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BULLION REGAINED WAS ONLY A SMALL PORTION

Management Has Been Checking Up Between Assay Office and the Clean-Up.

(Special Dispetch to The Journal.)
Juneau, Alaska, April 21.—The arrest
of L. A. Freestone, amalgamator at the
Treadwell 240-atamp mill, on Douglas
sland, has caused more than ordinary
nterest, first because he is an old emloye and next from the fact that the
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interest, first because he is an old omploye and next from the fact that the
management says heavy losses have
been sustained for two years. After
the arrest of Mrs. Preestone in Seattle,
where she deposited \$860 worth of bullion in z local bank, Preestone was
aken in custody here, and when his
slace was searched, a retort was found
in the house, where he had been reducing the amaigam. He said that he had
sen taking amaigam but a short time,
at the management believes Preestone
railty of more serious thefts.

It developed in the preliminary hearing of Preestone that the Treadwell
company has been working for two
wars in the effort to chock up the loss
a the mills, and that the stealing has
sen confined to the \$40 and one other
still Last mouth the total shortage
in the \$40 mill alone amounted to 500
smoss, or a total value of \$5.00, the
susagam being worth \$5.00 an ounce.

There is a complete check system bemean the same, value of the ore fed to
he mill and the clean-up, minus the
mount lost in the slimes. In the \$40
mill the clean-up was finished Wedneslay for this mouth and there is aleady an established shortage of \$30
times.

Two years are the management had

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ERECTING BUILDINGS

Initian, Alaska, April 31.—Manarancis Clarno, of the American Marbie company, which is open-casery on Prince of Wales island, ling large quantities of material solve at Dolomi, where he is generally buildings to accombine the crow and to prosecute the He has been shipping lumber are by barge, towing with a spacere by barge, towing with a spac his marble will take the fin and it is said the preliminary pened many colorings.

EQUITY MAY ENLARGE THE MILLING PLANT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Prairie City, Alaska, April 21.—Manager W. J. Hughes was at the Equity mine recently looking over the property, where everything is in readiness for the season run. A rumor was current to the effect that the Equity company would put in a larger mill the present year, but the management has not been quoted in this respect yet. It is known that the result of work the past winter has been highly satisfactory, and that there is more than enough are to keep the five-stamp plant busy for months. The general belief locally is that a larger mill is to be put in this year, but no definite statement can be made of this fact yet.

While driving back to Baker City. Mr. Hughes' vehicle was overturned near Austin, and he was injured pather seriously. The extent of the injury is not know here yet, but a understood to have been a fracture of one arm.

BELLMAN TO TESTIFY IN CALIFORNIA SUIT

L. R. Bellman, manager of the Turnsgain Arm Mining company, operating the California, Cracker-Oregon and Cracker Jack properties of eastern Oregon, passed through the city yesterday en route to Minneapolis, the home city of the company, where he has been called in a suit involving certain interests of the California. He will be absent but a short time, returning direct to Sumpter.

Operations in the mountain districts were never brighter, says Mr. Bellman. All work has settled down to the substantial order, and the mine owners are mental order, and the mine owners are necessing their tournage for the Sumpter mediter, which has had a wonderful influence in quickening production everywhere. The general air of the district s encouraging, and it is the belief that his year will see the best results in a naterial way ever witnessed in the Blue mountains.

PRAIRIE DIGGINGS IS IN ACTIVE LIST AGAIN

Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
rairie City, Or., April 21.—Superintient Joseph Waddell of the Prairie gings is opening that property for heavy work. A crow of 10 men has a taken to the mine, and it is the post to double this number as soon the shaft workings are unwatered work on the two main levels can be an. It is also said that Superintent Waddell will sink the shaft 400 500 feet; it is about 100 feet deep, a two levels. The three large veins sing the Frairie Dismings group be evened and drifted on in the private, stopes will be opened, and a this is accompilated, the manage-

capacity.

Two of the Prairie Dissings veins have a width of 20 to 50 feet where opened at the surface, and in the surface work are said to have had quite uniformly distributed values, which averaged low grade. The third vein is narrower; and in all work done there had higher values. All milling done there in the past was from adits, where little depth could be attained, and the commercial reserve was quickly exhausted. It is believed that when the shaft workings connect with the three ore bodies, so that the higher grade rock from the small vein may be mixed with the masses of low grade stuff from the big veins, the entire milling plant can be kept constantly busy and will yield a good margin of profit.

