

BOHEMIA OUT FOR BETTER EDDY LAW

Leads in Request That Excessive Burden in Oregon Be Removed.

WOULD HAVE LAWS LIKE OTHER WESTERN STATES

Manager F. J. Hard Up From Vesuvius With Part of Another Clean-Up.

Manager F. J. Hard of the Vesuvius, Riverside and Oregon-Colorado companies, Bohemia district, is spending the holidays here with his family. Incidentally he brought up a brick or two of bullion from the last cleanup. Excellent progress is reported at the property, especially at the Vesuvius, where the 10-stamp mill is in steady commission.

"We have an admirable plant," said the mine manager. "After the usual adjustments in commencing work, the mill settled down to pretty running, and the aerial tram is also a perfect haulage plant. The length of this tram is 2,000 feet, instead of 1,000, as has been stated several times. It is single track, and is able to furnish a far greater quantity of ore than our present mill could handle. We are crushing to 40 mesh at present, which I think will be the permanent practice, as we find the saving best when reducing to that size."

DIXIE MEADOWS WILL SINK ON MAIN SHOOT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Prairie City, Or., Dec. 28.—Sinking a shaft on the main ore shoot at the Dixie Meadows mine is the solution of the water problem advanced by the management, and on which work has probably been begun. Instead of sinking in barren ground, as was planned, a limited volume at the millsite, and the efforts to develop a larger flow from soft land above have not been entirely successful. The flow from the main shaft is strong, and it is believed that little additional depth will give all the water needed at the mill. The management will have to depend upon the pumps for oil, short periods in midwinter and late in the work will open the big ore shoot at greater depth than it has been explored, and will add greatly to the worth of the mine, if values are proven to continue well below the permanent water level.

AID ISOLATED MINES TO MAKE AN EXHIBIT

H. H. Nicholson, manager of the Standard mine, Grant county, who came to Portland to meet with exposition officials in regard to an exhibit of gold ore, was given assurance that a large quantity of the rare ore would be welcomed and given conspicuous place in the mines and mineral building. Mr. Nicholson urged the fair organizers to spend some of the more isolated districts in gathering ore, and was told that this would be done if possible. Many meritorious prospects are distant from railway lines, and the owners are poor, and unless they are aided in some way, they will not be able to get much of their ores out for exhibit purposes.

POPULAR LITIGATION ENDED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 28.—The litigation over the Lucky Jack group, Poplar creek, Laidlaw district, has been terminated. By the terms of the settlement the Great Northern mines, Ltd., transfers to Rutherford & Hanna 75,000 shares of the stock of the company, and they in turn transfer their title to the Lucky Jack group, which consists of the Lucky Jack and Lucky Three claims. The suit was the outgrowth of the discovery of the rich gold at Poplar creek. The Great Northern company will resume work immediately and hopes

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PORTLAND TRUST COMPANY OF OREGON, 109 THIRD STREET.

to have its 20-stamp mill in operation before spring.

BALLET IS SERVING TIME IN AN IOWA JAIL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Baker City, Or., Dec. 28.—C. H. Stuller, manager of the White Swan Mines company, Ltd., has returned from a trip to Texas and other southern states, states that Letson Ballet, the original promoter of the White Swan company is serving time in the Red Oak jail of Iowa, under the 90-day imprisonment with sentence of the federal district court of Iowa. Ballet made many efforts to have this part of the sentence mitigated, but without avail. The promoter is not depressed but says that he has a large amount of mining work to look after when he gets out.

Manager Stuller says that the stockholders of the White Swan company are paying up their assessments rapidly. L. J. Lyke of Chicago, D. B. A. Weirich of Galena, Ill., and Ole Scar of Lake Mills, Iowa, compose the board of management. The management will begin work on the mine next spring.

OFF CORPORATION FORMED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Jacksonville, Or., Dec. 28.—Following early tests the Opp 10-stamp mill near this city is doing full duty, with results said to be satisfactory to the management. The plant is in shape to run steadily, and will give a good account of itself, as equipment is modern in every respect, and electrical energy is furnished at an economical figure. The ownership of the property is vested in the Opp Mining company, of which Dr. J. F. Reddy, J. W. Opp and F. T. Perry are the incorporators. Articles of incorporation have just been filed, the capital stock being fixed at \$100,000.

BORING FOR WATER

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Baker City, Or., Dec. 28.—Manager W. J. Vinson of the Emma mine, reports that the boring apparatus sinking a well at his mine, 75 feet past the 100-foot level, and making 12 to 15 feet a day. The formation hardened at depth, but the country rock is well known, as the Virtus shaft near has a vertical depth of more than 300 feet. By means of this work the management at the Emma knows about where a good flow of water will be encountered, and will press the work steadily.

