

**STATEHOOD MINES
RUNNING FULL TIME**

Shipments to El Paso Are
Now Made Through
Lake Valley.

Hillsboro, N. M., Jan. 17.—The mill at the Statehood mines is now running full time, and about 40 men are employed underground keeping it supplied. Much development is going on under the management of F. L. Groux, who has decided to ship his concentrates to the El Paso smelter by way of Lake Valley instead of Cutter, as was originally intended when the company made its toll road to that point, as the former is the most economical. Manager Groux has offered the use of five stamps of the mill for custom work, and the McPhersons are hauling a thousand sacks of ore from their claims south of the Wicks for a trial run. If this proves a profitable venture there are several other parties in the district who propose to take advantage of the offer.

The Wicks Gulch continues to ship a carload of high grade ore monthly and expects to double the output in the near future.

A. L. Bird, who is in charge of the Garfield and Butler properties, has five men cleaning up and preparing for work on a large scale, as it is confidently stated that the \$250,000 for which the mines have been bonded to the English parties is nearly all subscribed, although the bond does not expire until next August.

It is reported that Boston parties are negotiating for the purchase of the Mamie Richmond group.

Will Robins expects to resume work on the Trio group shortly and with the exception of the Richmond there is not an idle mine in this neighborhood. Lake Valley is taking on new life—40 men are working on the property cleaning up old stopes, clearing the old workings, and it is the intention to erect a smelter there as soon as the management has decided what capacity will be needed. There are hundreds of thousands of tons of low grade ores at Lake which can be handled at a profit now, that could not have been considered in the early eighties when the mine was first opened.

**EL PASOANS ARE
GETTING RESULTS**

Knickerbocker Brings Report of Good Progress in Grand County Camp.

C. Knickerbocker, one of the discoverers and pioneers of the camp of Sylvanite, Grant county, New Mexico, which went through a considerable gold excitement about three years ago, has returned to El Paso from a visit at that camp and reports that there are a number of the old timers who have just completed their assessment work, and a number of them are also doing development, and says they are entirely satisfied with their showing. Ed Clark, postmaster at the camp, is making arrangements to sink a shaft on his claim, that is located between the "Wake Up Charley" and the "Creepers." This claim shows considerable free gold on the surface, with a fairly good sized lead.

Charles Ziegler, of El Paso, is largely interested in that camp, being the owner of the "Wake Up Charley," the "Broken Jug" and the "Creepers." He has done a great amount of work on his property with excellent results.

Mike Wilcox, one of the original owners of the Gold Hill property, reports doing work on the east side of the Hachita mountains and has struck a streak of rich silver-lead ore.

**BRIGHT PROSPECTS
IN PARRAL REGION**

Resumption of Alvarado Is One Good Feature. Other Developments.

Parral, Mex., Jan. 17.—The future for the Parral district looks up brighter than ever since the Alvarado started to grind, and the Veta Colorado made good its word to buy ore. Fifteen hundred tons in one lump were purchased of P. B. Butler, representing the owners of the Santa Gertrudis property by the Veta Colorado company at first, and several more purchases are pending.

The price paid for the Santa Gertrudis ore was not made public but the burro freighters are receiving in the neighborhood of 1.25 cents per ton for transporting it to the company's dumps.

The Alvarado is considering several offers for ore, and it is very likely that the deals will be consummated shortly. The Alvarado has at present on the dump sufficient ore for a two-year run, based on the present capacity of the plant.

Several easterners are due in this city within the next few weeks.

Santiago Hamilton left for his Mina Maria property in the Roncesvalles district to be gone a short time. The Maria struck a nice body of ore about two weeks ago and some shipments have been made that have brought pretty good values.

A total of 412 tons of ore were shipped from the Los Muertos property

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\$40.00 Brass Bed, heavy filled, 2-inch post, heavy top rod, a new style and very handsome; Stock Reduction Sale price **\$28.50**

**Extension
Tables**

\$50.00 fumed oak extension, 54 inch top, 10 ft. long when extended, extra heavy pedestal; **\$37.25**

\$45.00 Early English extension table, 48 inch top, massive square pedestal, extends to 8 feet, genuine quarter sawed oak and good as the best; special sale **\$29.90**

\$28.00 golden oak extension table, quarter sawed oak, highly polished round pedestal, a splendid value at regular price; special **\$21.00**

\$17.50 Early English extension table, square pedestal, 6 feet long when extended, 42 in. round top; a splendid, strong table; special **\$11.75**



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Axminster Rugs, all new stock right from the mill **\$18.85**

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9x12 Brussels Rugs, our regular \$22 seamless rug; special **\$17.75**

