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## COLORADO RIVER

### Ships That Pass Up Stream by Day

At great expense The Age has secured through a special reporter the annexed picture of the new boat "Good Luck," just launched on the Colorado river, east of Las Vegas. It was built by H. M. Sunders, at the foot of Las Vegas wash, and will navigate the turbulent Colorado, carrying passengers up to the gold mines.

The river varies from 150 to 600 feet wide and was first navigated by the Spaniards, who came up stream from the Gulf generations ago, in search of gold. Some of these pioneers left emblems on the river banks and others left their bones.

For years boats have borne silt down the river from the salt mines.

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## SEARCHLIGHT RAILROAD

It is reasonably certain the narrow gauge railroad from Nipton to Searchlight will be built soon. It will be 22 miles long and carry Searchlight ore to the Salt Lake railroad. A gasoline motor will do the business. Dr. H. A. Hansen, G. H. McClintock and some of the Quartette owners are interested in the enterprise.

Call at The Age office for all sorts of mining blanks—location notices, certificates, etc. 25c per dozen.

## CHARLESTON MOUNTAIN

Towering 11,000 feet above the sea, 40 miles west of Las Vegas, Charleston peak, snow capped and pine clad, shines in the sunlight against the clear blue sky. Its steep slopes and lofty summit in the summer will afford an easy and cool retreat for the inhabitants of the desert. The railroads building will make it convenient of access. Who will be first to establish a summer camp in Charleston's groves?

An observatory should be established on the summit by the government.

## BOY SHOT DEAD

Wednesday morning Ollie D. Michalis was killed instantly by a ball from a 22 target rifle accidentally discharged by children of W. L. Aplin, on Main street, near the furniture store. Several boys about ten years of age were playing with the gun. Miss Amy Aplin, aged 16, endeavored to take the gun from her little brother for safety. In the transfer the gun was discharged and the ball struck Ollie Michalis below the left eye, entered the brain and killed him instantly. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Michalis, and W. L. Aplin, are heart broken over the accident. It is another warning against allowing children to play with weapons.

## SCHOOL AFFAIRS

Las Vegas has a comfortable school building and two competent teachers in charge of about eighty pupils. There are 114 on the roll.

The trustees are Fred L. Fallas, R. E. Lake and Dan V. Noland, clerk.

The teachers are Miss Sofia Schultz, principal, and Miss Alma Tattle.

In the near future a magnificent school building can be erected by tax levy or bonding.

It is the intention of the trustees to maintain the Las Vegas school at a high standard, insuring good educational facilities.

The term of eight months now running will last until May or June.

## LAME LAWS

A. B. Young, who looted the Goldfield bank, has been acquitted. He got out of the pen through a loophole in the Nevada banking law.

The Age competes with city prices on job printing. Patronize home industry.

## \$3000 GOLD ORE

E. H. Kimball, of the mail stage to Beatty, reports a new strike near Ash Meadows of ore running \$3000 to the ton.

The Bullfrog Miner, printed at Beatty last week, Nevada is the name of the best newspaper published in the Bullfrog mining district; \$3 per year, or \$1 for three months. Send for it if you want reliable news from the mining country.

Our Kansas Butter ahead of their all Johnson & Ward.

## COLORADO RIVER MINES

### Stampede for New Boulder Gold District

The Age artist caught a snapshot of N. A. Kuhn, the merchant miner, on his return from the Colorado river gold fields recently. The new Boulder district is on the river above the Las Vegas wash, about 40 miles east of Las Vegas.

The prospector must go to the Colorado, thence up the river ten miles to Black canyon by wagon trail. Four miles up the canyon he will begin to find gold twenties on the sage bushes. All prospectors are advised to take wagons, to bring back a good supply.

Lane, Mathews and Joy have a blanket vein bearing high values in gold and copper. Assays ranging from \$5 to \$125 have been obtained, principally gold. The ledge has been traced for a mile, and lies in a mountain on the Nevada side of the Colorado at an altitude of about 3500 feet. Above the blanket vein towers the mountain 1500 feet, insuring permanency. The foot wall is porphyry and the hanging wall diorite. The ledge proper is eight feet wide.

Messrs. Hewetson and Hall have a similar vein two miles up the river from Lane. The ledge is perpendicular, however, and is located on the Arizona side.

Messrs. Smith, Jason and Cole have another good ledge on the Nevada side; and in the same vicinity Campbell & Duncan have a promising prospect.

N. A. Kuhn, John D. West and M. Madsen also have some good claims one mile down the river from Lane's place.

On the river plenty of timber is found for firewood.

Several teams from Las Vegas and some from Searchlight have gone to the Colorado river, and others with burros are on the way with gunny sacks to gather the gold.

H. A. McDonald, of the Hotel Las Vegas, Capt. Richard Towne and others have gone to the new gold strike on the Colorado river, 30 miles east of Las Vegas.

Lloyd Smith and Joe McQuillan left Monday for the Colorado river strike. They took a wagon to bring back the gold.

