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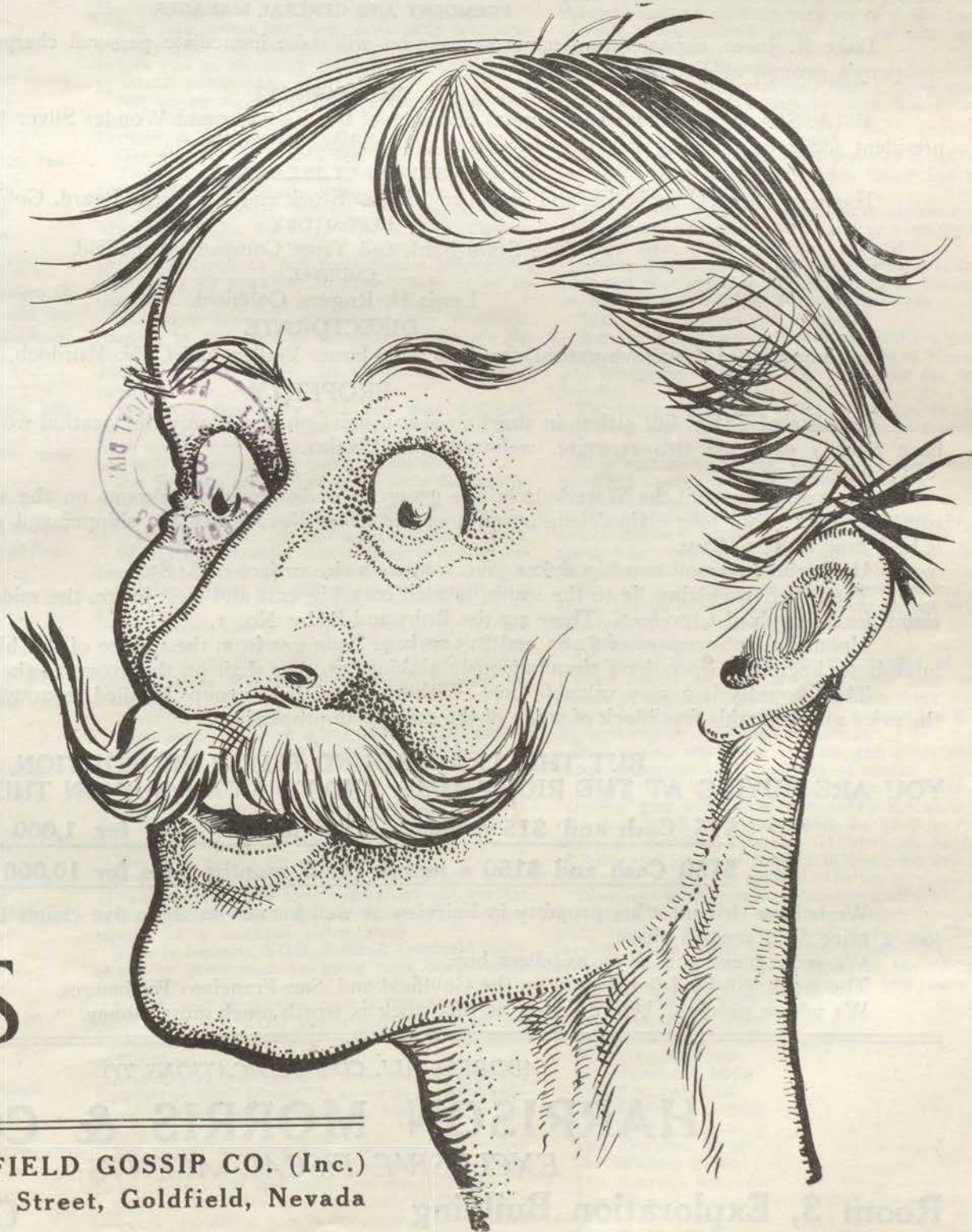
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Upon the Ruby assays of \$2.85 and \$13.20 have been got from the surface of this big ledge, and here Mr. Jones intends to begin his operations simultaneously sinking another shaft on the group to the north.

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THE WEEKLY POEM

This jeu d'esprit appeared in The Liverpool Post. Its re-appearance in "Gossip" is a lifting of the Panama to English humor.—Ed. "Gossip."

The Panamahat of Omar Khayyam

*Before the lingering days of winter died,
Methought a voice within the hatter cried,
"When all our summer stock is spread within,
Why stands the dubious purchaser outside?"*

*And while they lingered, one who stood before
The window shouted, "Let me in the door,
I'll put my money in a Panama,
E'en though for three years I can buy no more."*

*Strange, is it not, that of the myriads who
Before us passed the hatter's portals through,
Not one will tell the truth of what it cost,
But multiplies the price at least by two?*

*Except when Ananias homeward goes,
The sum it cost then shrinks, it never grows;
But never let him think he's fooled his wife,
She knows about it all, she knows, she knows.*

The Camps of Nevada

"Gossip" has only one object in view through all this talk of mines and prospects. It is that the public may be led to invest in such a way that the future shall return material profits on the investment.

For this reason we have constantly and continually kept the mines and stocks of Goldfield before you as affording the best opportunity for profitable investment.

But we by no means endorse the position that an investment must be good because, and solely because, it emanates from Goldfield.

Our platform is a good deal broader than that. There is not a camp in Southern Nevada that is not one of the planks of our platform.

Fairview, Wonder, Round Mountain, Bullfrog, Manhattan, Ely, Ramsey, Duluth, Tule Canyon, Slate Range, Lida, Walker Lake, Rosebud;—it is our business to put their claims before you and call your attention to their stocks as an investment.

We give special pre-eminence to Goldfield, because in our opinion Goldfield stocks are the fastest money-makers, taken as a whole, and averaging their gains with those of any other camps.

We have repeatedly told you that Goldfield stocks are far below their level of value. They have not by any means reached high water mark, and will not reach that point before spring.

But here we ask you to use a little discrimination in your purchases.

As we have just remarked, we do not endorse everything that is put out as a Goldfield stock.

We do not consider that a stock is a buy just because it carries the Goldfield brand.

But we cannot get this simple fact easily into your heads.

You always run to extremes, and today you are keener after a fourth-rate proposition coming from Goldfield than after a first-rate proposition coming from Manhattan, Bullfrog, Wonder or Fairview.

Discriminate. Discriminate.

Base your choice of a stock upon the history of the mine, as well as upon the history of the camp.

We grant you that the history of the camp cuts a big figure in your probable future profits, but don't imagine it has EVERYTHING to do with your probable future profits.

The mine counts for something.

A piece of sagebrush lying within two miles of the Goldfield ore zone sells stock quicker for a few cents a share than a first-class prospect twenty or a hundred miles away.

This is because YOU demand Goldfield sagebrush in preference to good rock from other camps.

If you will think this over a minute you will understand that YOU are responsible for all the wildcatting that is being done on the outskirts of Goldfield.

And if you will think a little longer you will understand that "Gossip" is never in favor of anything that will give Goldfield a black eye in the future.

We detest mergers and combines and trusts and every kind of commercial alliance that tends to paralyze trade and stifle just competition.

But we back up and cheerfully endorse the mergers' Goldfield stocks, because these stocks have MINES behind them and we want to see YOU, the public, our public, the people we are

talking to, putting your money into mines and not into sagebrush.

If you did not buy wildcat stocks there would be no wildcats. There you are.

Our opinion is that there are going to be a good many thousand disappointed people next summer and we shall be very sorry if the ranks of this too-ambitious army find recruits from "Gossip" readers.

When Elmer Chutes's new map of the Goldfield district is out you will find a good many miles of country laid out in attractive colors.

Now, all this is not mineral land.

All this is not mining ground.

Some of it, certainly. And some of it will be proved to be mineralized which today has not shown any value.

But if you continue your eager demand for cheap Goldfield stocks you'll have us platting the malapai hills to the west and south of us.

Stakes are plentiful, and if you demand it we'll plat and plat until we join Goldfield to Tonopah on the north and Silver Peak on the west.

We'll do whatever you demand.

But it's going to hurt the camp, and it's going to hurt the mining industry of Southern Nevada, and it's going to hurt YOU. You pay for it in the end.

Therefore we ask you to let up on this demand and stop your foolishness. Do a little thinking before you buy.

The legitimate trading will center upon those Goldfield stocks which have weathered a couple of years time. Ground that was taken up as likely mineral ground two years ago will be in active demand upon the Stock Exchanges, because it is more likely to get ore in paying quantities than the new ground that is being exploited.

We are not denouncing the new ground in spots, but we denounce it as a whole, as not being selected with the care that was bestowed upon the older choices.

"Gossip's" hope is to see the people of the United States so well satisfied with their purchases of Nevada mining stocks that these same people have ever a good word to say for the mining industry as a field for investment.

Before this can come to pass you must show better judgment in your choice of stocks.

If you look back over your late numbers of "Gossip" you will find a great many stocks mentioned as good buys with which we have no concern; no personal interest. If what we happen to hear and know of a mine is good we say so, no matter where the ground may be.

Therefore when you are planning an investment it is right for you to take note of such remarks, and, having noted some half dozen of these favored mines, write for more information concerning them to the daily paper of the district in which they lie. For example, you have:

The Manhattan Mail
The Manhattan News
The Round Mountain Nugget
The Ely Expositor
The Tonopah Miner
The Tonopah Sun
The Rhyolite Herald
The Bullfrog Miner
The Fairview Miner
The Wonder News
The Ramsey Recorder
The Nevada State Journal and Reno Gazette
Reno, Nevada
The Carson News
The Virginia Enterprise

The Goldfield Tribune
The Goldfield Chronicle
The Goldfield News
The Goldfield Review
and several others that we do not just now call to mind.

It is not our business, not "Gossip's" business, to supply you with detailed information regarding these various camps.

Our specialty is Goldfield and on Goldfield we keep you pretty well posted.

Our business is to help you make money in Nevada stocks.

But we are not encyclopedias.

We give you the best information at our command and there we stop.

Don't write for more.

Write to the local people of the particular district you are interested in.

The better all Nevada is known to the people of the United States, the larger will be the influx of people from the United States to Nevada.

Of this influx Goldfield will get the chief share because the mines of Goldfield have deservedly won the attention of the people of the United States.

But we don't wish you to overlook any bets.

We have won the confidence of a pretty big audience scattered all over the United States, and a very large part of this audience is coming to Nevada.

