

The Joplin District.

During the last two seasons detailed investigations have been carried on in the lead and zinc mining region of southwestern Missouri and particularly in the Joplin district, which embraces parts of Jasper and Newton counties, Missouri and the eastern part of Cherokee County, Kansas.

This is the most important zinc-producing district in the United States, the output of zinc ore in 1902 being 223,337 tons, valued at \$6,078,504, and the quantity of lead ore produced during the same time being 26,062 tons, valued at \$1,265,005. The investigation of this district has been conducted by Mr. W. S. Tangler Smith, assisted by Mr. C. E. Siebenthal, both of the United States Geological Survey.

A geologic map of the district is in preparation, based on a detailed topographic map drawn on a scale of one mile to the inch, with contour intervals of 10 feet. This topographic map, known as the Joplin District Special, is already available. In addition to showing the occurrence of the different rocks, the geologic map will show the areas that have yielded ore, as well as their mutual relations.

Careful study has been made of the occurrence of the ores and their associated minerals, and of their relation to the geology of the region in general.

The report of this investigation will be illustrated by maps, sections and photographs. It is intended to supplement the Joplin district preliminary report on the lead and zinc deposits of the Ozark region already published by the Survey. The new information presented (aside from the geologic map) will consist chiefly of matters of detail, but it is hoped that further light will be thrown on some of the extremely complex problems connected with the occurrence of lead and zinc in this region.

According to President Harris, of Amherst, a word that is looked upon as profanity in Boston may express the deepest sentiment out West. In proof of which he tells the following story: "A rough miner died out West and was laid away by his fellow-laborers, with a common slab of stone to mark his resting place. On the stone was this inscription: 'Bill Jenkins; died June 13, 1901. He done his damndest. Angels could do no more.'"

King Edward has been restricted by his physician to five cigars a day. He has been an inveterate smoker almost since his boyhood. Some 30 years ago he was dining with the late Lord Derby, who regarded the use of tobacco as a vulgar and unpleasant habit. After dinner the Prince suggested a cigar whereupon his lordship dryly expressed regret that his house did not contain a smoking room, adding that he could only suggest the stables as a suitable place for burning tobacco. Much to his surprise, the Prince adjourned to the region indicated and enjoyed his cigar.

Stockholm claims the largest schoolhouse in the world, which has accommodations for 2780 children. In the basement are 100 bath rooms, where the children are required to bathe if their teachers think they are not taught habits of cleanliness at home. Soap and towels are furnished free by the city. A wholesome dinner is furnished to poor children at noon in all the public schools if they need it, which insures every child at least one warm meal each day.

The young woman of Seattle who was married last month to a Chinese hopgrower of North Yakima has secured a divorce from her almond-eyed spouse on the plea that she loathed him and that his presence was disagreeable to her beyond her power to describe. Is

it possible that the disgusted woman married this man of alien race and habits of life without having seen him? Was there no courtship in the case, or did she become possessed of Mr. Toy in the traditional "pig in the poke" manner? The whole matter is revolting, even to her escape from her matrimonial bargain with a snug sum of her Chinese bridegroom's money. The court could not, of course, disallow her plea for divorce, with the "dried rat" which he had tried to make her eat in evidence, but a white woman who marries a Chinaman is entitled to little sympathy, and it may be added, she receives little from people of ordinary decent instincts, whether her matrimonial bargain falls upon her or not.—Oregonian.

"A neighbor ran in with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrho a Remedy when my son was suffering with severe cramps and was given up as beyond hope by my regular physician, who stands high in his profession. After administering three doses of it, my son regained consciousness and recovered entirely within twenty-four hours," says Mrs. Mary Haller, of Mt. Crawford, Va. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

A dispatch to the Inter-Ocean from Mindon, Mich., says: Oscar Newsasaky, a young Polish farmer here, has become insane as the result of a bite by a bug. The day after he was bitten his body commenced to swell and physicians have been unable to give him relief. Professor P. E. Olinberg, an entomologist of Wheeling, W. Va., came here at the request of the National Museum at Washington to procure specimens of the bug. He found a nest of the insects in a bog near Newsasaky's home and while trying to capture one was bitten on the chin and within an hour was in a semi-conscious condition. He does not show the symptoms of insanity that appeared in Newsasaky's case, and the physicians are hopeful of his recovery.

