

And where is the old fashioned woman who wore gloves that reached only halfway to the end of her fingers?

Can anybody furnish information concerning the whereabouts of the old fashioned boy who wore mittens which were fastened to a long string?—Chicago Herald.

(By Associated Press) LONDON, Jan. 3.—It was announced today that compulsory rationing will soon become effective in England.

AMUSEMENTS

BUTLER THEATER.

Margery Wilson, who appeared here a short time ago, will make her debut as a star in "Mountain Dew," a tale of the Kentucky mountains during the moonshiners' reign, which will be the attraction at the Butler this evening. A wild little sprite of the hills, she meets a young novelist gathering material for a book. He is charmed by her native loveliness and determines to educate her. He manages to get the position of "boss of the school," and invites the girl to attend. Her father, an old feudist, objects to "larnin'" and threatens the teacher but the latter covers him with a gun and calmly proceeds with Margery's reading lesson. A bright romance with many humorous situations follows this episode. Charles Gunn, one of the most popular leading men, has the role of teacher. Jack Richardson, Aaron Edwards, Mary Borland, Al W. Wilson and Thomas Washington are also of the cast. In addition to the feature a Triangle comedy, "His Baby Doll," will be shown.

Tomorrow, June Caprice, in "Miss U. S. A." and William Duncan and Carol Holloway, in "The Fighting Trail."

Saturday, Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle, in "Fatty at Coney Island."

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

To All Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between Henry C. Schmidt and W. R. Williams, doing business under the firm name and style of "Tonopah Hardware Co.," was, on the 20th day of December, 1917, dissolved by mutual consent. W. R. Williams retiring from said business.

All accounts and obligations, of whatsoever nature, due to said firm are due and payable to Henry C. Schmidt, who assumes all obligations due from said co-partnership. (Signed) HENRY C. SCHMIDT, J13110 W. R. WILLIAMS.

War Endings.

No great war of modern times has ended during the winter months, nor, with the exception of the Russo-Japanese war, has any begun then. For a century all wars have begun in the spring, summer or early autumn and ended between March and August—Argonaut.

Zeppelins and Colors.

On a dark night a Zeppelin would be invisible whatever its color until the searchlights located it, and then it would not matter how it had been colored. Once the searchlights had picked it up it would appear a conspicuous silvery object projected against the night sky, even though it were painted as black as the blackest coal, provided it were opaque.—London Globe.

No Longer Joyous.

"What has become of the man who used to sing 'We won't go home till morning'?"

"He doesn't feel like singing any more. He realized on that line so long and frequently that now there isn't any home."—Washington Star.

Jones' apple cider just arrived at Hall Liquor company. Six bits a gallon. adv231f

CLASSIFIED

FOR RENT—Three-room house, furnished; \$10. 528 Central street. Inquire Hyland Boarding House, Florence Ave., at 5:30 p. m. 1073J21f

LOST—Lady's watch; Bonagram H. A. C. Reward, Bonanza office. 1074J32f

FOUND—Gold watch fob with stone setting. Owner may have same by calling at the Bonanza office, describing the fob and paying for this advertisement.

FRENCH TROOPS

(Continued From Page One.)

against the Austro-Germans. Aside from reciprocal artillery duels, little fighting of moment is in progress. In an endeavor to offset their loss of ground resulting from having been driven back across the Lower Plave, the enemy has tried to effect a landing on the west bank of the stream a short distance from the mouth of the Plave. His boats, however, were caught under the fire of the Italian guns and the project had to be given up.

Austro-German airmen continue to bombard towns on the Venetian plains. Treviso and Bassano again have been attacked, and bombs also were dropped on Mestre. Little damage was done by the bombs. Three of the enemy aircraft were shot down in aerial battles by our air craft guns.

CENSUS OF LEATHER STOCKS.

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—A complete census of the hide and leather stocks in the United States is being made by the federal trade commission, preliminary to beginning its investigation of the hide and leather industry which will seek to determine the justification for present "exceedingly high" prices of shoes and all other leather products. Much information regarding hides in storage already has been obtained by the commission's investigators in connection with their work on the packing inquiry.

NEW TODAY

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS.

Tonopah, Nevada, Jan. 3, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that the delinquent tax list for the year 1917, exclusive of poll tax, penalties, costs, etc., of those whose taxes exceed \$300.000, has been deposited with the District Attorney of Nye County, Nevada, and unless the delinquent taxes herein specified are paid to the treasurer and ex-officio tax receiver of said county within twenty days from the publication of this notice, action will be commenced by said District Attorney for the collection of said taxes and costs.

Following is the list of delinquent taxpayers:

New Bonnie Clare Mining Company—Mill plant, machinery, buildings, etc. Valuation, \$14,900.00; tax, \$361.85.

Monitor Belmont Mining Company—Lot in town of Belmont, buildings, mill building, machinery, hoist, etc. Valuation, \$13,220; tax, \$354.10.

JENNIE A. CUREUX, County Auditor of Nye County, Nevada.

JAP TO CONFER ON MEXICO.

(By Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—K. Ohta, former Japanese charge at Mexico City, arrived here yesterday to confer with Japanese embassy officials about the situation in Mexico before returning to Tokyo. Mr. Ohta met Minister Matorio, Japan's new envoy to Mexico, at Laredo and gave him a review of conditions. The minister now is on his way to Mexico City.

POWDER PLANT BLOWN UP.

(By Associated Press) FAIRMONT, W. Va., Jan. 2.—One man was killed outright, two others died later from injuries and still another is near death in a hospital, the result of a terrific explosion yesterday which destroyed the corning mill of the Monogahela Powder company's plant near here.

Advertisement in the Daily Bonanza.

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