We are talking, therefore, to a very great number of people who will eventually take up their abode in this State, and for this reason we wish them to know that there are other camps beside Goldfield.

We put Goldfield at the head of the procession because we believe it to be the biggest and best.

And because the good fame and the good name of Goldfield mean much to us we advise you to look coldly on cheap Goldfield stocks, because you are in no mood to discriminate between the good and the bad.

If your interest in new Goldfield promotions ceases then new Goldfield promotions will cease, and there will be rest for the weary.

Cast up in your mind those Goldfield stocks that have withstood the bear assaults of the past few weeks, such as Red Top Ex., Mayne, Empire, Adams, Blue Bell, etc.—all well-known names.

We have beaten off the bears, chiefly because the public has grasped the fact that a bear movement and a lazy market have motive behind them, the motive being a desire to shake the public loose from the bough. But you have held on well, and you have held on to your stocks, and for this reason the assault has failed for a time.

But pay attention to the stocks that best withstood the attack. Were they not all stocks of well-known mines? Ground that you have constantly heard of and read of?

Apply the inference to your selection of stocks today and don't buy cheap Goldfields just because they're Goldfields and cheap.

Let up on this and you will stop our wildcatting.

There are a lot of mines in this State of Nevada that you ought to know something about.

Did you ever read of the Nevada-Alpine?

What do you know of the Keane Wonder?

Where does the Nevada-Goldfield lie?

State what you know of the Pittsburg Silver Peak.

Describe the early production of the Tule Canyon.

What have you read about the Ubehebe Range?

Why has Brock offered \$4 a share for 400,000 shares of the Nevada Wonder?

How long did it take the Nevada Hills of Fairview to turn into a shipper?

Of course you know all about the Montgomery-Shoshone, but that knowledge profits you nothing. What do you know of the Mayflower-Starlight Consolidation?

Which way does the ledge run? What do you think of Bullfrog Nugget?

Why is the Eagle's Nest at Fairview a good property?

How do you like the Lida Centennial? The Lida Thanksgiving? The Lida Red Wing?

And why is the Lida Belle going to jump from 12 cents to 50 cents?

Why did Diamondfield Jack Davis pay \$300,000 for a couple of claims at Wonder a few weeks ago, with 100,000 shares of stock thrown in to the former owners?

Why did you, or didn't you, buy Daisy Wonder at 30 cents a share when we offered it to you?

If you didn't, why didn't you?

If you did, why did you?

What do you know of the Clark dyke at Ramsey?

Where does the Nevada-Douglas lie?

What is the name of the lead and silver mine at Tybo?

Can you answer all these questions? You ought to be able to answer most of them.

But not one of them concerns the Goldfield district except in this important particular, that Goldfield people have a finger in all of them.

The Daisy Wonder

There is a point in connection with our offering of the last 50,000 shares of this stock to you at 30 cents a share which deserves a little explanation.

We told you this was the best stock we had ever secured an option upon. That it would go to a dollar a share and that we had cut our allotment into blocks of 100 shares each in order that every small investor might have a chance to secure a portion of this offering.

We thought that by so doing we were helping the small investor to get hold of something that would make money for him.

In his interest we laid up a lot of extra work for ourselves, and have offended a goodly number of our larger buyers who want more than 100 shares of any stock they purchase.

We have already declined on this offering several propositions to take two, three and, in one instance, five thousand share lots.

We have turned down all applications on the part of our small investors that they be allowed to deposit with us sums of \$10 and \$20 to be added to from time to time, said sums to be invested for them in cheap listed stocks.

We will not handle any such propositions.

Their \$10 and \$20 payments stand no more chance than a rabbit of making profits for them in listed stocks.

But we arranged the Daisy Wonder proposition in three payments for them because it fitted their purses and because it gave them exactly the opportunity they had been looking for and talking about, that of being able to buy a good stock on as favorable terms as a big buyer.

We offered them a stock at 30 cents on the same ledge as, and lying next to THE NEVADA WONDER, which is worth \$4 a share.

Did they fall over themselves to pick this up?

Did they hustle in their ten dollars and snap up their hundred shares apiece?

They did, but—

They wanted to know why, if it was so good, we offered it to them at all? Why didn't we keep it ourselves?

Yes, you're the bright ones.

We throw you in a good, fat worm for your morning breakfast and you pass up the worm and snap at a gaudily painted fly with a hook in his tail.

The Daisy Wonder is a fat worm. There's neither hook nor line attached to it. It's ground bait. You can swallow it and get away with it safely. We throw this good bait to you because if we don't keep you well fed, you'll swim away to another pond.

AND BECAUSE WE MAKE A PROFIT IN HANDLING THIS BAIT.

You think a good deal during the day, no doubt, but you don't think far enough. You don't follow a thought to its clear conclusion.

Let's go into it thoroughly now, because, honestly, your lack of appreciation of the difference between a good stock and a bad stock, between a fat worm and a painted fly, makes us think that we are talking to a large school of infants.

You don't seem to be grounded in the rudiments.

Let's begin at the beginning.

We are in this game to make money for ourselves.

We can't make money for ourselves if we don't make money for you.

We want you to buy good stocks that give you a profit because then we can sell you more good stocks that give you a greater profit.

The more money you make, the more money we make.

If you have read your "Gossips" you will remember our declaration of policy a month ago in which we said that if we today owned a dividend paying mine we would stock it immediately and sell the stock to the public at a low figure, in order to build up a strong following who would put in later a million dollars cold cash, if it were needed, for the purchase of a still bigger and better property.

By this means we should be in a position to secure only the very best properties on the market and when you are in such a position as this, THEN you are putting your people in line for the

big profits that are to be realized from legitimate mining investments.

You are cutting out the risks and making mining as safe as it can be made.

The men who are making the big money in mining today are the men who can pay cash, big cash, for good properties.

That is exactly what we wish to do with you.

We don't own the Daisy Wonder.

We only own an option of 50,000 shares of it.

But we make a profit by handling this stock and we make a bigger profit on your future business.

You have asked why we don't take this ourselves.

Rest assured that we will take all you don't want ourselves of this stock, and another 50,000 added on to that if we can get it. But we can't.

We'll take up the balance of the option because we know that it will go to a dollar.

But we don't want it bad enough to worry about it, because HOLDING OPTIONS IS NOT OUR BUSINESS.

Our business is placing options. Our business is to find the buyers. It has taken three months to organize our 10,000 Gossip readers. You are our buyers. We go to a mine-owner and say: "What have you? What's the price? How much of the treasury stock do you want to dispose of? What is our commission?"

If the property is right: if we are satisfied with the management: if the price is right, and if our own profits are right on the deal, we say: "We can place so many thousand shares in thirty days. We have the people who want this stock, provided we say it's good."

There's the proposition.

We don't want any option for ourselves, because a couple of million dollars would not buy outright all the options, good options, that are being pressed upon us. We couldn't handle them ourselves.

We have not at present the couple of millions.

But YOU have them, and our business is to put you in touch with these options.

You are the buyers.

Our business is to protect you by offering only the best options procurable.

We have told you already that the firms of Harrison Morris & Co., C. N. Murdoch & Co., and Parmeter Kent & Co., are in consultation always regarding what option should or should not be offered to "Gossip" readers.

We do not pick up anything that comes along. We do not consider the question of OUR profits.

The question is: Will this property make profits for our people? If it won't, let it go.

If we make any mistakes they will be found to lie on the side of conservatism, which is a whole lot better policy than offering you a stock on which we make big profits for ourselves, but on which you lose.

Buy when we tell you to buy, and buy WHAT we tell you to buy, and you will not lose money.

We don't know how your demand for this Daisy Wonder stock is coming out, because it takes about ten days from date of publication for the returns to come in from the east by letter, and this note is being written Saturday, Feb. 9th, but we want you just to bear in mind that our part is done when we have got the option and placed it before you.

We can't very well force it down your throats.

It's your business to weigh the facts as set forth in our advertisements and act without delay.

You should have bought out this Daisy Wonder offering in three days.

We Favor Instalments

Whenever possible we make the terms of our options fit in with the amount of cash needed each month for the development of the mine.

An instalment plan that does not return to the treasury sufficient cash to finance the proposition from month to month should be looked on with suspicion.

We prefer the instalment plan because it puts the investor of small means on the same plane as the investor of large means, without debarring either the one or the other.

For heaven's sake get out of the notion that we are laying traps for you, and laughing in our sleeves at your gullibility.

We are not laying any traps, but we are going to an infinite amount of pains to get options on stocks that are good investments, and we are constantly turning down options that we do not think are good investments.

While you are congratulating yourselves on having escaped, for example, the lure of our offering of Daisy Wonder at 30 cents, we are figur-

ing that Daisy Wonder will make 300 per cent profit in ninety days for you.

While you are deliberating on whether you shall buy this or that new Goldfield stock at 6 or 7 cents, we are cherishing the recollection of having refused the fiscal agency of several of the same cheap Goldfields.

You would have snapped them up; but we didn't want you to do so.

All we ask of you is that you think this matter through to its conclusion.

Don't stop half way with the idea that we are trying to make money out of you by selling these options to you.

That isn't our game at all.

We are looking forward to the day when we shall say to "Gossip" readers: "We have made money for you in the past. We can buy such and such a mine for a million dollars. Buy it with us. It's good."

That's our game.

Nothing smaller than that.

And to this end we are offering you certain good stocks today that you will make money out of. Here they are:

The Daisy Wonder

We have talked enough about this. Buy it if you can get any. If not, take

Tom Jagers

There are a few thousand shares of this still to be had at 12 cents a share, in 10 payments of \$12 a month each. Property consists of 6 claims in Tule Canyon, and development work is going on right now under the management of Tom Jagers himself.

Round Mountain Antelope

Another good one. A first class stock. The owners are holding their own stock for a dollar a share. We don't know of a better buy in the country. At 30 cents today and not much of it.

Fairview Ingersoll

A bunch of good claims in a rich camp. This is the first offering of stock and we know the chief owner of this ground, Dake R. Jones. The property is being developed under his management. You can buy this at 9 cents a share on six payments of \$15 per month for 1000 shares. Get it.

The Bullfrog-Mayflower Junction

A new one that we have secured the exclusive fiscal agency for. It consists of three full claims and joins on to the Mayflower Con. ground. You know that Mayflower stock is selling at over 50 cents a share and has held that price and better all through the dull period. We believe the Junction has the Mayflower-Starlight ledge. Most certainly we advise the purchase of this Junction stock at its promotion price. It will make profits. We know the owners and recommend the stock as good and sound all through. You can buy this on our plan of six payments of \$10 a month for 1000 shares.

