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Founded in 1904 for the purpose of investigating topics pertaining to the early history of Nevada and of collecting relics for a museum, the NEVADA HISTORICAL SOCIETY has dedicated itself to the continuing purpose of preserving the rich heritage of the peoples—past and present—who have inhabited the land of Nevada.

The Society believes that it can best serve the State by arousing in the people an historical consciousness which it hopes will be carried to succeeding generations. Thus, through its Director, the Society sponsors an educational program which carries the history of Nevada to the schools and organizations throughout the State.

The Society maintains a library and museum where historical materials of many kinds are on display to the public and are available to students and scholars.

The Society publishes the NEVADA HISTORICAL SOCIETY'S QUARTERLY which publishes articles of interest to readers in the social, cultural, economic, and political history of the Great Basin area: Nevada, eastern California, eastern and southern Oregon, Idaho, and Utah.

The Society's membership is open to the public; application for membership should be made to the Secretary of the Society, State Building, Reno, Nevada.

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Humboldt Register.

Agents. SAN FRANCISCO... L. P. FISHER... SACRAMENTO... E. K. PHIPPS...

COMMERCE. To appear in these columns, must be accompanied by the name of a person responsible...

Unionville, Saturday, March 25, 1865.

Income Tax Payers.

Table listing names and income amounts for tax payers, including Blake-F.W., Bonfield-M.S., Berry-G.M., etc.

The above are supposed to be the names of the only persons in this county who received over \$500 during the year 1863...

Send. The Carson Post is sound on the proposition to sell the mineral lands...

The history of the past is full of lessons of wisdom. Read and profit thereon. How many original locators to-day hold valuable mining ground...

Real, Health and Comfort to Mother and child. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething...

MARRIED.

In Carson, Nev., March 15, 1865, at the residence of Hon. G. N. Noteware, by Rev. W. M. Reilly, JOHN G. FOX to Miss SARAH J. ROSS...

In Trinity, Humboldt county, Nev., March 17th, by Chas. W. Stevens, J. P., Hon. D. H. BROWN, late of the Nevada Assembly...

DIED.

In Star City, Humboldt county, Nevada, March 20, 1865, of Consumption, W. K. BAKER, formerly of Metropolis, Illinois; aged 86 years.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Court of Buena Vista township, Humboldt county, State of Nevada, duly attested on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1865...

NOTICE.

HUMBOLDT SHIPPERS!! FREIGHTS from San Francisco to Red Bluff - \$50.00 per ton. To Chico Landing, - 12.00

George F. Nourse, Forwarding and Commission Merchant, Chico Landing.

PUBLISHING INCOMES.—The New York Tribune says: 'So long as the income tax shall be required and levied, we are satisfied that it is best for all who are honestly concerned therein that there should be no restriction on giving publicity to the items.'

THE STANDARD OF JUDGMENT.—Judge a man by his actions; a poet by his eye; a lawyer by his leer; a player by his strut; an Irishman by his swagger...

STRAKER FARE.—The Constitution took passengers for New York at the following rates: First cabin, outside rooms, 213; inside, \$162.50; second cabin \$100; steerage \$69.

Humboldt Prices Current. Table listing various goods and their prices, such as Apples, Butter, Bacon, Beans, etc.

Humboldt Salt Mining Company.—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Humboldt Salt Mining Company, for election of Trustees, will be held at the office of the company in Unionville...

Cuba Gold and Silver Mining Company.—Location of works and mine, Humboldt district, Humboldt county, Nevada. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of said company, held on the 16th day of March, 1865...

Evening Star Gold and Silver Mining Company.—Trinity District, Humboldt county, Nevada. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said company, held on the 18th day of March, 1865...

Pacific Consolidated Gold and Silver Mining Company, Santa Rosa District, Humboldt county, Nev.—Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said company, held on the 11th day of March, 1865...

Mountaineer Tunneling and Gold and Silver Mining Company.—Sierra District, Humboldt county, State of Nevada.—Notice is hereby given, that a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said company, held on the 11th day of February, 1865...

DISTRICT RECORDER'S CERTIFICATES.—As applied just printed, on approved form and superior paper.

Starlight Gold and Silver Mining Company.—Location of works, Humboldt county, Nevada. Table listing names and shares of shareholders.

And in accordance with law, and an order of the Board of Trustees, made on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1865, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary, will be sold at public auction...

On Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1865, at 12 o'clock M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessments...

On Wednesday, the 26th day of April, A. D. 1865, at 1 o'clock P. M., so many shares of the capital stock of said company, standing in the names of the following named persons...

Table listing names and shares of shareholders for the Starlight Gold and Silver Mining Company.

Illinois G. & S. M. Co.—Notice is hereby given, that in accordance with the laws of Nevada, and the by-laws and a resolution of the Board of Trustees of the Illinois Gold and Silver Mining Company...

On Tuesday, April 26th, 1865, at 2 o'clock P. M., in front of the company's office in Unionville, Nevada, so many shares of the capital stock of the company...

Table listing names and shares of shareholders for the Illinois G. & S. M. Co.

By order of the Board of Trustees. W. A. HOLCOMB, Sec'y. Unionville, Nev., March 25, 1865.

JOHN G. FOX. Carson Street, Adjoining the Postoffice, CARSON CITY.

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LEVY & CO., Fire-Proof Building, ON PLAZA, STAR CITY, N. T.

M. CLAYBURGH & CO., UNIONVILLE, DUN GLEN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, BOOTS & SHOES.

Justice's Summons. STATE OF NEVADA, IN JUSTICE'S COURT. BUENA VISTA TOWNSHIP, IN and for the county of Humboldt.

R. J. HADLEY, Justice of the Peace of said Township.

R. J. HADLEY & SON vs. S. W. KNOTT & R. McLENNAN. Cause continued until March 1st, 1865, at 8 o'clock P. M.

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THE EDITOR'S PAGE

The insert of an old Nevada newspaper which you will find in this issue serves but as an introduction to the vast storehouse of Nevada material housed in the Library of the Nevada Historical Society. The collection is known from coast to coast as a “must” for any scholar doing research on the West. The collection is Nevada’s equivalent of the famous Bancroft Library at the University of California at Berkeley. Its preservation is as vital to present and future generations of Nevadans and researchers as is the preservation of any great historical collection. Bancroft himself said that Nevada’s early history is to be found in the issues of the newspapers of Nevada’s great mining camps. The Society—more than any other agency in the State—has devoted itself to the task of assembling and preserving the record.

YOUR HELP IN AIDING THE SOCIETY IS SOLICITED.

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Notes: We hesitate to point out or footnote any item. The old paper is, we believe, an excellent conversation piece, worthy of close reading from page one through four. The paper is but one of thousands in the collection of the Society. As with any collection, the Society has many "the-only-one-for-this-date" available to scholars and researchers. In addition to the rare items, the Society has runs of papers from all over the State; as a consequence, letters pour in to the Society, and the information they seek keeps a research historian constantly referring to the old papers. Many of the papers have come as gifts; others have been purchased. But however the Society came by them, the important thing is that items long held in family trunks and boxes have been made available to the public. Not only is this old paper sent out to the individual subscriber, it is sent out to all the schools in the State—a service of the Society.

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