AVARIABLE MEDICINE. For Coughs and Colds in Children.

"I have not the slightest hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to all who are suffering from coughs or colds," says Chas. M. Cramer, Esq., a well known watch maker of Colombo, Ceylon. "It has been some two years since the City Dispensary first called my attention to this valuable medicine and I have repeatedly used it and it has always been beneficial. It has cured me quickly of all chest colds. It is especially effective for children and seldom takes more than one bottle to cure them of hoarseness. I have persuaded many to try this valuable medicine, and they are all as well pleased as myself over the results."

About 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the Indian teepee above town caught fire and the cripple, imbecile boy was burned to death and their belongings, tent, blankets and food were also destroyed by the fire. It is not definite how the fire started, but it is supposed while the squaws were absent, fire was blown against the tent and when they returned found all had gone up in smoke. Our citizens took a collection for the Indians which relieved them from immediate want. The boy will be buried in the cemetery Friday afternoon.—Central Oregonian.

Good for Rheumatism.

Last fall I was taken with a very severe attack of muscular rheumatism which caused me great pain and annoyance. After trying several prescriptions and rheumatic cures, I decided to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm which I had seen advertised in the South Jerseyman. After two applications of this Remedy, I was much better, and after using one bottle, was completely cured.—SALLIE HARRIS, Salem, N. J. For sale by all druggists.

For Instance.

"Jack, dear, when you are gone I shall pine away."
"Don't pine away; spruce up."—Life.

The Oregon Semi-Weekly Journal, a Democratic newspaper, ever fair and always free; 154 copies in one year for only \$4.50 to any address. The Journal, P. O. Box 131, Portland, Or.

The Russian government has set about regulating the age at which girls shall marry in Turkestan. It has been customary for Mohammedan girls to marry between the ages of 10 and 12 years, but orders have been issued now that no Mohammedan shall marry under 14. The Tartar and Turcoman chiefs are much incensed, as all seek to obtain brides as young as possible. Russian officials report that 75 per cent of the girls who marry under 12 die before they are 20.

Better Than Pill.

The question has been asked, "In what way are Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets superior to pills?" Ourselves: They are easier and more pleasant to take, more mild and gentle in effect and more reliable as they can always be depended upon. Then they cleanse and invigorate the stomach and leave the bowels in a natural condition, while pills are more harsh in effect and their use is often followed by constipation. For sale by all druggists.

Pullman Ordinary Sleepers.

The tourist travel between the east and the Pacific coast has reached enormous proportions in the last few years, and calls for a special class of equipment. To meet this demand the Pullman Co. has issued from its shops what it technically calls the "Pullman Ordinary Sleeper." These cars appear similar to the regular sleeper, being built on the same plan, but not furnished with the same elegance. They are equipped with mattresses, blankets, sheets, pillows, pillow-cases, towels, combs, brushes, etc., requiring nothing of the kind to be furnished by the passenger. Each car has a stove for making coffee and tea and doing "light housekeeping," and each section can be fitted with an adjustable table. A uniformed porter accompanies each car, his business being to make up berths, keep the car clean, and look after the comforts and wants of the passengers. In each of the trains which are dispatched daily from Portland by the O. R. & N. Co. is to be found one of these "Pullman Ordinary Sleepers." The car is attached to the "Chicago-Portland Special," which goes through to Chicago without change, and the one in the "Atlantic Express" runs to Kansas City without change. Passengers in this car for Chicago change to a similar car at Chicago. Much of the first class travel is being carried in these cars, the rates being lower, and the service being nearly equal to that in the palace sleepers. For rates and full information, including orders, write to A. L. Craig, G. P. A., O. R. & N. Co. Portland, Ore.

A Wonderful Discovery.

One of our leading western physicians on being interrogated as to what he regarded as the best remedy for all diseases that the human flesh is heir to, and what is the best preventive promptly replied, Portland Club whiskey, as I know it is a pure bourbon, well matured, and aged in wood—for sale by all first class dealers.

Public School Examinations.