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special on sale **\$12.80**

\$16.50 Brussels Rugs, 9x12, in delicate patterns, special **\$12.80**

7-1-2x9 ft. Manor seamless Brussels Rug, \$12.50 value; **\$8.75**

Special sale price **\$8.75**

Buffets

Buffet in fumed oak, mission style, genuine quarter sawed oak, old copper drawer pulls; regular \$35.00 value, for **\$22.85**

Buffet in genuine quarter sawed oak, wazel golden finish, has shelf and large plate mirror, lined silverware drawer, elegantly finished, regular \$35.00 value, **\$23.50**

special price **\$20.90**

\$30.00 golden oak Buffet, genuine quarter sawed oak, highly polished, a splendid value at regular price; special sale **\$20.90**

**Dresser
Specials**

Genuine mahogany dresser, dull finish, wood knobs, 60 inches long, 30x48 inch mirror, full Colonial style, a regular \$100.00 value; Stock Reduction Sale price **\$73.65**

Chiffonier to match colonial mahogany dresser, a \$75.00 value; Stock Reduction Sale price **\$52.70**

Genuine mahogany dresser in princess style, large oval mirror, full swell front, highly polished, a \$40.00 value, for **\$28.60**

Mahogany Princess dresser, \$25.00 value, for **\$17.75**

\$40.00 oak Princess dresser, genuine quarter sawed oak, extra large mirror, serpentine front **\$27.90**

at only **\$27.90**

Birdseye maple Princess dresser, a novelty, with three drawers, wood knob, oval mirror, regular \$27.50 value; Stock Reduction **\$18.50**

Sale price **\$18.50**

Kitchen Cabinets

\$35.00 Kitchen Cabinets; Stock Reduction sale **\$24.85**

\$20.00 Kitchen Cabinet, finished light maple, roller bins, glass front; special sale **\$15.75**

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Largest line of go-carts in the city. \$17.50 collapsible Go-cart in green, black or tan leatherette, nickel plated trimmings; extra **\$11.80**

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\$14.00 collapsible Go-cart, Stock Reduction Sale **\$9.75**

price **\$9.75**

\$8.50 collapsible Go-cart; Stock Reduction Sale **\$5.95**

price **\$5.95**

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last week and the outlook seems favorable for another big shipment this week. While the quantity of the ore is not very high, it nevertheless produces a fair margin of profit. Roy H. Allen, manager of the property, contemplates doing more development work in the near future.

At the Minas de Almoleza in the Almoleza district, development work is being done and plans are being made to start shipping in the near future.

E. Ernest, manager of the Mexican Mines Corporation, in the Almoleza section, is doing considerable development work on the properties.

The Hines Consolidated maintains its shipments of six cars per month. Rumors are that the company anticipates opening on a much larger scale in the near future. The properties are situated at Santa Barbara.

At El Rayo mine, Santa Barbara, the work of sinking a three compartment shaft on the Adela property has started and is progressing rapidly. During the past month a double track tunnel was driven in 247 feet within a period of 30 days. The new five feet by 29 feet tube mill is set up and ready to run. More extensive improvement and development work is planned for the next 60 days.

The Cigarero mine, at Almoleza, which stopped shipping about nine months ago and concentrated all efforts toward development work, has struck a new ore body that runs very high in value, and shipping will be resumed about the latter part of this month. Alfredo Rodriguez is in charge.

**FORTUNA SHIPS
HIGH GRADE ORE**

Mexican Property in Which El Pasoans Are Interested Produces Well.

A 30 ton carload of ore was shipped to the El Paso smelter during the past week from the Fortuna mine in the El Tigre district of Sonora. This property has shipped much ore during the past year. It is largely owned in El Paso and Morris B. Parker has had charge of all the development. Values in the ore last shipped were \$45 per ton, being 3.7 ounces gold, 127 ounces silver and 4.9 percent copper, 14 percent lead. Another carload of ore is at the railway at Ysabel station and will soon be brought to the smelter.

The North Tigre under the same management as the Fortuna is driving the No. 12 crosscut, and have about 100 feet more to go in order to tap the vein 300 feet below the present lowest workings. The parallel vein of the Santa Maria, which is the main shipping property of the Fortuna, has been uncovered for a length of 225 feet and shows the vein an average width of 21 feet, and it has a continuous streak of shipping ore nine inches wide that assays 12.9 ounces silver, 1.35 ounces gold, 5 percent copper, and 12 percent lead; the balance of the vein averages \$24 per ton gold value.

The directors of these companies have recently authorized a joint bond issue of \$250,000 to be secured by the entire holdings of both companies. The money realized from the sale of these bonds will be spent in the continued development of the properties, and the erection of a 100 ton concentrator, and cyanide plant.