Quick Action

We like to take an option, close it out in 30 days and pick up another. Whether we get anything as good as these four again is an open question, probably we shall, but we don't think we shall ever get a better group. There is not a weak stock among them. They will all be listed stocks. They will all have good treasures and we are satisfied with all their managements. We could hardly pick from among them one that looked better than another, and we advise you in your purchasing of these stocks to pick that one or those two which best suit your purse in the matter of payments. All are good.

Clearing the Air

It seemed to us that some little talk of this kind was necessary if we were to understand each other. "Gossip" has only one purpose: to make money for its readers.

You buy it and read it for only one purpose; to make money out of it.

You are not interested in the mines of Nevada

from any standpoint of home-ties, or love of Nevada scenery.

You are only interested in the money making possibilities of Nevada's mines.

For this reason we offer no apology for consuming so much space in telling you to buy the stocks we choose for you.

This is nothing but a money making magazine. We claim no more for it, and have no illusions with regard to its mission.

Follow its advice, and you will make money.

If you like an honest guide, subscribe for "Gossip" and get your friends to do so.

If you don't like it, don't read it.

Address As You Please

Any or all of the above named stocks can be bought from any or all of the firms of Harrison Morris & Co., C. N. Murdoch & Co., or Parmeter Kent & Co.

The orders will be transferred from one firm to another as soon as they reach Goldfield.

Drafts Attached

We do not ship out any of our stocks with draft attached. It's the wrong way to do business.

If you think you are taking any risk by sending your cash to us, you have an easy means of protecting yourselves. It takes a little longer than the usual way of transacting business, but it affords you absolute protection, if that is what you want.

Go to your local banker and request him to transfer your order with cash to any Goldfield bank. The Nye & Ormsby, The State Bank & Trust Company or the John S. Cook Bank. The bank you select at Goldfield to act for you will demand the stock of us and pay us cash for it.

By following this method you accept the delay in exchange for the protection.

This is a fair exchange.

It is not right that we should ship our stock to you and wait thirty days for the cash to be received.

It is a clumsy and unnatural method of doing business.

We will have none of it.

If you want protection, transact your business through your bank.

If you want quick action, deal with us direct.

Please yourselves.

The Chute Map

We are booking orders for the new Elmer Chute map of the Goldfield mining district. This is the official map. It will be ready for distribution about the end of the month. The Goldfield district has been much changed by relocations, continuations and divisions of properties, as well as by the addition of much new ground, and publication of the new map has been delayed in order to record these changes. The old map is practically useless. The new one is a necessity.

The prices of this map are \$1 for the folder and \$5 for the wall map.

We are making a special offer to "Gossip" readers to supply these maps as a premium for "Gossip" subscriptions on the following terms:

1. Send \$2 and the names of two new subscribers and we will send to each subscriber "Gossip" for the rest of the year 1907, and to you the Chute \$1 map by registered mail.

2. Send \$10 and names of ten new subscribers and we will send to each subscriber "Gossip" for the rest of the year 1907, and to you the Chute \$5 map by express prepaid.

That's easy. Anyone you speak to will give you a dollar for "Gossip" for the rest of the year 1907.

Benevolent Assimilation

We are in receipt of numerous inquiries regarding the stocks of the Sullivan Trust company, flavored with some reproaches concerning our attitude of affection towards the departed Larry and his manager, Rice.

We have never changed in our attitude towards the Sullivan Trust company, and our opinion today is the same as it was two months ago before a ripple of popular disfavor assailed the firm.

That opinion is that the Sullivan stocks are good stocks, and will net every holder the cash he put into them with, in some cases, a profit added. The Eagles Nest alone is equal to the debts of the Sullivan Trust Company.

Further, regarding the late officers we have

to say that the Sullivan Trust company, under its late management, did as good mining, and spent as much money in the actual development of its various properties as any company or individual in Nevada.

Further, the embarrassment of the firm was hastened by the action of the manager in supporting all Sullivan stocks on the market, an action that in more moderation we should very much like to see imitated by many of our Goldfield promoters today.

Finally, and lastly, brethren, it is our opinion that a company should be judged solely by its public acts as a company. It is not your affair or ours if the previous lives of the members comprising that company were not as white and pure as the driven snow.

At the present time, under the patronage and direction of Thomas B. Rickey and others, the Sullivan Trust company is winning back to an increasing prosperity.

Hold your Sullivan stocks and let this end the discussion.

If you don't like our attitude on the late Sullivan management it is your privilege to dislike it, but there's nothing gained by threshing over old straw.

We say they bought good ground and did good mining, and that's all we know or care about it.

The Tragedy of Carson

Prettiest town in Nevada is Carson City, thirty odd miles south of Reno.

Carson's future was throttled by a dinky little railroad called the Virginia & Truckee, which runs from Reno to Carson and on to Virginia.

When the Southern Pacific was ready to tap the southern mining camps offers were made to purchase the V. & T.

A stiff price was asked, there was much laughter, and the Southern Pacific passed up Carson and the V. & T., and cut across country to Hazen.

Result. Carson is off the map so far as the through traffic to the southern country is concerned and is a couple thousand residents shy of what her population would have been.

So much the worse for Carson.

So much the better for Reno.

Passengers from Goldfield and Tonopah wishing to stop at Carson on their way north are transferred to an inferior cattle car at Fort Churchill, and again transferred to a little better quality of cattle car at Mound House, and thence eventually reach Carson.

Very few passengers choose to subject themselves to this bother.

They go through to Reno.

The V. & T. railroad is one of those picturesque throw-backs to the last century that we associate with ancient memories, ivy-clad ruins and things of that kind.

The management appears to look upon it rather as a sort of family barouche than a public servant and has been known recently to hold up its regular train and keep a hundred people waiting for five hours in order that a member of the family might find the train in waiting at Reno.

While this reflects credit upon the solicitude of the management it leaves the public somewhat in the cold.

Carson has unhappily come to look upon this method of transportation as the best it is ever likely to get, and a resignation worthy of the elect is noticeable whenever the V. & T. is a subject of discussion.

But the effect of the railroad upon the town is striking. It seems to be a kind of blanket, smothering ambition, suffocating enterprise, and enveloping all activity in an unwholesome mildew.

As the railroad, so the town; as the town, so the railroad.

We repeat that the future of Carson was strangled by the V. & T. railroad.

Alone of all the cities of Nevada Carson profits nothing, or scarcely at all, from the prosperity that is apparent throughout the State.

Carson, the prettiest home town, mind you, in the whole state.

There is just a chance for her to pick up a better share of the trade that should be hers.

If an electric road north to Reno and south through Antelope Valley to Tonopah and Goldfield, taking Silver Peak on the west and Lida on the southwest were put through, Carson would receive the attention it deserves, and the southern camps would be in touch with a rich agricultural district from which to draw supplies and many necessities.

This electric road not being by any means a figment of the imagination may, within a reasonable time, rescue Carson from its dry-rot of contented stagnation.

Goldfield Progress

A review of the building which is going on in Goldfield at present shows the faith which Goldfield people feel in this town. Read it and see:

The Weber building, five stories of reinforced concrete, to cost \$125,000.

The Peer and Pugh building, three stories, stone, to cost \$125,000.

The Goldfield hotel building, four stories brick and stone, \$135,000.

The Hotel Casey, three stories concrete, to cost \$110,000.

The Whitmore building, two stories stone, to cost \$60,000.

The building of J. F. Mitchell and associates, two stories stone, to cost \$40,000.

The Review Publishing Company building, two stories stone and brick, to cost \$30,000.

The Wingfield building, two stories stone, to cost \$45,000.

Stock and Exchange building, two stories stone, to cost \$35,000.

Goldfield Stock Exchange building, two stories stone, to cost \$45,000.

These estimates are furnished by J. S. Corrigan, who states that in addition he and other contractors in the district have contracts for ninety-five cottages at an approximate cost of \$1,000 each.

Nevada Banks

In six years the number of banks in Nevada has increased from seven to forty-one. This is an evidence of the growth and prosperity of the state which has not been overlooked by the investor, and which when recorded in the banking directory of the United States shows the most remarkable rate of increase of any section of the country. The total capitalization of the banks in Nevada is \$3,164,000.

The banks of the old days were located at Reno, Carson, Virginia, Winnemucca, Eureka, and Austin. Changes have come since then; the discovery of the gold camps of the southern part of the state, the development of the irrigable lands of the Carson sink and the world-recognition which Nevada has gained are responsible for the establishment of more financial institutions in a shorter period than has ever been recorded before.

Now Reno has five banks, Carson two, Gardnerville one, Virginia one, Yerington one, Sparks one, Austin one, Wonder one, Fairview one, Fallon two, Eureka one, Elko two, Winnemucca one, Lovelock one, Tonopah three, Gold Center one, Goldfield three, Ely two, Manhattan three, Bullfrog one, Las Vegas two, Rhyolite one, Wonder one, Fairview one, Fallon Caliente one, Blair one and Beatty one.

The Passing of Ridgway's

A dispatch from the east brings word of the suspension of Ridgway's Weekly Magazine. The owners, who are also the owners of Everybody's Magazine of New York, sunk a quarter million dollars in the venture. Whether the sudden extinction of this weekly is due to its recent unjust attacks upon Nevada mining camps, notably Goldfield, is a question upon which we have, at this writing, no authentic information, but the reasonable inference is that its evident bias and bitterness in this respect hastened its downfall. What of good can attach to the opinions of a periodical that presents a photograph of two little shacks on a hillside as "A View of Goldfield?"

Goldfield is invincible. Let Collier's take warning.

DON'T INVEST IN
GOLDFIELD

Don't invest in Greenwater. Don't invest in any Nevada security until you know what you are doing. Ascertain the facts always before investing. I have been personally in Nevada for nearly three years and am familiar with all the leading districts. I have representatives in every camp throughout the entire State.

You can keep thoroughly in touch with the mines and the market of Nevada by reading my

MARKET LETTER

which is issued weekly and sent ABSOLUTELY FREE upon request. My clients are making tremendous profits. Why not you? Get in line for profitable investments. Write me today.