Eighth grade public school examinations will be held in the public schools of Crook county as follows: April 7, 8 and 9; May 20, 21 and 22; June 17, 18 and 19, 1903.

Teachers desiring to give these examinations, please notify me as to the number of lists of questions wanted and date of examinations chosen.

WM. BOGERT, Co. Supt. March 1, 1903.

Mrs. Dora Lyons wishes to announce to the public that she will do washing and ironing at reasonable prices; Washings will be delivered.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Crook County, Mary Brooks, Plaintiff, vs. Wm. F. Brooks, Defendant.

To Wm. F. Brooks, the above named Defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff, in the above entitled Court, on or before the 12th day of May, A. D. 1903, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer that the Plaintiff will take a decree as prayed for in her complaint: That she will take a decree of absolute divorce forever, dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the Plaintiff and for the costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is published in the Crook County Journal, a weekly newspaper published at Prineville, Crook County, Oregon, by order of Hon. W. A. Booth, County Judge of the said County.

Said order was made at chambers at Prineville, Crook County Oregon, on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1903. Dated at Prineville Oregon, March 21st 1903. GEO. W. BARNES, Atty. for Plff.

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Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Crook County, R. P. Long, Plff. vs. Emma L. Long, Deft.

To Emma L. Long, the above named Defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff, in the above entitled Court, on or before the 12th day of May, A. D. 1903, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer that the Plaintiff will take a decree as prayed for in his complaint. That is to say, that he will take a decree for absolute divorce forever, dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the Plaintiff and for the costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is published in the Crook County Journal, a weekly newspaper published at Prineville, Oregon, by order of the Hon. W. A. Booth, county judge of said county.

Said order was made at chambers at Prineville, Crook County Oregon, March 21st A. D. 1903. GEO. W. BARNES, Atty. for Plff.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Crook County, Geo. W. Barnes, Plff. vs. Allen Henry, Deft.

To Allen Henry the above named Defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON,

You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff in the above entitled court on or before the 6th day of May A. D. 1903, and you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer that the Plaintiff will take a judgement as prayed for in his complaint. That is to say: for a judgement for the sum of \$190.00 principal and for the further sum of \$107.20 interest thereon, and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is published in the Crook County Journal a weekly paper published at Prineville, Crook County, Oregon, by order of the Hon. W. A. Booth, County Judge of said county.

Said order was made at Chambers, at Prineville, Crook County, Oregon, March 25th A. D. 1903. G. W. BARNES, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Crook county, Geo. W. Barnes, plff. vs. The Ochoco Gold Mining Co. deft.

To the Ochoco Gold Mining Company the above named Defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON,

You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff in the above entitled court on or before the 6th day of May, A. D. 1903, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer that the Plaintiff will take a judgement as prayed for in his complaint. That is to say, for a judgement for the sum of \$800 principal and for the further sum of \$250 interest thereon, and for the costs and disbursements of the action.

This Summons is published in the Crook County Journal, a weekly paper published at Prineville, Crook County, Oregon, by order of Hon. W. A. Booth, County Judge of said county.

Said order was made at Chambers, at Prineville, Crook County, Oregon, March 25th, A. D. 1903. G. W. BARNES, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Crook County, Josie Allison, Plff. vs. R. E. Allison, Deft.

To R. E. Allison, the above named Defendant: IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named Plaintiff, in the above entitled Court, on or before the first day of the next regular term of said Court, to-wit on or before May 4th A. D. 1903 and you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer that the Plaintiff will take a decree as prayed for in her complaint: That is to say, for an absolute decree of divorce forever, dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the Plaintiff and for the costs and disbursements of this suit.

This Summons is published in the Crook County Journal, a weekly paper published at Prineville, Oregon, by order of Hon. W. A. Booth, county judge of the said county.

Said order was made at chambers at Prineville, Crook County Oregon, February 24th A. D. 1903. GEO. W. BARNES, Atty. for Plff.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between A. B. Carey and W. R. Smith under the firm name and style of Carey and Smith has been dissolved, and that W. R. Smith will collect all bills due said firm and pay all the obligations thereof.

Dated March 28, 1903. A. B. CAREY, W. R. SMITH.

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