WIFE ORE SOLD

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 28.—G. W. Hughes of the Lucky Jim mine, Skocan, has closed a deal for the sale of 2,000 tons of zinc ore to Bachelor Bros. of Spokane. Of the total, 1,200 tons will be crude ore and 800 tons will be concentrates. The concentrates contain 6 per cent zinc and 5 per cent lead. The sale was made at a flat price.

GOLD IN OLD MILL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Redding, Cal., Dec. 28.—The quartz mill on the Sunny Hill mine near here, has yielded \$1,440 of unexpected wealth to the owners. The mill was idle for years but the company working the mine decided to start it again. Men were put at work to repair the plant, and the one assigned to clean the plates preparatory to recovering the quicksilver lost there recovered amalgam of the value indicated.

WAR BREAKS OUT IN THE SEATTLE THEATRE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Seattle, Dec. 28.—War has broken out at the Seattle theatre during the absence of Manager J. P. Howe in the east. Acting Manager A. M. DeLisser has discharged James Nell and his wife, known as Edith Chapman. The notice to close was served late yesterday afternoon, fixing Saturday night when all relations shall cease. The trouble is due to the refusal of Nell to recognize DeLisser's authority back of the curtain. Nell in reply presents two affidavits, signed by members of his company, to the effect that DeLisser has stated that his object in coming to Seattle was to disrupt the Nell company, break up the business, job Manager Howe out of the theatre and turn the house over to the Orpheum circuit.

CIGAR SMOULDERERS CAUGHT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Seattle, Dec. 28.—Custom Inspector Loftus yesterday seized over 300 cigars and several cans of opium smuggled into the country by the Chinese crew which the steamship Minnesota took aboard at Victoria. On Sunday one of the crew offered cigars for sale to visitors on the boat. This led to an investigation. Inspector Loftus says this is the first time in years that the crew of an oriental liner have been known to smuggle.

WAGNER MARSHES INSTALL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Dec. 28.—Royal Arch chapter, the Blue Lodge and the Eastern Star installed officers last night. The installing officer for the chapter was L. N. Roney, for the Blue Lodge E. M. Moran, and for the star Mrs. Robert Pratt.

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M'KINLEY THINKS INDICTMENT SURE

Predicts Indictment of Mitchell and Hermann and Other Prominent People.

"BIG GUNS OVERPAID" IN DIVISION OF SPOILS

States That Coup Was Planned to Leave Small Fry at Bottom of Heap.

From the Seattle Times. Horace G. McKinley of Portland, who, with other persons, has been indicted by the federal grand jury on the charge of defrauding the government in connection with the Oregon land office frauds, is a guest of the Rainier Grand. In an interview he makes the following statements: "Senator Mitchell will likely be indicted. "Congressman Hermann is in the same boat. "If that prove true, then the political end of the Mitchell party in Oregon, which has dominated the state for years, is now in sight. "Some one, or some people, will go behind the bars. "There are as big, if not bigger, guns than Senator Mitchell who are yet to be heard from. "The frauds are most extensive and have been going on for years. "Yes, I was mixed up in them," said McKinley. "The Oregon press declares we 'squealed' and that we have been promised immunity from all prosecution. That I brand as a deliberate falsehood. What little information we gave the representatives of the government was given simply because the big guns, the ones who had been overpaid when it came to a division of the spoils, had planned a very clever coup in which they were very much at the bottom of the heap. Self-preservation may be the first law of nature, but it sometimes counts the most to the fellow that gets there last. Anyway, in a case of that kind, a man never makes anything by trying to shoulder the blame onto the other fellow. "They were 'overpaid.' "Personally I know nothing about either Mitchell or Hermann. I merely know they were 'overpaid.' "Yes," he added with a short laugh, "they were 'overpaid.' "If it's a fair question, how did you happen to get mixed up in this deal?" asked the reporter. "Mr. McKinley laughed a little, and ran his fingers through his wealth of black hair. He then pulled his neckerchief had down over his eyes, and intently studied the tiling on the floor of the hotel office. Finally he said: "It's a pretty long story, but—oh, well, you know. Land laws were pretty lax down there, and well, anyway, you can safely put a bet down that frauds have been committed, all right, and just between you and me, the indictments will not stop with Mitchell and Hermann, not by a long way."

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RESTRAINING ORDER IS ISSUED AGAINST JUDGE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Seattle, Dec. 28.—The supreme court of the state has issued a restraining order against Judge Bell, who retired from the bench January 3, from distributing or paying Administrator O'Brien any funds from the estate of the late John Sullivan. It is returnable January 12. Several months ago Judge Bell allowed a claim for services, amounting to \$20,000, to Administrator O'Brien. The su-

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