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MINES AND MARKETS

By THE EDITOR

There's a good time coming. Stocks are moving. You did well to hold as we told you to do. You noticed, perhaps, that they shot some of your favorites to pieces, and tried their best to break up your holdings. It's part of the game and we have told you that this mining stock business is always a game. You have it in your power to make or break any stock you fancy if it is one of the low-priced ones that has been an active trader for some time, provided you act in unison. If you scatter your fire you hit nothing. Keep your eye on the stocks we are buying for the "Gossip" stock account, and do likewise. Buy the same stocks that we buy. We do not choose anything that is not certain to make gains. You are getting to be so numerous and so powerful that you have it in your hands to control the market on half a dozen of these low-priced stocks if you wish to do so. The few thousand shares we are buying are not a drop in the bucket. They count for nothing for or against a rise or fall, but when 10,000 people are focussing their attention upon half a dozen stocks, and ordering their brokers in New York, New Jersey, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Chicago, St. Louis, Salt Lake, Denver, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland and Seattle to buy the same stocks we are buying, the matter assumes a very different complexion.

To take for an example Red Top Ex., which we put before you as the best of the Goldfields for a buy just now. If you will send in your orders for Red. Top. Ex. at the market you'll put the price of that stock 20 cents higher in a week and if you get out with that profit you'll be foolish. We look upon Red Top Ex. as a \$1.50 stock because if we had to make an even choice between Red Top Ex. ground and Combination Fraction ground we wouldn't know which to choose as the most valuable. Red Top Ex. cannot miss ore and will make a rich mine. Suppose you buy some and keep it. Don't pay any attention to the fluctuations of the market, buy that stock and put it away.

Triangle, our well-beloved Triangle, was shot full of holes by its friends and sagged to something over 50 cents. They tried to do this the week before but the public was fresh and stood the test nobly. A continuation of the depression, however, brought out a lot of Triangle with the result that in face of San Francisco indifference the price drooped and faded. Then followed, of course, the inevitable reaction and an advance of something like 10 points overnight. Triangle is dollar stock on its merits, and is an important pawn in the game.

Some weeks ago we put forth a plaintive plea to the effect that Goldfield should hang together in a determined effort to make the prices of her own stocks. We are willing to concede that in the present temper of Goldfield brokers it can't be done. Possibly a year from now; or possibly not even then. But not this year for sure. San Francisco has too strong a grip and San Francisco and New York are one. They do not suffer us to control our choice listed stocks, but they are generous enough to allow us to put out as many new ones as we please, and take very little interest in them one way or the other.

It would be no bad thing for you to watch what San Francisco is doing with our better stocks. Follow the markets as reported by the San Francisco Examiner, for instance, and note the daily sales of certain stocks. Even if the paper reaches you a week behind it will give you a better line on what is doing than any New York paper, because New York is only San Francisco's sleeping partner in Nevada mining stocks. The effects of New York's opinions is shown forth on the San Francisco Exchange. Pay attention to San Francisco, therefore, if you would know what New York is doing.

There is no occasion for you to send your orders to San Francisco to be filled. Send them to Goldfield. We would say send them to your

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local broker except that you are likely to be switched away by your local broker's opinions as to what you should or should not do. Beware of margins. Avoid 30 day or 60 day Buyer Contracts unless there is some good and sufficient reason for them. Buy your stocks at this time outright and hold the certificates. There's a daffy time coming when you will have your profits in cash in your hands and at that time we shall cease from offering advice because it would be valuable time wasted. If you keep your head through that period you will do wonderfully well, but we don't expect you to pull through. The time's coming when you will do things that today you would pronounce absurd and impossible. In that day a friend will say to you: "That new automobile of yours is a dandy, Jim!" and you will reply, "You like it, Tom? Take it. It's yours. Blow her up, or do anything else, but don't worry me just now, Tom, I'm busy."

Yes, that's "the boom feeling." It's coming.

If it's any use suggesting a safe plan for you to follow in this matter, here's one that is simple and satisfactory. Suppose you put your profits into active stocks and put your capital—the same capital that made those profits—into some solid, old dividend-payer that is not a favorite, not an active trader, and therefore a much safer proposition in boom times than one of those stocks that the public takes a fancy to.

In that way you would be nothing out.

It's always pleasant to make up your mind to follow a certain line because you have the comfort afterwards of knowing that you had the whole matter doped out correctly beforehand no matter what course you followed later.

Be sure of one thing. If you buy Goldfield stocks now you will make profits.

What you do with these profits is your affair.

Most of you had better come to Goldfield in the spring.

By that time the climate will be agreeable, and the accommodations will be adequate.

The Goldfield boom is a pretty solid proposition. It is founded upon producing mines, and it is founded upon the investment of millions of dollars in buildings and business.

The Goldfield boom will last a long time.

You will be just about in the thick of it in April.

Come to us in April, month of smiles and tears.

Come and see a real boom in a real camp.

You did not participate in the Comstock boom of thirty years ago.

We have a bigger affair on hand even than that.

Half a dozen men managed the Comstock boom.

Half a thousand men are getting ready to handle ours. Come and see it.

GOLDFIELD

There are 225 leases actively engaged in development work in Goldfield district at present. These shafts that are being sunk several feet a day range from fifty to 450 feet in depth and nearly all the leases have a long term of life. The leasers are all sanguine and are backing their judgment with money. As a majority of the shafts are now in permanent formation, there is certain to be a large number of strikes in the near future, especially within the proven belt.

The companies are as active as the leasers in development work and great developments cannot be long delayed.

COMBINATION FRACTION—Good ground. It's a buy at present prices.

A 75-horse power electric hoist, the best in the camp, will shortly be installed on the Oddie Brothers' lease on Combination Fraction. It was shipped from the factory January 8th. Already the big gallows frame from the Oddie Mohawk has been installed.

The shaft is down 480 feet and sinking is progressing at a slow rate, only about three feet being made a day owing to the hard formation that is being encountered.

Three shifts are being employed and the working force will be increased as soon as the cross-cut is begun. The lease has a life until about September 1st, due to extensions given because of the strike. Work will now proceed more rapidly, a six-drill compressor having been put in place.

At 30 Cents

Round Mountain

Antelope

The Rich Property that Made the Round Mountain District Famous

Assays of fabulous values have been obtained from this ground in the course of the development work that has been conducted during the past summer.

The Company is now proceeding to do deep development work and cross-cutting to turn this property into a shipper. For this purpose it has agreed to tie up all owner's stock and hold back the balance of the Treasury stock with the exception of this offering of

75,000 Shares

placed in our hands, for development purposes only, to sell at 30 cents a share.

Here is a property that the owners take a pride in, and know the value of. Not a share of their own stock is to be sold.

They Hold Their Stock at \$1.00

Every map of Round Mountain will show you the ANTELOPE. The President of the Company is C. C. Boak, of Tonopah; the Secretary-Treasurer is Lewis H. Rogers, of Goldfield. The stock is fully paid and forever non-assessable. The Treasury holds all of its original 400,000 shares, less about 30,000 shares that have been sold for development work to date.

This Is All Of It At This Price

Since this 75,000 shares is absolutely all that we can sell at 30 cents, we have no hesitation in advising "Gossip" readers to purchase this stock.

Do It Now, Before Listing

Having the fullest confidence in the value of this property, the Board of Directors of the Round Mountain Antelope Mining Company will list the stock just as soon as this offering is disposed of, and we look for an instant premium on this quoted figure for all buyers.

We advise immediate action.

Instalment payments cannot be considered.

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There is almost absolute assurance that a rich ore body will shortly be encountered, the formation and dip being almost identical with that in the Burns and the Loftus-Davis-Sweeney leases. If, as believed, the ore is encountered in the 500-foot mark in the shaft, there will not be less than 150 feet of backs, measured perpendicularly, and the trend will extend over several hundred feet of the block.

DAISY—A buttonhole for Posey. New York will get it.

DIXIE—Will make some money for you.

DIAMONDFIELD—Shot full of holes, stock and ground both. It's a cinch. One of the best mines in the camp.

GOLDFIELD CONS.—Good stock. Good mines behind it. You want a sure thing? Buy it at anything under \$10 a share.

FLORENCE—Big enough and rich enough.

GOLDFIELD MINING—Will open up something gay shortly.

GREAT BEND—Buy it anywhere round the dollar mark.

JUMBO EXTENSION—All right. Going to be a favorite.

RED TOP—You should watch this stock. Always a buy under \$5. Will go to \$8.

JUMBO—Same here. Always a buy under \$5. Will go to \$8.

SANDSTORM—Safe to go to \$1.50.

ST. IVES—Got ore. Good for \$2 eventually.

SILVER PICK—Coming to its own. Very close to an ore shoot now.

SIMMERONE—Leasers will find the ledge. Robert B. Todd hustling.

While in Frisco Mr. Todd arranged for the shipment of a hoist for the Simmerone at the earliest hour. The hoist was three months on the way from the east. The shaft is down 125 feet on the Simmerone and has found blue lode porphyry in place, carrying some sulphides and small values. Every effort will be made to place the Simmerone in the shipping class, of which Mr. Todd is confident. The property is surrounded by the Commonwealth, the Blue Bull, Potlatch, Frisco and Lone Star.

RED TOP EX.—Our choice. Best buy in Goldfield. Get it. Hold it. Has its own apexes. We call this \$1.50 stock but we may be wrong. It may be \$5 stock.

After a shut down for five days during which time a hoist was being installed, the Red Top Extension Leasing company has resumed sinking with three shifts. The shaft is now down over one hundred feet and the formation looks very promising. It is the opinion of experts that the shaft will strike ore without doubt in this bore, as it lies exactly on the trend of the lode. The encouraging showing in this lease is believed to be the cause for the recent stiffening in the price of Red Top Extension, which is counted on as a dollar proposition.

TRIANGLE—All right. Will go to \$1 easy.

ADAMS—A buy.

ATLANTA—Good for more than \$1.

BERKELEY—Frosty weather.

BLUE BELL—Get some. It's good for 50 cents anyway.

BLUE BULL—Bears routed him, but he's coming back with new horns.

BOOTH—Good for more than \$1.

COLUMBIA MOUNTAIN—Our choice for an investment.

COMMONWEALTH—Fair.

KEWANAS—Big. Can be bought for fat price.

LAGUNA—Leasers may open up a sulphide zone on this property. It's good ground. Two different leasing shafts have got ore in small quantities.

ORO—Lies right for an advance.

PORTLAND—Will be moved along.

POTLATCH—Stock tightly held, mostly in hands of one man in Goldfield. Man to be married shortly. May let some stock go for wedding jubilee.

