

UTE COPPER DOWN TO SINCERE WORK

Superintendent Wilkins Says All Preliminary Work Has Been Disposed Of.

MINERS AT FACE OF WEIR TUNNEL

Property Finely Equipped for Probing New and Richly Mineralized Ground.

Hereafter all expenditures made by the management of the Ute Copper company will be charged to operating expenses. This is the good word brought to the local offices of this company Friday by Superintendent Wilkins. This was the manner in which Mr. Wilkins announced that all the preliminary improvements had been made, so that this newly organized Bingham company will from now on be down to hard and sincere development work. It will be recalled that the Ute Copper company was formed last month by Thomas Weir and N. J. Catrow and their Salt Lake associates, the company taking over the old Winamuck and other groups of the Bingham camp.

Mr. Wilkins states that the mine is now working in the vicinity of the face of the weir tunnel, the working being cleaned out to that point, and that the work of pushing this tunnel into resources at ever-increasing vertical depths soon will be well under way. This tunnel is run several years ago by the original owners of the property, and it will be the main avenue of the Ute company into its red metal treasure vaults. The compressor is in operation, all other needed equipment is working in splendid order and the buildings for the comfort of the men employed are completed.

The Ute Copper company has a splendid scope of richly mineralized Bingham territory with which to work, and the developments of the present season confidently are expected by those familiar with the ground to demonstrate beyond all doubt that the owners have another big copper mine for that great Utah mining camp. President Thomas Weir at the present time is in the East, and before his return to Salt Lake he will spend some time in Europe.

BLACKBOARD MINING.

Easterner Brings Sound Advice to Goldfield Mine Operators.

George H. Phillips, the Chicago corn king, who figured in the pit two years ago, is in Goldfield and already has made large investments. With Mr. Phillips is Thomas Harney, also a well known Chicago operator. They are interested in the Frances King property, 71.2 miles east of Goldfield, says the Goldfield Tribune.

"We have come here to mine and not to play the stock market," said Mr. Phillips. "The thing Goldfield needs to do is to give more time to real mining. This blackboard mining won't produce any money. At a depth of fifty feet this district is ore, and what I have seen before coming here, I am convinced that this is the greatest mining district in the world. The riches aren't even touched yet, but it is going to take time and work to develop them, and again, what the district needs is miners and operators who know their business."

Mr. Phillips and Mr. Harney were brought to Goldfield by the report of promising developments on their Frances King property. At a depth of fifty feet a large body of ore was discovered, and the two men were accompanied by M. J. Fink of Goldfield, who is returning from a business trip to Chicago.

"Chicago has faith in the district," said Mr. Fink, "but there is a strong suspicion of stock jobbing which is doing it much harm. I talked to Senator Mason at the Hamilton club. He seemed to know all about the camp, as indeed they all did. You're killing the goose that lays the golden egg," he said. "It's a mighty good stock market that lasts forever and the Goldfield people are doing all in their power to bring them to a quick death."

MEERSCHAUM DEPOSITS.

Fine Material Found in Good Quantities in New Mexico.

Smokers who delight in meerschaum pipes need not despair over the reports that this material is doomed to so limited a production as to prevent its use as heretofore. Word comes from New York that the Meerschaum company of America has just finished an examination of 300 acres of its New Mexico meerschaum deposits, with the result that two true fissure veins were uncovered more than 1200 feet in length. The meerschaum is stated to be of magnificent quality. William J. Selinger, formerly vice-president of the American Tobacco Company, is president of the Meerschaum company.

Copper Prices Off.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, 6 West Second South street, furnish the following, received over their private wire yesterday afternoon: Boston wires: Metal exchange quotes lake off 1/2c in ask price, electrolytic off 1/4c in the bid and asked and casting off 1/4c in the bid price.

Union Assay Office.

M. S. Hanner, J. V. Sadler, 162 S. West Temple. P. O. Box 1446.

UTAH SMELTING CO.

OGDEN, UTAH.

BUYERS OF ORES.

DANIELS, The Tailor, 67 West Second South St. \$40, \$50, \$60 and \$70 New York tailors-made unaccepted suits. Altered to fit and sold at \$15, \$20, \$25 and \$30.

GIGANTIC TASK IS VERY NEAR COMPLETE

Utah Mine Management Has Labored Under Very Many Severe Difficulties.

