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A BIG FIND OF COAL

At Headwaters of Willow Creek.

SIX FOOT MEASURE

Strike of the Heppner Railroad & Coal Company.

FAULT HAS DISAPPEARED

All Doubts as to Existence of Field Have Been Removed--Prospects Improving--First-Class Coal Found.

Heppner was thrown into a flurry of excitement Monday evening, when C. E. Redfield, Geo. W. Wells and J. S. Crooks arrived in this city and brought the good news that miners in tunnel No. 5, at the Heppner Railroad and Coal Company's mine, had made a big strike on Sunday afternoon, by opening up a six-foot seam of clean and pure coal.

Ever since, the miners have been taking out coal, and Messrs. Redfield, Wells and Crooks brought down with them as much as could be hauled in a light wagon, which is now on exhibition.

Everybody wanted to see the coal and eager crowds assembled to hear the news, which was carried rapidly over the town.

The measure was opened up at a tunnel depth of 240 feet, and appeared a little nearer the surface than was expected. The slight faults caused by slips of the mountain side, have entirely disappeared and the true measure, undisturbed, is now in sight, ready for the miners to work upon. Indications now are that the seam will be seven feet in thickness at a little greater depth.

For some time this seam has been the most promising of any in the field, but what the other prospects will show when as great a depth has been reached as in No. 5, remains to be seen.

Geo. W. Wells, who is in the interest of the O. R. & N., is very reticent about the outlook, but that he was pleased with the accounts as reported, and intimated that No. 5 was a very desirable property.

Tunnel No. 9 is beginning to show up in a manner that is very encouraging. At tunnel depth of 140 feet one foot of solid coal has appeared with a growth every 6 feet of about one inch. It is the opinion of an expert that with 50 feet more of penetration will take the tunnel through all breaks. Good results are expected from No. 9, equal to any in the field.

Miners in No. 3 are now working in a bad break which will take three or four days to get through.

The strike in No 5 now settles almost beyond doubt the existence of coal in large quantities in the Willow creek basin. The outcome of the prospects has been looked to with great interest in Eastern Oregon, and the news that the coal has been found will be hailed with delight.

For the proving of this field the Heppner Railroad and Coal Company has expended a large sum of money, and success has been the reward.

Naturally the promoters of the Arbuckle Coal & Transportation Co., and the Matteson Coal Company, all composed of Heppner people, feel elated over the big strike in the Willow creek basin. In speaking of the matter, a prominent member of the Arbuckle company said to the GAZETTE:

"We believe that we are in this same field and the coal very likely extends from the Willow creek basin to our property."

Work at the Arbuckle mines which has been in progress for the past two months has been closed down on ac-

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count of snow and winter weather. This company has two good prospects. One tunnel is in 40 feet and already some good coal has been taken out. Another tunnel is in 20 feet and a slight fault has been encountered.

The Arbuckle mines are only 23 miles from Heppner and there is a good road to these prospects.

The Matteson mines which are to the southwest of the Willow creek basin, were worked 20 years ago. The owners of this property also feel encouraged over the Willow creek discovery. The Matteson people have also abandoned work until spring.

Geo. Wells recently visited both the Arbuckle and Matteson properties but the snow was too deep for close inspection.

Coal brought in from the Willow creek mines from tests shows to be a first class article, free from sulphur and a good coking coal.

LOSSES BY FIRE.

\$12,767,100 in the States of Oregon and Washington.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The Bureau of Forestry, after a careful examination by a field agent, estimates that September forest fires in Oregon and Washington caused a total loss of \$12,767,100, of which \$3,910,000 fell in Oregon. This includes the value of timber, farm property and sawmills and their products which were destroyed. Owing to its nearness to market, however, much of the burned timber in Oregon will be saved, reducing the total loss as above set forth. It was found that eighty-six Oregon families were rendered homeless while 200 others suffered partial losses. In that state farm property worth \$315,000 was burned, and sawmills suffered losses aggregating \$149,000. It is estimated that 2,124,000,000 feet of standing timber went up in smoke in Oregon, largely Douglas fir, spruce cedar and hemlock. The total loss in timber alone was over \$3,000,000. In all, 170,000 acres were burned over, all of which save 50,000, were well timbered.

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In Washington 434,000 acres were burned over. The timber was fully as heavy as the Oregon timber, and of better quality. It is estimated that 5,026,800,000 feet of Douglas spruce alone was killed, representing a value of \$5,026,800. Other timber to the value of \$725,000 was destroyed. The total loss in Cowlitz, Clark and Skamania counties, where the fires were most disastrous, was \$6,600,800, and in the other burned areas, \$2,256,300.

A singular train of circumstances combined to make the fires so destructive. Not only was the summer very dry, but the two preceding summers were wet in May and June, thus interfering with the burning of slashings and allowing an unusual amount of debris to accumulate. The most direct cause was carelessness. This is shown distinctly by the fact that practically no damage was done in the Cascade forest reserve, which is patrolled by forest rangers.

A Startling Surprise.

Very few could believe in look at A. T. Hoadly, a healthy, robust blacksmith of Tilden, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from Rheumatism as few could endure and live. But a wonderful change followed his taking Electric Bitters. "Two bottles wholly cured me," he writes, "and I have not felt a twinge in over a year." They regulate the kidneys, purify the blood and cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Nervousness, improve digestion and give perfect health. Try them. Only 50 cents at Slocum Drug Co's.