BLACK BUTTE EX.—Will advance.

BLACK BUTTE BONANZA—This, too.

COLUMBIA MT. EX.—Making sales. In demand. No line on it.

COMBINATION—Name should be protested by the merger.

C. O. D.—Good ground.

CRACKER JACK—Sticky.

ESMERALDA—Monette on the lookout.

GOLDFIELD COLUMBIA—Holds to a dollar. Why?

UNITED MINES—Divided we fall.

GRANDMA—Discarded her spectacles.

GREAT BEND ANNEX—Good for an advance.

GREAT BEND EX.—Better.

JOSHUA—Looking for walls of Jericho. Blasts on ramshorn by Wingfield.

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and we will, through correspondence, convince you that we have an offering in a Mining way that will not only interest you but make you money after your investment bound to follow an understanding of our proposition. Communicate—it will cost but two cents and may make you a snug sum.

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GOLD BAR—All right.
LONE STAR—Morbid. Dim. Lusterless. Bad guide for mariner. Not a twinkle.
MAYNE—Good for a buy.
MADONNA—Start something, lady.
PAWNEE—Acts like good Indian. Dead.
MILLTOWN—Working. Ground lies right.
MOHAWK EX.—Buy it. They're alive. Listen to Waiter's confidence.

Three shifts, a total of sixteen miners, are now employed by the Mohawk Extension people in the Wedge claim. The shaft has reached a depth of 160 feet and drifting and sinking are being carried on simultaneously. These drifts are being run due north and south, almost lengthwise of the claim and to its center.

The formation is very hard andesite, containing white spots, giving it the appearance of bird's eye porphyry. The dip of the formation is forty degrees to the east. At a point near the shaft the formation is cut by several stringers of soft talc, crushed porphyry and quartz boulders. These latter show sulphide streaks and carry low grades. Crosscuts will be run on this formation and it is probable that the workings will, within a short time, be carried on in five headings as Superintendent Ingram feels that the plant is capable of handling all the work that can be crowded on it. The shaft is two compartment and the engine is a splendid 40-horse power, gasoline driven.

The trend of the formation in this property evidences beyond doubt that it is on the Ish Sheets line and cannot be far from ore. The cross formation comes out of Mohawk ground and passes into Silver Pick.

Walter O'Brien, secretary of the Mohawk Extension, is confident that at the intersection point of the right angle leads there will be a splendid body of ore developed. The company has an ample treasury and is expending it in a manner to obtain the best results.

OLD KAINTEUCK—Ought to get something. They've worked for it.

RED HILLS—Will advance.

VERNAL—One of the old ones. It will move up.

YELLOW ROSE—Pick up some petals.

YELLOW TIGER—Stir him up.

SKYLARK—Cage him.

TONOPAH

The Western Ore Purchasing Company's Sampler at Millers' resumed operations Tuesday and is handling about 500 tons a day. Nearly 2000 tons have gone forward to the smelters during the past four days, and within a fortnight conditions at the sampler will be normal. About 100 cars of ore, or 4000 tons, are on the sidetrack, awaiting their turn at the sampler.

TONOPAH MINING—Steady old producer.

TONOPAH EX.—Started work again. Charles Schwab likely to move this stock. It's \$10 stock selling at \$5.

General Manager Kirchen, of the Tonopah Extension, reports that the fuel situation at the mine has been relieved somewhat by the arrival of a consignment of oil, and that it will probably be unnecessary to shut down, as was feared last week. The mine is producing the usual quantity of high-grade ore, and about 350 tons a week are going forward to the smelter.

WEST END—Has some good ore reserves.

The new prospect shaft of the West End Con. has reached a depth of 25 feet, and the new working shaft, started last week on the company's reservation in Chinatown, is down about 20 feet. Development work is progressing as usual in the mine, but no ore is being hoisted on account of the lack of cars.

MONTANA - TONOPAH—All right.

Good progress is being made in the construction of the superstructure for the forty-stamp mill at the Montana-Tonopah mine. The roof is on and the building is almost ready for the windows. A large force of men is at work on the foundation for the cyanide plant and rapid progress is being made at that point. Development work is being pushed as usual in the mine and the property is looking better than ever.

MONARCH PITTSBURG—Oiling up.

Superintendent McCambridge of the Monarch Pittsburg states that work will be resumed on that property within the next ten days and an active campaign of development will be conducted. The gasoline hoist has been overhauled and the plant put in working order.

GOLDEN ANCHOR—What's wrong here? Something the matter with the windlass, fellers? Hoist up.

TONOPAH HOME—Cupboard's bare.

Bullfrogs are Singing!

We Announce the First Offering of Treasury Stock of

THE Bullfrog-Mayflower Junction Mining Company

ONLY 100,000 Shares at 6 Cents a Share

Stock Fully Paid and Forever Non-Assessable. The Company is Incorporated Under the Laws of the State of Nevada for \$1,000,000 of which 400,000 shares are placed in the Treasury for development purposes. The balance of the Stock is all pooled.

The Officers of the Company are:

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Secretary-Treasurer - - - HARRISON MORRIS, Goldfield
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The Property Consists of Three Full Claims, Title Perfect, in the Bullfrog Mining District, adjoining the famous Mayflower and Starlight Group known as The Mayflower Consolidated. The Claims are: "JUDGE," "YELLOW CLIFF," and "GOLDEN NUGGET."

*The sum of \$20,000 Cash has been offered C. E. Burke for the holdings of
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The ground is too valuable to sell outright. It will well repay development. You have this opportunity to buy into this mine at the **First Price at which the Stock is Offered to the Public.** Stock will be listed within 60 days, and will certainly command a premium on account of the valuable location of the property.

MAYFLOWER CON. is over 50 Cents Now.

JUNCTION will go to 25 Cents Easily.

Mr. Burke writes from Lone Pine:—"I am now confident that our ledge on the Yellow Cliff is the same ledge as that of the Mayflower and Starlight. I would rather develop our property than sell it for \$50,000 Cash."

The first development work has opened up a fine showing and a big ledge giving better returns than the usual Bullfrog surface assays. With depth this should make a rich mine. We are so well satisfied of the merits of this property that we have bought into the owner's end of the deal, and hold our stock pooled. "GOSSIP" readers know that when we put out a first offering of Treasury Stock in any proposition it does not hang fire long. Unless it's good we do not put it out at all.

We Offer the Following Special Terms to Gossip Readers: Take 1000 Shares at 6 cents, and pay \$10 down and \$10 a month for 5 months. Long before your last payments are due this stock will have advanced materially in value. It will be a listed stock, and an **Active Stock.**

Take it Today for a Sure Investment for Profits at 6 Cents

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"GOSSIP" BUILDING **GOLDFIELD, NEVADA**

The extent of the deposit is not as yet determined. However; the appearance of the ore is such as to make the management highly elated and confident of opening a fine shoot of ore that will add materially to the assets of the property. The find was made on the same ledge as the original strike at a point about 1200 feet north.

At the original strike, 40 feet of sinking has been done in the winze, the bottom of which is all in excellent ore. Shipping values are shown all the way down, and the lowest assay ever secured from this winze shows values of \$16 a ton. Much good ore has been saved, and when a carload has been assembled a shipment will be made.

TRAMP CON.—It's big.

YANKEE GIRL—Lovely woman. Beats the world.

HOOLIGAN—Happy.

SKOOKUM—Has good ledges.

FAIRVIEW

NEVADA HILLS—None better.

Ore wagons between Fallon and Fairview are so thick that it is frequently necessary to stop the stage for a short time to allow them to pass. It is believed that the output will soon be eight cars daily. Last week 150 tons of ore passed down main street. Fairview ailed on thirty freight outfits and still there is a congestion of ore on the Nevada Hills and it is said the corporation now has \$200,000 in the treasury, after paying the dividend recently declared.

DROMEDARY HUMP—Getting lively.

Tunneling still continues on the Dromedary Hump, and another force of men will be added next week, to start a new shaft. This work will be started with the object of cutting the ore shoot that has been opened up on the adjoining property—the Golden Boulder. Surface indications show this vein to be common to both properties, and with sacking ore being taken from it but a short distance from the Dromedary line, it is practically a certainty that the latter company will open up more ore there very shortly.

GOLDEN BOULDER—It's a buy. Will go to \$1.

EAGLES—Noble bird. Pluck a tail feather.

EAGLE'S NEST—Chirping within.

FAIRVIEW INGERSOLL—Another good buy at the right price. First offering at 9 cents. Five claims. Good ground. Good management. Buy it and buy it now. Not at 20 cents but at 9 cents, on payments secured for you.

WONDER

ALICE—In wonderland.—Nice girl. Patrick's pet.

NEVADA WONDER—Big. Rich.

DAISY WONDER—Going, going, gone. At 30 cents. If you didn't get it, that's your fault.

RUBY WONDER—The "Billy the Kid" group.

JOE WONDER—One of Homer Wilson's. This is good ground and lies right.

JUNE WONDER—We like it much.

WONDER QUEEN—Sister to our Mac.

Keeping apace with the movements in mining circles in the Nevada districts, the J. H. Macmillan Company, incorporated, purchased outright during the week five claims adjoining the "Billy the Kid" group which have prestige on the exchanges under the name of the Ruby Wonder Mining Company.

It is only after a most exhausting examination by H. P. Taylor, the mining engineer for the Macmillan Company that this group of claims was taken over at a price said to be \$55,000 with 150,000 shares of the stock going to the former

owners and locators of the claims. The property has been incorporated in South Dakota under the name of the Wonder Queen Mining Company.

The property which the Macmillan Company has purchased in the very promising Wonder district was located just three weeks after the monuments were posted on the famous Wonder Mining Company's claims.

Messrs. Charles Frey, J. M. Humfeld and John Rose were the first to hurry into the Wonder district upon the announcement of the big strike in that community and they had a great deal of what now makes up the Wonder district and its fabulously rich properties from which to make their choice. Aside from the claims sold to the Macmillan people, and put into the Wonder Queen Mining Company these gentlemen located one other group upon which the purchasers of the Queen also had an option. The property taken over this week by the local promotion house is considered by their engineer a most excellent one, and it is believed by the new owners that the Wonder Queen Company has the earmarks of a mine, and for that reason a most active and thorough development work is to be inaugurated immediately.