The Cinco de Mayo property, located north of the Fortuna and Tigre mines, is being developed by the present lessees, H. V. Hermann and associates of New York, who have been from the past 60 days taking out from two to five tons daily of high grade shipping ore, assaying from 250 to 400 ounces per ton. The gross production of the mine will aggregate \$20,000 at present.

**PREDILECTA MINE.
EARNS BIG PROFIT**

Torreon, Mex., Jan. 17.—The Predilecta mine is producing profits of between \$14,000 and \$18,000 per month, its high grade ores averaging 10 kilos of silver and 46 grams of gold per ton.

The news of the probable construction of a railroad to the property acted as a tonic upon the camp and the owners of many properties in that part of the country which are now idle are preparing to resume operations at

an early date. The prices of properties have already advanced with a prospect of an additional profit of \$15 per ton being added to the profits. The Predilecta company has demonstrated the existence of high grade ore in the camp, a condition which was hitherto doubted.

It is said on good authority that the Towne and other interests in Mexico have combined to construct a railroad from Gutierrez on the Mexican Central and the city of Durango. This will open up a large and rich territory in the state of Durango. The road will touch the famous Sombretete mines, the property of the Towne company, and will reduce freight charges on the output of that property, which is now transported overland to Gutierrez.

This road has already been surveyed. Surveys have also been completed to Guanaecvi, on the Meloy concession.

**START WORK SOON
ON TUCSON SMELTER**

That the Arizona Smelting and Refining company will build just outside Tucson, Ariz., a smelter costing \$250,000, capable of treating all classes of ore, and that the foundations will be commenced within the next 30 days is the statement of H. J. Thompson, manager of the company.

"Our ore contracts, which we made last spring still hold," he said. "They provide for the delivery of 2000 tons per week for a period of five years. The bonds for the erection of the smelter have been placed, and the industry is fully financed."

**IS SHIPPING TO
CANANEA SMELTER**

Cananea, Mex., Jan. 17.—W. Spencer Hutchinson of Boston, a well known mining engineer, is here on business pertaining to the Mexican Metals company, of which he is consulting engineer. The company has made a shipment of a carload of high grade copper-silver ore to the smelter of the Greene-Cananea company and the returns are expected to run high. He will return to Noria, where the Amelia mine is located.

**WILL REOPEN OLD
SILVER MINE SOON**

It is announced that the Lake Valley Mines company of Sierra county, New Mexico, will reopen its old silver properties at Lake Valley and put 50 to 100 men to work. It is also understood that other old silver mines near Kingston will be started again.

**BUFFALO BILL TO PUT
IN A MILL AT HIS MINE**

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 17.—Returning here from Cody, Wyoming, to spend the remainder of the winter, Col. W. F. Cody announces that he will spend thousands of dollars during the year in making improvements and in developing ore at his Camp Bonito properties near Tucson.

One of the principal improvements will be the installation of a 50 ton mill to supplement the 75 tons mill which is already in operation. The Cody mine is situated near Oracle in the Catalina mountains.

**RICH STRIKE REPORTED ON
NACAZARI CONSOLIDATED**

D. S. Williams, local manager of Nacozari Consolidated Copper company, received word this morning that the Tharset York company, which is sinking a shaft on the west line of the Copper King block of the Nacozari Consolidated, has struck a body of high grade copper glance said to assay 40 percent copper at a depth of 100 feet. Considerable excitement is prevailing over the strike.

**Panama Moving Pictures and
Lecture.**

The lectures, "The Truth About the Panama Canal," to be given at the Majestic theater tonight and Wednesday by Wayne O. Adams, foreman and engineer on the isthmus for three years, will be something out of the ordinary and well worth while according to the statement of those who have heard the lecture.

Mr. Adams has 1500 feet of moving pictures and 200 stereopticon views in colors which show the progress of the work, sanitary conditions, etc. At Ryan's drug store Mr. Adams is showing skins of animals which he killed in Panama.

Mr. Adams wears a medal which he received from ex-president Roosevelt as a reward for his services on the isthmus. He has a letter from the colonel which praises his show highly.

No amount of newspaper and magazine literature and illustration can begin to give the quick conception of this colossal, \$500,000,000 undertaking than the moving pictures and Mr. Adams' brief, in-a-nut-shell talk do. One sees the scrap heap monuments which fairly bewail the blasted hopes of the French company and its engineers, and the triumphant progress of the American steam shovel, aided and abetted by terrific dynamite explosions which were caught in the act by the camera.

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**CONVICTED SIXTH TIME
IN SAME COURT AT AGE OF 77**

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 17.—In the same courtroom in which he was convicted of his first crime 21 years ago, "Col." A. C. Ward was convicted today for the sixth time in his career, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for obtaining money and goods under false pretenses. He is 77 years old.