

TRAVELING LABORATORY COMES TO NEVADA MINERS

The "traveling laboratory" is again on its way to Nevada. The winter school for the prospectors was opened September 17 at Sparks under the direction of Fred D. Gibson. The department of vocational training of the Nevada state department of education, Donald C. Cameron of Carson City, director, offers a three-weeks course to miners and prospectors throughout the state.

A complete testing laboratory is carried to the different towns on a state-owned truck by Fred Gibson, and kept in each community three weeks. Last year the prospectors' course was given to something more than 800 miners, and a much larger attendance is anticipated this year. The venture completed its initial year last spring, and was pronounced a success by both students and instructors. — Goldfield News.

NEVADA TUNGSTEN MINE WORKS THREE SHIFTS IN BIG ORE VEIN

LOVELOCK — Arrangements are being made to put three shifts of men to work at the Nightingale mine of the Tungsten Production Corporation located northwest of Springer's Hot Springs near the boundary of Pershing county. Two shifts have been at work this summer in the mine and mill and J. B. Maxwell, superintendent, states the operations have been profitable.

With the coming of freezing weather the third shift becomes necessary if operations are to be carried on at all.

One of the surprising features of the camp is the abundance of huge ore bodies. Present work is being done on a vein 40 feet in width. Another measures 60 feet across, while there are a number 15 feet or more in width. Maxwell says, there are highgrade spots running up to 70 per cent tungstic acid and then again the ore becomes lean. —Denver Mining Record.

STUDENTS AIDED BY FERA

Ninety-eight University of Nevada students received FERA checks totalling \$998 for part-time work during the month of September, the comptroller's office announced Friday. The pay roll was \$412 short of the maximum \$1,410 allotted the university because some of the college workers were not able to put in sufficient time to earn the full amount they are eligible to receive in any one month.—Humboldt Star.

HOPPER EGGS FOUND

A bed of grasshopper eggs covering 40 acres in some places 25,000 to the square foot, was discovered in Independence valley in Elko county by Lee Burge, assistant state extension head, S. J. Snow, state representative of the federal quarantine department and Mark Menke, Elko extension agent, on a survey conducted last week. —Humboldt Star.

KALIN SHIPS CAR ORE FROM TOLICHA

Plus Kalin, former Goldfield miner, and now leasing on the Landmark property at Tolicha, shipped a car of gold ore to Salt Lake City last Friday by way of Beatty, according to Beatty residents who were in Tonopah. Tolicha ore usually runs around \$28 to \$30 a ton in gold. — Tonopah Times.

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