The turning for the better in the weather and the prospects for good roads to and from Fairview and the Wonder district promises to be the incentive for an early stampede into the Wonder district where the strikes recently made are proving to be of the most fabulous yet uncovered in the sagebrush state. Prices in property are rapidly enhancing in value not only in a mining way but so far as real estate is concerned in the new camp, and already the outlook for an extraordinary lively spring and summer and most energetic work on the mining properties in Wonder are bright indeed.

A great many of the heaviest capitalists throughout the state and the east are getting a foothold in the Wonder district in the belief that it is another Goldfield.

There is not a district in all Nevada that seems to be giving Goldfield as close a race for supremacy as is evidenced in Wonder.

OTHER DISTRICTS

RAMSEY COMSTOCK—

"The Ramsey Comstock vein is breaking \$200 to the ton across six feet," said N. M. McGlynn. He is just in from the camp and is very enthusiastic, despite the fact that he has no investments there.

"On the 60-foot level of the mine there are streaks of high-grade ore running \$600 to the ton. Sacking for shipment is now in progress."

Mr. McGlynn says there is a great activity in the camp and that many properties are changing hands. The town is building up rapidly. Several leasers and mining companies are sacking ore and shipments will begin immediately.

TOM JAGGERS' TULE CANYON—

Following report has been made for "Gossip" for January's development by Tom Jagers himself:

"We continued to drift on the Good Hope claim that had been started on the vein all in ore; crosscut a few feet to find a wall; everything is in the ore; no wall found. We sunk seven feet and found no indication of wall; all ledge.

"We started a new shaft on the surface and sunk 8 feet finding some rich lead and copper ore carrying silver; 93 ounces to the ton.

"We are now clearing out one of the old shafts to make a connection with the present workings.

"We are now ready to double the force of men."

This property is a crackerjack. It is a mine. The first month's work has been done very economically. We have the money in the treasury to hasten the development. Get all of this stock you can pick up at 12 cents. "Gossip's" readers financed this proposition in six weeks. It will make big returns.

SOUTH NEVADA COPPER SYNDICATE—No report received from management. Men working.

PITTSBURG SILVER PEAK—Get some at \$1.50. Will go to \$4 or \$5. 100-stamp mill and enough ore in sight to run 20 years.

NEVADA GOLDFIELD—Lies in the Gold Mountain country. It's been a steady climber since we first advised the purchase two months ago.

KEANE WONDER—A Bullfrog and a fine, live one.

GOLDFIELD QUOTATIONS

Thursday, February 14

Oro	51	55
Old Gold	04½	07
Pocahontas	14	16
Red Hills	29	31
Red King	....	22
Red Top	3 50	4 00
Red Top Ex.	42½	43½
Sandstorm	72	....
St. Ives	1 24	1 30
Triangle	....	61½
Vernal	21½	23
Yellow Tiger	12	....
Yellow Rose	14	14½
Goldfield Midway	13½	14½
Milltown Frac.	05½	05½
Yellow Top	07	07½
Red Top Frac.	11	11½
New Mohawk	07½	07½
Syndicate Mining Company	....	07½
Tonopah Ex.	....	5 25
Jim Butler	1 07½	1 12½
Montana	3 90	3 95
Lige Harris	....	06
National Bank	50	58
Mont. Shoshone Ex.	20	27
Nugget	....	15
Original Bullfrog	20½	24
April Fool Ex.	04½	04½
Big Four	11	19
Yankee Girl	10	15
Round Mt.	90	1 05
Round Mt. Ex.	25½	26
Monarch Pitts.	....	35
Standard	04	04½
Pride of Gold Mt.	08½	09
Bonnie Claire	45	....
Adams	20½	22
Belcher	25	....
Black Butte Ex.	14	15
Black Butte Ex.	14	15
Blue Bell	26	30
Blue Bull	45	50
Bulldog	12	15
C. O. D.	....	1 50
C. O. D. M. & L.	08½	09½
Columbia Mt. Ex.	07½	08
Commonwealth	30	....
Con. Mines	8 60	8 80
Conqueror	25	28½
Combination Frac.	5 35	5 40
Cracker Jack	18	20
Daisy	3 00	....
Diamondfield	53	55
Daly West	16	....
Emperor	09	11
Eddie Goldfield	05	....
Empire	15½	17
Eureka	22	28
Esmeralda	25	29
Gold Bar	1 00	1 35
Goldfield American	10	15
Goldfield Comb'n.	30½	31½
Third Chance	....	40
Victoria	06½	07
Great Bend	1 10	1 15
Great Bend An.	24	28
Great Bend Ex.	34	39
Grandma	30½	31
Ophir	....	17
Gold Bug	....	14½
Gold Bar Ex.	....	31
Jumbo	3 45	....
Jumbo Ex.	2 51	2 52
Kewana	1 75	1 80
Laguna	1 30	....
Lone Star	34	35½
Lucky Strike	....	14
Silver Pick Tri.	04½	05
Magnet	05½	06
Mayne	16	17
Mohawk	16 40	29½
Mohawk Ex.	28½	19½
North Star	....	13½
Old Kaintuck	13	....

DIAMONDFIELD CORRESPONDENCE

Weekly Summary of Sales, Goldfield Stock Exchanges for Week Ending February 9, 1907

To Goldfield Gossip:—

The Diamondfield section of the Goldfield district is just now in the limelight of popular favor owing to the most flattering revelations of Diamondfield mines within the last few weeks. Diamondfield is just now the scene of the most stupendous activity in the mining world today. High-grade is being mined in over a half dozen mines, scores of leasers are at work and all of the new properties are being actively developed.

Companions laughed at Diamondfield Jack Davis when first he set his stakes on Diamondfield croppings, but now they respect him as a mining man of experienced acumen. As the original locator and owner of such famous mines as the Daisy, Quartzite, (Black Butte Con.), Belmont, Eureka and others, he has done more to spread the fame of Goldfield than any other man.

The Jumbo Extension jumped into favor this week when the news of big strikes, made almost simultaneously on four different leases, was made public. The stock jumped from \$1.75 to \$3.00 in one night. On the Gold Coin claim of that property, which adjoins the Triangle and the Daisy, a big ledge has been opened up, giving values of \$200 and better. There will soon be a quartette of steady shippers from that property, with a nice bunch of money coming in from royalties.

A special train arrived from New York last week carrying a party of New York capitalists, who came to examine the famous Daisy mine in Diamondfield. After examining that sensational property, a purchase was made, a matter of a few millions. They also decided to erect a mill and smelter at the cost of several hundred thousand dollars. The discovery of the Daisy was made in a peculiar manner, a little half-starved dog leading Jack Davis to the spot which he had found only a half hour before.

Work on the Goldfield Amethyst is being pushed forward with the greatest dispatch and this mine bids fair to become another great Diamondfield mine. The estate of the Amethyst was the first property located by Jack Davis when he discovered that famous section and has always been held in reserve on account of the rich float which he found at that time, but, owing to the remarkable activity in the section, he has decided to develop the property on a large scale. On the Amethyst claim to the west of the Great Bend, a shaft is down 20 feet and gives values of \$52.60, a better showing than any of the famous mines for the same amount of development. On the Stormy Night claim, a two-foot ledge has been uncovered giving assays of \$210 all the way across.

Diamondfield Triangle is the most popular stock in Goldfield at the present time and over 550,000 shares have been traded during the last two weeks. The report which sent the value of the mine up from \$350,000 to close to \$1,000,000 was to the effect that New York capitalists were trying to secure control of the mine. The Triangle is a steady producer and is sacking ore very rapidly.

Many individual fortunes have been made in Diamondfield securities. Less than a year ago Tom Lockhart took 90,000 shares of Jumbo Ex. on a bad debt. Now it is worth over \$300,000. At the present time he owns 451,000 shares. Capt. Hassell bought 50,000 Jumbo Ex. for \$5,000; its value today is \$175,000. A wealthy New Yorker recently traded 42,000 shares of Atlanta for the same number of Jumbo Ex., losing \$72,000 on the deal.

Many other individual cases could be mentioned where poor men have been made rich by an investment in Diamondfield stocks. The district is due for the most substantial boom in the history of mining in Nevada and this year should add many more producing bonanzas to the already large list.

Stocks valued at \$553,320 were sold during the week ending on Saturday last on the Goldfield Mining Stock Exchange alone, irrespective of the heavy trading on the Goldfield Stock and Exchange Board. The total number of shares transferred was 1,130,125. Leading in number of shares sold was Columbia Mountain Extension, of which there were 327,000 transferred. At the top of the list in value was the Combination Fraction, its sales being valued at \$102,148 for the week on the one exchange. Most of this money is said to come from home people who have firm faith in this admirable ground. The week's summary follows:

Company	High	Low	Close	Shares	Value
Combination Fraction	6 06	5 40	5 60	18900	\$102148 00
Diamondfield	55	48½	54	36500	18442 00
Consolidated Mines	8 80	8 50	8 75	4225	36414 75
Florence	2 95	2 95	2 95	100	295 00
Gold Bar	1 22	1 20	1 22	4200	5070 00
Goldfield Mining	1 35	1 35	1 35	2500	3270 00
Great Bend	1 13	98	1 05	33000	34290 00
Jumbo Extension	2 65	2 50	2 60	15400	39090 00
Sandstorm	76	74	76	1500	1120 00
St. Ives	1 28	1 10	1 28	21700	27340 00
Adams	22	19	22	10500	3010 00
Atlanta	91	81	84	12500	10625 00
Blue Bull	51	44	50	28000	14930 00
Booth	96	85	96	10000	9655 00
Columbia Mountain	1 05	1 05	1 05	1000	1050 00
Commonwealth	33	31	32	4500	1425 00
Conqueror	25	25	25	4000	1000 00
Kewana	1 81	1 70	1 80	5500	9617 50
Oro	56	52	56	3000	1061 00
Portland	36	36	36	5000	1800 00
Silver Pick	1 50	1 40	1 50	6600	9595 00
B. B. Bonanza	13½	11½	13½	11500	1407 50
B. B. Extension	14½	13½	14	15000	2235 00
Black Rock	11	10	11	5000	535 00
Blue Bell	28	24	28	8000	2025 00
Bulldog	12	12	12	3000	360 00
Columbia Mountain Annex	08½	06	08	327000	22980 00
Combination	36½	27	30	16000	4720 00
Combination Ex.	54	50	54	2000	1040 00
C. O. D. M. & L.	09½	08½	08½	111000	1020 00
Cracker Jack	20	18½	19	4000	765 00
Triangle	66	54	65	109200	66010 00
Dixie	15½	14½	15	6000	900 00
Empire	18	16½	17½	12000	2042 50
Esmeralda	25	25	25	1000	250 00
Frances Mohawk	1 00	85	1 00	3500	3200 00
American	11	10	10½	4000	420 00
Columbia	1 05	1 00	1 00	4000	4090 00
Midway	13	12	12½	11000	1352 50
United Mines	06	05	05½	13000	697 50
Grandma	30½	28	30	18500	5465 00
Gt. Bend Annex	25	24	24½	6500	1615 00
Gt. Bend Extension	36½	34½	36	6000	2115 00
Jupiter	50	50	50	200	100 00
Knickerbocker	08	08	08	5000	400 00
Jumbo Fraction	09	09	09	500	45 00
Lone Star	36½	34	35	9000	3155 00
Lucky Strike	12	10	10	1200	140 00
Madonna	25	20	21	5600	1165 00
Magnet	05	05	05	1000	50 00
Mayne Goldfield	15½	15½	15½	500	77 50
Mohawk Extension	28	26½	26½	5500	1462 50
Nevada Goldfield	59	53	58	6000	3430 00
Old Kaintuck	14	11	13½	5000	605 00
Red Hills	31	28	31	15200	4538 00
Red King	22	18	22	7000	1460 00
Red Top Ex.	43½	40	42½	107000	52287 50
Skylark	15½	14½	14½	15500	2367 50
Vernal	24	23	23	5000	1160 00
Yellow Rose	14½	13	13½	15000	2052 50
Vincendor	22	20	22	14000	2955 00
Original Bullfrog	22	22	22	1000	220 00
Bullfrog Annex	04	04	04	2000	80 00
Bonanza Mountain Ex.	05	05	05	6000	300 00
Bullfrog Mining	35	35	35	1000	350 00
Bullfrog Central	12	12	12	1000	120 00
Bullfrog Nugget	12½	12	12	4000	485 00
Hill Top	16½	16	16	2000	325 00
Lige Harris	05½	05	05	6000	310 00
Mayflower Con.	51	51	51	500	255 00
Mont. Shoshone Ex.	23	23	23	2000	460 00
Peery Montgomery	41	41	41	2000	820 00
Transvaal	10	08	10	17500	1635 00
April Fool Ex.	04½	03½	04	18500	823 75
Buffalo	09	09	09	3000	270 00
Homestake	05½	05	05	15500	825 00
Mustang	27	27	27	1000	270 00
Standard	05	04½	04½	2000	95 00
Fairview Eagle	90	90	90	100	90 00
Golden Boulder	30	30	30	1000	300 00
Greenwater Red Boy	17	17	17	200	34 00
Greenwater Saratoga	30	30	30	300	90 00
Keane Wonder	70	70	70	2500	1750 00
Mont. Lou Dillon	15½	15½	15½	4000	620 00
Round Mountain Ex.	06	06	06	3000	180 00
Totals				1,130,125	\$553,320 00

MANHATTAN

MANHATTAN CON.—Buy this. It's big.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Manhattan Consolidated Gold Mines Company was held at the office of the company in Tonopah last Tuesday. The directorate for the ensuing year was greatly strengthened by the addition of the name of F. M. Smith, the Borax King. The new officers and directors are Wm. J. Douglass, president; J. W. Skelton, vice-president; C. C. Cook, Secretary; E. B. Cushman, treasurer; F. M. Smith, C. H. Fenner and J. G. Booker. A little over 2200 feet of development work has been done during the past year, and \$52,670.13 was expended on development and improvements. A large compressor plant has been bought and is now in transit. The company is seriously considering the immediate erection of a ten stamp mill at the mine. Bids have already been received from several of the leading machinery houses on the coast and a careful measurement of the available water supply is being made. It is calculated that by erecting settling tanks and reusing part of the water the present supply will be found ample for at least ten stamps. There is sufficient ore now blocked out in the mine to run such a mill for several years and as soon as the water is brought from Jett canyon the capacity of the mill will be considerably increased. Owing to the scarcity of mining timbers development work for some time past has been confined to the 200 level; but as soon as lumber can be secured, sinking to the 300 level will be resumed.

Clifford McClellan, a well known attorney of Manhattan, and C. S. Lemon, a Philadelphian, are in Goldfield with a report that there is little doubt but that another custom reduction plant will be built in Manhattan in addition to that projected by the Tonopah Exploration Company. Mine owners in the district are said to be offering them every encouragement and the enterprise is assured. An equipment of ten stamps will be used at the start but the number will probably be increased at an early day to 50 or 60. According to contracts already signed, there will be 15,000 tons of Manhattan ore for treatment as soon as the plant is ready for business. Feeders will include Union No. 9 and other claims of the Dexter company, Little Grey, Chipmunk, Annie Laurie of the Manhattan Mining and others. One thousand tons of ore are now on the dumps of the Annie Laurie and will be delivered to the mill at the proper time.

DEXTER—Good.

SEYLER-HUMPHREY—Will do.

LITTLE JOE—Gathering some pennies.

CRESCENT—Will advance.

MUSTANG—Feeling his oats.

THANKSGIVING—Carve turkey shortly.

APRIL FOOL EX.—Lost his cap and bells.

ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC—Ground swell on.

WHALE—Preparing for deep dive.

COMET—Irregular orbit.

LITTLE GREY—Pretty good.

DESERT QUEEN—Lonely no longer.

What is said to be a very rich strike has been made on the Desert Queen at Manhattan and the entire camp is in a flurry of excitement.

The grave yard shift on Sunday night broke into a huge body of ore at a depth of forty feet in the main working shaft. The ledge is evidently a continuation of the rich vein of the Independence Consolidated adjoining the Desert Queen on the north. The quartz is filled with free gold and shows some sulphides. Pannings indicate that the ore has average gold values of several hundred dollars a ton across a width of four feet.

The find has created no end of talk in Manhattan as it proves the continuity of the bonanza Independence Consolidated ledge for a length of nearly 5000 feet. The strike is said to be fully as important as the find on the Mustang.

STRAY DOG—A mine. Good ground.

Telegraphic advices received yesterday by Alexander Russell, general manager of the Sullivan Trust company, are to the effect that at the bottom of the winze on the Stray Dog property owned by that company, ore of excellent character has been uncovered. Two feet of it assays 5.8 ounces in gold; one foot runs 10.41 ounces, and six inches, 29.8 ounces, all in gold. The first report was that the Stray Dog had five feet of \$50, and one foot of \$300 ore. The find has been authenticated. The Stray Dog is outputting 30 sacks a day, and when the roads are in shape shipping will commence.

Since the reorganization of the Sullivan Trust Company the one policy of developing its many properties to the limit is being faithfully performed and the management is now beginning to expect tangible results.

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The maps referred to are the NEW MAPS for 1907, which are now in press. The 1906 maps are no longer of any value, the Goldfield district having experienced so many changes in the separation, combination and extension of mining locations and properties.

ROUND MOUNTAIN

The mining campaign in the Round Mountain district for the year 1907 will be inaugurated next Saturday on the occasion of the formal opening of the Round Mountain Stock Exchange. Immediately after the formal opening a banquet will be tendered the guests at the new two-story hotel. President Mayne of the Manhattan Exchange will preside, and the Manhattan brokers will be present in a body. The governing board of the Round Mountain Stock Exchange is composed of Louis D. Gordon, president; Henry J. Bartlett, vice-president; M. D. Baihly, secretary; C. O. Olive, treasurer; Dr. L. I. Breitstein, W. R. Gibson, Franklin B. Morse, Frank Dixon, and A. T. Spencer. The visitors will remain as the guests of Round Mountain until Sunday, when a tour of inspection of the Round Mountain mines will be made. The principal points of interest above ground will be visited first, and later the visitors will have an opportunity to see the underground workings of some of the richest mines in the world. This is the youngest camp in the state to start a Stock Exchange. The citizens, who have unbounded faith in the wonderful resources of the camp, will make the event one long to be remembered.

ANTELOPE—Pick of the district. Buy it before it is taken off the market. It's rich.

ROUND MOUNTAIN—

The Round Mountain Mining company is employing three shifts in running a drift to catch the ledge on the 250-foot level. Superintendent McDonald expects to encounter the ledge almost any day. Already rich pinnings are being secured and all eyes are centered on this property, for as soon as the ledge is struck and proven, a large force of men will be put to work. The gasoline hoist is on the way, the mill will soon be in operation, and everything will be activity very soon.

ROUND MOUNTAIN EX.—Looks good.

ROUND MOUNTAIN FAIRVIEW—Good ground.

The Round Mountain Fairview has cut the ore in the raise, 35 feet above the level of the tunnel. This proves that the ore bodies have strength, regularity and continuity. The bottom of the incline, 115 feet below the surface, is where several thousand dollars of specimen ore was taken out. The first raise tapped the ore in the bottom of this incline, and now the second raise has tapped the ore in the same ledge 200 feet farther in the tunnel. The average samples of this ledge, which is 2 1-2 feet wide, gave an average of not less than \$200 pinnings. This is at the 400-foot point of the tunnel and about 250 feet under the apex of the Fairview Hill.

BULLFROG

Two hundred men and 150 teams are employed on the Clark system from Bullfrog to Goldfield. J. C. and Roe Deal are superintending the grading. They make Rhyolite their headquarters. They are not certain of course, but they believe the road will be finished to Goldfield about next October.

The Shoshone spur will be completed in less than three weeks. This spur will be one and one-quarter miles in length, with a four per cent. grade and a 16 per cent. curvature. It is a very hard piece of road to grade, owing to the heavy rock.

ORIGINAL BULLFROG—Water too cold, maybe, for a plunge. Push him in.

BULLFROG MINING—Slow, but sure.

NATIONAL BANK—Double your money.

LIGE HARRIS—Go up, thou baldhead!

AMETHYST—A gem.

GOLD BAR—A giant.

STEINWAY—Play something.

DENVER ANNEX—Looks all right.

NUGGET—Buy some. Col. Arkell leads to victory. Gallant Colonel threw out skirmish line, 200,000 shares treasury at 1 1-2 cents. Bought it back from 5 cents to 8 cents. Got several thousand dollars now in treasury and two good claims. This stock will double.

BONNIE CLAIRE—A good mine. Stock worth \$1.

MAYFLOWER CON.—Good ground. Rich.