The management of the Utah mine at Fish Springs has had one of the most difficult kinds of propositions upon its hands during the past few months in its efforts to repair the great damage occasioned by the fire in the main shaft. Superintendent Sutton arrived in Salt Lake yesterday on company business, and when seen by the Tribune, stated that progress in reclaiming the main shaft was not only impeded by the accumulated debris, but by the fact that the air was too stifling and hot for men to breathe in the shaft for some time after the fire. It has taken time, therefore, to get to depths, but the work of reclamation has been done well.

Same time ago the management was able to get upon the 800-foot level by means of a winze from an upper working, but not until a few days ago could anyone get any way near the station on the deeper level. Mr. Sutton states that he has gone now within 75 feet of the 800, and that the shaft has been cleaned out to this depth. The work of retimbering the shaft has been going on satisfactorily, and it will be long until the company will be utilizing this main shaft for all purposes. The hoisting apparatus and all other surface equipment have been installed at the shaft in fine shape. Mr. Sutton states that the present system of ventilation in the mine will be a decided improvement over that formerly in vogue.

The Utah mine has been securing the ore for shipment from the other workings, and the rock has been extremely rich. Mr. Sutton brought with him an assay sheet showing numerous samples taken from the faces of the present old workings, and the values run extremely high, as high as 64.2 per cent lead and 1161.4 ounces silver.

DAY ON 'CHANGE.

Higher-Priced Stocks Were in Demand Friday on Exchange.

Friday on the local exchange there was a reasonable amount of trading done in the higher priced stocks, so that the 29.82 1/2 bid for the market value of \$22,332.25. Among the active stocks May Day held first place. The following were the transactions in the unlisted stocks:

UNLISTED STOCKS.

	Bid	Asked	Sold For
Crown Point	57	57	57
Cop. Glance	143	154	143 1/2
Stand. Con.	45	45	45
Newhouse	14.873	15.25	15.25
Mas. Val.	1.50	1.50	1.50
Southport	.65	1.60	.65
E. S. W. Ext.	.15	.15	.15
Emma Cop.	.25	.36	.27
N. Bowers	.42	.42	.42
Yer. Cop.	.20	.40	.20
E. Tintic	.10	.10	.10
Thomson	.20	.20	.20
Elmer	.35	.35	.35
McDon. Ely	.75	.75	.75

LISTED STOCKS.

	A	M	P	M
	Bid	Asked	Bid	Asked
Albion	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Alma	.21	.25	.19	.25
Black Jack	.41	.51	.44	.48
Butte	2.25	4.00	2.75	4.00
Butte	1.25	1.50	1.74	1.80
Butte	.04	.12	.10	.12
Carissa	.43	.45	.43	.47
Central	.30	.37	.30	.37
Central	4.10	4.40	4.13	4.40
Deer	.15	.15	.15	.15
Daily Judge	1.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
Deer	.75	.75	.75	.75
Deer	.20	.20	.20	.20
G. Central	4.50	4.65	4.25	.08
Ingot	.013	.02	.01	.02
L. Bowers	.013	.02	.01	.02
Lou. Dillon	3.75	5.00	3.50	.153
Lead King	.15	.20	.15	.153
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L. M. M.	2.25	3.30	2.30	2.40
M. Lake	.67	.69	.67	.68
Mammoth	1.50	1.65	1.40	1.60
Mo. Min.	.30	.30	.30	.30
Nev. Fair	.15	.15	.15	.15
Nev. Hills	4.95	6.00	4.50	.114
New York	3.50	.15	.15	.18
Ontario	.12	.16	.12	.153
Rich. Ana.	.064	.07	.064	.07
Scott. Chf.	.32	.35	.32	.38
Swansea	.02	.25	.30	.38
S. Swansea	.09	.15	.10	.12
Sacramento	.053	.09	.05	.09
Sul. King	.313	.36	.30	.35
Star	.123	.143	.13	.143
S. Col. Con.	1.324	1.973	1.933	2.00
Star	.14	.14	.14	.14
L. S. Con.	.63	.70	.70	.71
Utah Mine	2.00	.195	.195	.195
Victoria	.113	.123	.113	.123
Vio. Con.	.35	.35	.35	.35
Yakob	.46	.49	.47	.50

FORENOON SALES.

Ingot, 120 at 5c.
Carissa, 400 at 5c.
Grand Central, 300 at \$4.50.
May Day, 500 at 29c, seller thirty days; 1000 at 29c; 2500 at 20c.
Uncle Sam, 200 at 60c.
Tremont, 100 at 85c.
Mountain Lake, 100 at 65c.
Seven Troughs, 400 at 52c.
Swansea, 500 at 10c.
Selling value, \$426.50.

OPEN BOARD.