## RIVER FARMING

G. A. Lane, Indian Frank and others, on the Colorado river, east of Las Vegas, are preparing to farm the rich bars, which are above high water. By irrigation all kinds of garden truck can be grown to supply the mining camps, about 25 miles east.

## Ladies Meet.

The Help One Another Club met in regular session, Tuesday, at Mrs. Peter Buol's residence. Present:

Mrs. Chas. Ball, President  
" Peter Buol, Vice  
" Harris, Secretary  
" Cantlon, Treasurer

Mrs. Madam Collins, Newton, Forrester, Buol, Hunter, Church, Beeson, Cramm, Lake, Fitzwilliam and Cloutie.

A stray man got into the quilting party and reports having seen a grand display of babies.

Refreshments were served and the ladies had a pleasant time.

Mrs. Chas. Ball has gone to Los Angeles on a visit, but will soon return.

If you want facts, subscribe for The Age—an honest, reliable newspaper.

## OTHER MINES

About 10 miles east of Las Vegas P. Watelet, of the Southern Nevada Mining Company, has discovered a ledge from which assays as high as \$40 in gold have been obtained. Evidently there are good mines close to our own doors.

Come to The Age for clean beat job printing at fair prices.

## MANHATTAN

The new gold camp of Manhattan, near Belmont, north of Tonopah, is located on a well traveled road which has been used since 1863. The machinery and supplies from Sacramento, Cal., to Belmont, Nev., have been transported over it by mule team.

The camp is 8000 feet above the sea and prospectors are roving around in from two to three feet of snow for gold. The pine forests near by afford cheap fuel.

Mining location blanks 25c per dozen at The Age office. Come and tell us the mining news.

## Legal Advertising

It will pay persons having legal notices of any kind for publication to consult The Age about rates. Why submit to being "held up" when it is possible to get the service at fair prices. The Age is the county official paper and goes to every postoffice.



## FUNERAL RANGE

### Great Mining Properties on New Railroad Routes

That portion of the Funeral range which is closely associated with Grapevine range is much in the limelight just now.

The Keane Wonder mine, which borders on Death Valley and runs up into the canyon, and which was at one time bonded to Cohen and De Lamar, is again bonded to the Patrick outfit. This bond runs until February 20th. The mine has a large tonnage of ore in sight. The veins are horizontal, consisting of bull quartz with a fair amount of free gold showing in places. In parts the quartz ledges run high and show values of from \$15 to \$30 over quite large areas. It is a free milling proposition which, with a mill attached, may prove a big mine. Many hundreds of feet of work are in evidence.

The Big Belle adjoins the Keane Wonder with one or two big ledges, which pan freely. With good management and a mill this property should be a big producer; at present but very little work has been done.

East of the Keane Wonder are the Lone Star and the Trio properties, both good prospective concerns which have some fine surface showings. The Trio has a rich streak of galena ore coming in.

West of the same mine and about two miles away, three new strikes of importance are creating interest. One is known as the Gracy property, which is being actively worked and upon which a good showing is being made.

Assays of \$100 to \$350 have been taken from the Wilson-Livingstone-Miller property, all gold, and it looks as though a big body of ore was being opened up. Hard by, a similar streak upon the De Forrest claims gives some large assays. Further north the Indian property has a tunnel in over 100 feet, all in ore, with an average value of \$50 per ton on a width of over two feet.

Keane Springs, with a good supply of water, is the business center of a growing camp and prospectors are going in freely. There is a large area of good looking mineral country here, much of which is open. A town site will soon be laid out.

The district is known as the South Bullfrog Mining District, with a recorder's office at Keate Springs. It lies 11 miles across the Amargosa desert from Bullfrog camps.

J. P. Harvey, one of Patsy Clark's mining experts, left the Palace Hotel here last Monday for the copper mines in Funeral range, on the east border of Death Valley.

## HOME PAPER

The Age is the only newspaper printed in Las Vegas. The others are printed in Salt Lake. Patronize home institutions if you wish to build up the town.

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Leaves Las Vegas and Beatty twice morning at 6:00 o'clock  
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## MILE PER DAY

### Rails Laid 24 Miles and Grade 30 Miles

S. L. Mendenhall, one of the contractors on the Las Vegas and Tonopah railroad, informs The Age that rails are laid 24 miles out, grade is finished 30 miles, and advance camps are 53 miles northwest of Las Vegas.

The contractor says rails are going down at the rate of one mile per day and will average more hereafter. Rails will reach Indian Creek by February 20th and Beatty by April 15th. About 400 men are at work on the line.

The telegraph and express will follow the line out.

## GET YOUR LETTER

Following letters remain at Las Vegas Postoffice unclaimed for:

- Mr. J. E. Quates
- Mr. Will Quant
- Mr. J. V. Roby
- Mr. Harry Hammit
- Mr. J. J. Lainer
- Mr. N. J. Marley
- Mr. Charles Lundholm
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- Mr. William Robertson
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McKeesport, Pa., Nov. 15th, 1905.

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