

MINES AND PLACERS

OF MINING PROGRESS IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST STATES.

Development and Improvement in the Various Districts—Great Increase of Eastern Oregon Mines.

BAKER CITY, March 30.—The time is now in the past when the old timers of this place could name every mine in Eastern Oregon, and tell how they had been done and how much they had taken from each.

Perhaps along no one line has the past opened up greater possibilities than in copper in Eastern Oregon. Gold being the money metal, and the fact that it can be sold everywhere, at any time, and in any quantity, great or small, is the one sought by all people; but copper is just as sure a sale when found in quantities that justify handling.

FOR PYRITIC SMELTING. Opinion of a German Scientist in Eastern Oregon. BAKER CITY, Or., March 30.—A good deal of interest is being shown by the mining men of Eastern Oregon regarding the smelting of the ores of this country.

BAKER CITY, refused a \$25,000 group of claims in the Baker district, which it is reported, is very rich copper ore on Clear Creek.

One great drawback in the district has been the immense amount of water encountered within a few feet of the surface and development work has been comparatively slow.

ONE YEAR AT BUFFALO HUMP. Half a Million Dollars Said to Have Been Expended There. It is not unreasonable to say that at least \$500,000 has been expended in the Buffalo Hump district within the first year of its discovery.

MINES OF BOISE BASIN. Much Activity Manifest and Results Satisfactory. Two placer claims, John Leary's at Macraville, and Ashcroft's near Idaho City, are being worked.

IN THE LAWTON DISTRICT. Permanent Rather Than Fabulous Values—Progress on the Claims. LAWTON, Or., March 28.—Wm. DeLapp, who has been for several months running a crosscut tunnel on his property on Spokane Mountain, told the vein a few days ago.

MOUNT BAKER MINES. Improvements Going Steadily Forward—Light Snowfall. Whatcom Reville. English & Co. will have 550 men at work on the Post-Lambert ledge, in the Mount Baker country, by July 1, according to R. S. Lambert, of Sumas.

GOLD ON PALOUSE RIVER. Colfax Gazette. On the headwaters of the North Palouse John H. Taylor and C. G. Taylor, of Farmington, three years ago discovered a ledge of gold, the floor of the famous Hoodoo placer mines, which for over 40 years have been producing the yellow metal.

men at work on the Vesivius group, and three shafts sunk on the ore body; one 12 foot, one 20 foot and the third 30 foot, and all of them in ore.

The Big Buffalo tunnel, now in over 100 feet, is keeping up its lick and advancing at the rate of about two feet per day, notwithstanding the fact that the rock is hard.

Negotiations are again pending for the Big Buffalo group by Chicago people, and it is currently reported that Charles Sweeney has been offered \$100,000 for his share in the property.

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There is no doubt in my mind that only hot blast can do good work on these ores, as the amount of sulphur in some is over 30 per cent and even more, even if it increases the cost of the smelting plant.

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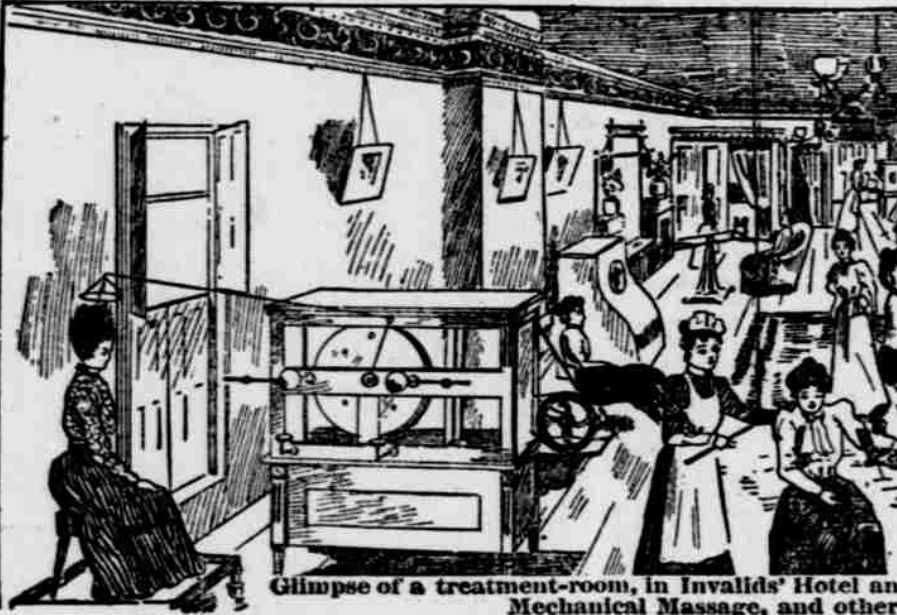


Partial view of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., with portrait of Dr. R. V. Pierce, Chief Consulting Physician.

A Maiden's Suffering. "It gives me much pleasure," writes Miss Ella Sapp, of Jamestown, Guilford Co., N. C., "to thank Dr. Pierce for the great good received from the use of his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery'."

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