Beck Tunnel, 100 at \$1.75, seller thirty days; 200 at \$1.75.
Little Chief, 100 at 15c.
May Day, 500 at 30c.
Seven Troughs, 200 at 52c; 500 at 52c; 300 at 52c.
Yankon Con., 200 at 70c.
Shares sold, 8075.
Selling value, \$426.25.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Swansea, 500 at 25c.
South Swansea, 500 at 10c.
Little Chief, 1000 at 15c.
Mountain Lake, 200 at 67c.
Scottish Chief, 500 at 60c.
Seven Troughs, 200 at 57c; 400 at 55c; 300 at 55c.
Shares sold, 2000.
Selling value, \$1337.

OPEN BOARD.

Butter Lumber, 100 at 10c.
Beck Tunnel, 1200 at \$1.80.
Columbia, 100 at \$4.97.
Lower Mammoth, 500 at \$2.32.
May Day, 7000 at 31c; 500 at 31c, buyer thirty days; 3500 at 30c.
Seven Troughs, 300 at 58c.
South Columbia, 100 at \$1.95.
Uncle Sam, 1600 at 71c.
Selling value, \$12,510.

Ore Shipments.

The Pioneer sampler released the following number of cars of ore yesterday: Utah, 10; Nevada, 2.
The Taylor & Branton company released the following: Colorado, 2; Nevada, 2; Utah, 11.

Ore and Bullion.

The ore and bullion receipts for Friday, given by McCormick & Co., were as follows: Ore, \$11,000; Bullion, \$70,000; gold, \$40,000.

Tribune Agents in Nevada.

Copies of The Tribune will be found on sale in Nevada at the following: Beatty—Mark & Hancock. Cherry Creek—Grey & Collins. Del Norte—John Shier. Del Norte—M. C. Kell. Ely—Thomas O'Dalevich. Eureka—Ernest H. Mau. Goldfield—Frank Landstrom, Hunter Adv. & Pub. Co. Gold Butte—W. E. Sharp. Las Vegas—F. P. Shannon, S. L. News Co. Manhattan—Nelson & Roundsvell. Reno—Rosenthal & Armanco, Shepherd & Son. Rhyolite—Sam Speirs. Tonopah—W. H. O'Neill, A. H. Roundsvell, Sherman & Oldfather.

Nevadas in San Francisco.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, 6 West Second South street, furnish the following San Francisco stock quotations, received over their private wire yesterday:

GOLDFIELD.

	Bid	Asked
Sandstorm	32	36
Red Top	30	30
Black Butte	26	28
Columbia Mountain	26	28
Jumbo	26	28
Verona Extension	1.18	1.15
Vernal	15	16
Pennsylvania	30	32
Goldfield Mining Co.	1.00	1.00
Rendall	28	28
Booth	28	31
Blue Bull	18	19
Adams	60	60
Silver Pick	41	42
May Queen	30	30
Nevada Roy	30	30
Black Butte Extension	30	30
Blue Bell	10	11
Dixie	30	30
Hibernia	34	37
St. Ives	30	30
Conqueror	30	30
Black Butte	30	30
Long Star	16	17
Goldfield Wonder	30	30
Goldfield	30	30
Oro	16	18
Kendall Extension	30	30
Sandstorm Extension	30	30
May Queen	30	30
Atlanta	30	30
Great Bend	30	30
Sunshine	30	30
Empire	30	30
Red Top Extension	30	30
Florence	30	30
Diamondfield E. B. Cons.	30	30
Goldfield Daisy	30	30
Laguna	30	30
Combination Fraction	1.573	1.60
Great Bend Annex	19	11
Great Bend Annex	30	30
Millwork	30	30
B. B. Bonanza	30	30
Keweenaw	30	30
Essex	30	30
Portland	30	30
F. Mohawk	1.00	1.05
Red Hills	30	30
McDonald Extension	30	30
Lou. Dillon	30	30
Y. Tiger	15	17
McDonald	30	30
S. P. Extension	30	30
Columbia Mountain Ext.	30	30
Goldfield Consolidated	4.274	4.30
Diamondfield Triangle	17	18

TONOPAH.

	Bid	Asked
Tonopah Nevada	51.75	52.5
Montana Bullfrog	473	523
Tonopah Extension	1.90	2.00
McNamara	25	27
Midway	30	30
Tonopah Belmont	2.35	2.45
Tonopah North Star	23	24
Ohio Tonopah	30	34
West End Consolidated	15	17
Rescue	30	30
Tonopah & California	30	30
Golden Anchor	17	19
Jim. Con.	30	30
Cash Boy	30	30
Home	30	30
Rescue Tonopah	30	30
Monarch Pittsburg Ext.	30	30
Golden Crown	30	30
N. Y. Ton. Cons.	30	30

BULLFROG.