MAYFLOWER JUNCTION—One of ours. It's good. First offering at 6 cents. Take it on investment as per advertisement. It will open up the Mayflower and Starlight ledges. Buy at the beginning.

VICTOR—Looks rich.

Almost at grass roots ore heavily blotched with gold has been struck on a portion of the Bullfrog Victor estate. While starting a new shaft on a side hill, workmen came into shipping ore at a depth of five feet.

Why Not Buy Into a Mine at the Price of a Prospect? The Ore of the Piute Group Averages Over \$100 a Ton

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VICE-PRESIDENT: A. C. Roach, County Treasurer.

SECRETARY - TREASURER: Benjamin Robinson, M. D. County Physician.

Board of Directors

Consists of the above officers, together with S. G. Porteous of Reno, Capitalist. A. C. Roach, of Hawthorne, Treasurer of Esmeralda County.

Not a Prospect

We are not offering an investment in a prospect, but in a valuable group of mines, which we know to be rich and only awaiting proper development. We are sinking a perpendicular shaft 200 feet deep, and will crosscut to the ledge which has been already proved to the depths of 43 and 35 feet by incline shafts. We know by the experience of this early work just where the working shaft should be, and we are confident of producing

Rich Results for Stockholders

Our intention is also to locate and secure for the company

A Valuable Water Right

The exact location of which in the Indian Reservation is known to the Treasurer of the Company, Dr. Robinson. He will also explore and locate for the Company any good mineral claims that he may discover upon the Reservation with

the help of his Indian guides. He will take with him the same Indians who discovered the Piute group.

Does This Proposition Look Sound?

Is it not safer, sounder, more business-like, to buy a share in a proposition of this kind, headed by responsible men, and managed by those who are experienced in the country, than to pin your faith and your hopes upon the untutored explorer and his luck?

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8 Cents a Share

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For 5,000 shares of this stock reserved for you remit \$100 cash and pay \$100 a month for three months.

For 1,000 pay \$20 cash, and \$20.00 a month for three months.

For 500 pay \$10.00 cash, and \$10 a month for three months.

We have put this stock at the lowest figure consistent with reason in offering a share in a property so valuable, because we desire to receive the support of as large a number of "Gossip's" readers as possible.

As soon as the proposed development work has demonstrated the value of the vein in the Piute group, and the holdings of the water rights and claims in the Reservation have been added to the Company's assets the stock will be listed upon the Exchanges of San Francisco, Reno, Goldfield and New York or New Jersey.

Address, for further information, if desired,

DR. BENJAMIN ROBINSON

Secretary-Treasurer

(County Physician at Hawthorne) **Hawthorne, Nev.**

W. F. BOND'S STATISTICS

We have great regard for the man who prepares tabulated statements of value for our use. "Gossip" is a treasure house of facts regarding Goldfield and its stocks, and we have much pleasure in appropriating the following table compiled by John Meteer of the firm of W. F. Bond & Co., Goldfield, showing the steady increase in the average price of stocks sold on the Goldfield Exchange. For instance, as the *Tribune* points out in discussing this table, last September the average value per share, representing transactions on the Goldfield Mining Stock Exchange alone, was but 25 cents, while the average value per share of stocks bought during the week ending February 2 was 77 cents, and the week before that 61 cents. The average value of stocks bought on this Exchange for twenty-four weeks is 44 cents. When Eastern people realize that Goldfield residents are investing heavily in half-dollar stocks, they must become convinced that strong faith underlies the investment.

Week Ending	Number of Stocks Recording Sales	Average Number Shares of Each Stock Sold	Average Value Per Share	Average Value of Total Shares Each Stock Sold	Total Number Shares all Stock Sold	Total Value Shares all Stocks Sold
Aug. 25.....	77	18,923	\$0 36	\$6,816 74	1,457,085	\$ 524,888 75
Sept. 1.....	71	14,727	34	5,075 22	1,045,620	360,341 15
Sept. 8.....	67	6,571	48	3,213 35	440,300	215,294 75
Sept. 15.....	62	12,251	45	5,781 63	759,550	358,460 50
Sept. 22.....	65	23,400	31	7,391 17	1,521,000	480,426 00
Sept. 29.....	68	21,761	25	5,459 74	1,479,800	371,262 75
Oct. 6.....	66	22,511	25	5,785 86	1,485,775	381,867 00
Oct. 13.....	75	19,017	29	4,027 77	1,426,275	302,082 75
Oct. 20.....	74	13,871	28	3,984 40	1,026,483	294,845 67
Oct. 27.....	82	22,447	44	10,044 20	1,840,716	823,624 60
Nov. 3.....	81	31,896	45	14,571 23	2,583,500	1,180,269 50
Nov. 10.....	96	27,764	48	13,484 87	2,665,400	1,294,547 50
Nov. 17.....	85	22,222	52	11,583 20	1,888,948	985,572 50
Nov. 24.....	91	18,339	54	9,998 04	1,668,862	909,822 40
Dec. 1.....	93	17,896	51	9,096 01	1,664,349	845,928 75
Dec. 8.....	98	17,524	39	6,969 03	1,717,350	682,965 50
Dec. 15.....	98	11,969	36	4,360 46	1,172,966	427,325 30
Dec. 22.....	81	12,540	38	4,880 36	1,015,775	389,469 25
Dec. 29.....	76	6,784	39	2,690 47	515,614	204,476 10
Jan. 5.....	71	11,089	43	4,825 04	787,300	342,578 25
Jan. 12.....	97	26,579	49	13,114 85	2,578,160	1,272,140 00
Jan. 19.....	108	14,017	62	8,735 03	1,513,800	945,327 00
Jan. 26.....	90	13,643	61	8,350 20	1,227,900	751,518 25
Feb. 2.....	80	12,303	77	9,546 76	984,225	763,741 00
Average, 24 weeks—	81	17,657	44	7,740 15	1,436,114	629,532 30

The Gossip Stock Account

Deals Only in Stocks That Are Listed on the Goldfield Exchanges

WE are open to receive cash for market buying and selling of listed stocks in amounts from \$200.00 up to \$5,000.00 or \$10,000. We have no proposition whatever to make to the small investor, and we strongly urge that he do not regard the mining stock market as a road to wealth through small beginnings. We ask the consideration and patronage of large concerns having money to invest in considerable amounts.

We have never yet been wrong on the market, and we offer our services to buyers with the assurance that we make no deals without carefully balancing beforehand the chances of profit and loss.

We print each week in "Gossip" a statement compiled at the close of the Saturday trading, setting forth, as under, the stocks bought or sold or held, with dates and amounts.

We buy always in lots of not less than 1,000 shares if possible.

We keep separate accounts for each investor, and give him an immediate notification of all sales or purchases made for his account as soon as the same are made.

This account is in charge of an expert accountant, and the books are open to the immediate inspection of any investor, or to any agent whom he may appoint to act for him.

It is our opinion that an account of this nature requires the fullest publicity, as well as careful handling.

Our charges are: THE REGULAR BROKERAGE COMMISSION AND ONE CENT A SHARE ON EVERY TRANSACTION.

Gossip Stock Account, February 9, 1907

Total Subscriptions to Date, \$5,655.00

Date of Purchase STOCKS BOUGHT AND ON HAND

Jan. 9	1000	Mayne Goldfield	202 50
Jan. 8	1000	Mayne Goldfield	\$ 172 50
Jan. 14	2000	Dixie	385 00
Jan. 14	5000	Empire	1,097 50
Jan. 14	1000	Red Top Extension	415 00
Jan. 14	1000	Mayne Goldfield	202 50
Jan. 14	1000	Mayne Goldfield	212 50
Jan. 19	1000	Black Butte Extension	182 50
Jan. 19	2000	Mayne Goldfield	405 00
Jan. 21	1000	Manhattan Standard	46 25
Jan. 22	1000	Mayne Goldfield	182 50

Date of Purchase STOCKS BOUGHT AND ON HAND

Jan. 22	2000	Manhattan Standard	92 50
Jan. 29	1000	Mayne Goldfield	182 50
Jan. 30	1000	Mayne Goldfield	177 50
Jan. 30	1000	Mohawk Extension	305 00
Jan. 30	1000	Red Top Extension	405 00
Jan. 30	1000	Empire	182 50
Feb. 1	1000	Blue Bell	305 00
Feb. 1	1000	Empire	182 50
Feb. 4	1000	Empire	177 50
Feb. 4	2000	Red Top Ex.	840 00

NO SALES

Following are the regular Brokerage Fees on the Goldfield Exchanges:

Minimum charge on any transaction	\$ 1.00
At 1 and under 2 cents per share, per thousand	.50
At 2 and under 10, per thousand	1.25
At 10 and under 25, per thousand	2.50
At 25 and under 50, per thousand	5.00
At 50 and under 75, per thousand	7.50
At 75 and under \$1.00 per thousand	10.00
At \$1 and under \$2, per thousand	15.00
At \$2 or over, 1 per cent. on the money.	

Investors may withdraw their deposits at any time, giving us notice by wire to sell their stock and remit.

Investors may demand and receive their stocks at any time.

We limit this Account to a trading capital of \$50,000.

We guarantee nothing but accurate, painstaking service.

This Account is banked separately with the State Bank and Trust Company, Goldfield.

We believe that we can make this a very profitable account for all our customers. Make all remittances payable to

GOLDFIELD GOSSIP

Address Gossip Building

GOLDFIELD, NEVADA

WE ARE INCREASING
THE PLANT OF
THE NEVADA-GOLDFIELD
REDUCTION Co.

*WE ARE INSTALLING A PROCESS TO
TREAT SULPHIDE ORES*

¶ Sulphide Ores are becoming of greater tonnage in Goldfield than the oxidized ores, and our plant is always ready to meet the exact requirements of the Goldfield mines. ¶ Our daily capacity is 500 tons. ¶ We are now in full operation. ¶ We buy all classes and grades of ores. ¶ We make special rates upon low-grade milling ores. ¶ We buy concentrates and bullion. ¶ We refine precipitates, and we retort amalgam. ¶ We are ready at any time to send a representative to sample and estimate values of dumps with a view to immediate cash purchase. ¶ We are equipped to make rapid and exact tests of ores for commercial treatment.

LET US FIGURE WITH YOU

¶ WE CAN ASSURE YOU OF IMMEDIATE AND COURTEOUS TREATMENT. ¶ CALL US BY PHONE OR WRITE

The Nevada-Goldfield Reduction Co.

GOLDFIELD, NEVADA