TREE COPPER IS BICK.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
John Day, Or., April 21.—Copper is
being opened in a new district 15 miles
from Izee, a small town of Grant county. from Izee, a small town of Grant county. The first specimens brought in were exceptionally rich, some carrying the native metal in considerable proportion. One specimen had a large nugget of native copper, and it is said by those who have guined information of the new properties that all surface work is encouraging. Several local men are interested, and some bave gone to the district to prosecute development. Quartzburg of this county, and a southerly extension of the Blue Mountain mineral zone, is the most promising copper district opened in eastern Oregon, save the territory near Snake river, adjacent to the Seven Devils and at Imnsha.

MINING WEAD TAXILMA.

William E. Curtis, son of Professor Curtis of Sellwood, has returned after a considerable period in northern California, where he and associates have been prosecuting work on a group of copper prespects. The group is near the workings of the Waldo and Takilma companies just over the state line. Mr. Curtis brought in some good specimens of oxide ores, and says that arrangements are being made to have more extensive development done.

BIG EXHIBIT FROM BENTON SCHOOLS

Display of Finest Polished Oregon Woods Aranged by Pupils for Fair.

part of the school exhibit

Corvallis' public schools have furnished a complete schibit demonstrating the features of the course of study. With each subject treated there is an attractive frontispiece of pen and ink work, the work of a scudent, damong the pen and ink drawings is also a set illustrating the life and career of the well-known eastern Oregon Indian, Webb Testament. Sketches of the hop fields in pen and ink are also a part of the Corvallis exhibit.

The Alsea schools have sent the story of Hiswatha illustrated in needle work. Drawings and needlework have been received from districts No. 43 and 74, near Albany.

Maps came from King's Valley, from Monroe, Summit, Wella, Glodgett and others.

BANK WAS INSOLVENT WHEN IT WAS ABSORBED

Gournal Special Service.)

Baker City, April 21.—Joseph Reed, receiver of the defunct Bank of Sumpter, for the looting of which Rey H. Miller was recently brought back here, said last night that his attorneys were not worrying as to the outcome and while the defrauded depositors might not get all that was coming to them, there certainly would be much more than supposed. Miller on returning here refused to have anything to do with uncle, J. W. Scriber, the La Grande banker. Notwithstanding the lack of cordiality, Scriber secured bonds for the young man and also an attorney.

The expert's work has revealed the fact that the bank was really insolvent when Miller took it over, but it had been baited and the necessaity for covering shortages in the other bank of which he was cashier and his uncle president caused him to reach for the bait.

EVANGELISTS PREACH IN NOTORIOUS RESORT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Seattle, April 21.—Dr. Chapman and his band of evangelists took possession of the Strand theatra, formerly the notorious Comique in the tenderioin district, shortly before midnight Wednesday and for two hours prayers, song and sermon took the place of gandy variety. It was a scene never before seen in the restricted district and the police were forced to prevent 3,000 or more people attempting to crush their way into the place after standing room had all been taken up.

VIGOROUS ACTION BY SHANIKO OFFICIALS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Shaniko, Or., April 21.—Gamblers and others of the sporting class that have been thick here this spring are beginning to leave the city owing to the visorous action being taken by the mayor and council that law and order must prevail.

prevail.

Four left yesterday on orders received and more are to follow

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Stylish Easter Suits and Topcoats \$15.00

E ASTER SUNDAY is without doubt the greatest day of the year for dress, and while everybody is desirous of looking their best on that day, still many people are perplexed regarding the means for gratifying that desire without extravagant expenditure. For people of moderate means who wish to appear as well dressed as their neighbors and friends we have prepared a special offering in men's fine suits and topcoats at a most reasonable price. The suits are cut in single and double breasted sack styles from finest worsteds, tweeds and plain black Tibets. The topcoats are made of the finest coverts in plain and striped effects. A few weeks ago we would have asked several dollars more for these garments, but in order to make choice of either suit or topcoat tomorrow \$15.00

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