	Bid	Asked
Original	10	10
Bullfrog Mining	12	15
Montana Bullfrog	473	523
National Bank	20	21
L. Harris	60	62
Amethyst	55	55
Gold Bar	55	55
Steinway	66	68
Denver Bullfrog Annex	30	31
Clayton	40	40
Mayflower Consolidated	28	29
Montgomery Shoshone Ex.	10	11
Goldfield Centre	10	11
Montgomery Mountain	10	11
B. Diamondfield	30	30
Homestake Consolidated	30	30
Elmer	30	30
Nugget	30	30
Trump Consolidated	41	41
Victor	30	30
North Star	30	30
Sunset	30	30

MANHATTAN.

	Bid	Asked
Manhattan Consolidated	50	50
Manhattan Mining Co.	50	50
Goldfield Wedge	50	50
Seyler Humphrey	50	50
Decker	50	50
L. Joe	50	50
Crescent	50	50
Combination	50	50
Granny	50	50
Mustang	50	50
Little Grey	50	50
Cow Boy	50	50
Original Manhattan	50	50
Brunch	50	50
Tele. Bldg.	50	50
Stray Dog	50	50
Y. Horse	50	50
Indian Camp	50	50
Standard	50	50

COMSTOCK.

	Bid	Asked
Opbir	1.70	1.75
Alma	45	45
Gold & Curry	17	17
Con. Va.	67	68
Carriage	45	45
Hale & Norcross	11	11
Yellow Jacket	77	80
Belcher	127	128
Con. Imperial	1	1
Sierra Nevada	22	24
Union	23	24

OTHER DISTRICTS.

	Bid	Asked
Fairview Eagle	50	50
Nevada Hills	50	50
Pittsburg Silver	1.224	1.25
Yorba Star Wonder	30	30
Eagles Nest	30	30
Ruby Wonder	30	30
Alloy of Wonder	30	30

Boston Stock Market.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, 6 West Second South street, furnish the following Boston stock quotations, received over their private wire yesterday:

Sales.

	H	L	C
Bingham Con.	250	17	17
Boston Con.	110	24	233
Butte Coalition	11	14	13
Butte and London	11	14	13
Butte	11	14	13
Con. Mercur	40	25	46
Copper Range	495	78	78
Clumet and A.	382	155	155
Cumby Ely	123	123	124
Daily West	16	16	16
East Butte	120	120	120
Granby	153	153	153
Greene Cananea	860	80	80
Nevada Con.	14	14	14
Nevada Utah	4	4	4
Trinity	610	62	62
United Copper	1,130	49	49
U. S. Common	1,130	49	49
U. S. Preferred	483	483	483
Utah Con.	355	58	58

BOSTON CLOSE.

Mexico Con.	1149 1/4
Bingham Central	116 1/2
Granby	830 1/2
Nipissing	62 1/2
Utah Apex	6 1/2
Raven	149 1/2

NEW TOWNS SPRING INTO BEING FAST

Makers of Maps Can Hardly Produce Work That Is Up-to-Date.

TENABO IS THE LAST TO APPEAR

Llew Humphries Takes Quick Glance at Hustling Sagebrush District.

It is distinctly characteristic of the resurrection period of Nevada that new towns and new districts spring up over night. In fact, new cities are born much faster than the makers of maps can take them into account, and that is the reason that one would look over even many of the latest maps of Nevada without finding thereon the bustling little community now becoming known to fame under the appellation of Tenabo. Tenabo is located about twenty-three miles southwest of Beowawe in Lander county, connected with the latter point by a good wagon road.

Llew Humphries, chief expert for the Gunn Thompson company, returned Thursday from a round-up of several Nevada districts, and while in the Sagebrush State he went into the Tenabo section to take a look at this camp. A great deal is being said about Tenabo at present, and Mr. Humphries stated yesterday that there was a great deal of energetic development going forward upon properties there. The district is very large, and there is abundant room for the many prospectors and investors who invariably crowd into one another to reach a new section first.

One thing that impressed Mr. Humphries was the amount of machinery that is going into the camp. He met several outfits going in with mining equipment, which would be already on the ground and under process of installation. This looks like business, and also like Tenabo will be one of the important interest centers during the rest of the present year. Mr. Humphries stated that he had spent sufficient time in the district to form a very close acquaintance with the mineralization of the district and its possibilities.