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## SALMON MOUNTAIN MINES. A Most Promising Property in Process of Active Development.

Not many of our readers are aware of the extent of operations being carried on at the Salmon Mountain mining property, situated in extreme southern Coos county near the dividing line between Coos and Curry. This property, owned by what is known as the Salmon Mountain Coarse Gold Mining Company, of which Orval Dodge, one of our widely known and respected pioneer citizens, is secretary and manager, has been in a state of active development for five years past, and there are at least indications of abundant reward for the efforts put forth.

But little has been published with reference to the mine, yet the pecuniary benefits resultant from the work carried on have long been felt by business men of Myrtle Point, Coquille and elsewhere. The writer had recently the pleasure of a visit to Salmon Mountain, and his vague and half confident conception of what was there to be revealed was very effectively strengthened soon after arrival. There is no longer any doubt that the company have a good thing—a big thing, in fact, when the machinery requisite in reducing the ore shall have been installed, the advent of which will be the signal for increased prosperity, permanent in its nature, in the southern part of Coos county.

On a direct line the mine is but eighteen miles south of Myrtle Point though as the road traverses it is full 32 miles and about six miles from Eckley, in northwest Curry. A crew of men has been steadily employed, and, without exception, the skilled workmen who have delved in some of the most noted gold producing properties of the world are enthusiastic over the outlook hereat presented.

The mine embraces ten placer and two quartz claims, besides a quartz and a placer claim located on Johnson creek recently, a short distance from the main works. One tunnel 800 feet long has passed through 40 feet of ore that assays \$5 to the ton, and it is not yet through, and mining men estimate that they are approaching a contact that will show up the mother lode of this noted region. Beside the immense body of ore opening up in the tunnel the assayer called the writer's attention to thousands of tons of ledge matter that had been uncovered in the placer operations, which matter from a careful test had revealed good milling ore.

The placer mine has been worked since about 1866, being purchased by the present company in 1903, and the pioneer settlers figure that it has yielded from \$100,000 to \$200,000, notwithstanding but a small space not to exceed one acre has been worked out. Wonderful pan prospects are found on the remaining ground, showing conclusively that under the present management a quartz as well as a placer mine of great value has been developed. A first-class assayer in the person of Ross C. Deyoe is regularly employed on the premises with a complete outfit for carrying on his work, but the manager of the property has even gone to the trouble of having outside tests made as well. Some time ago he snipped samples of ore to the Selby smelter at San Francisco, getting returns that disclosed \$75 to the ton. Other assays have shown very high values, some going to the lofty figure of \$600 per ton. The richest ores were gotten from the many veins that seem to penetrate all through the huge sombre mountain. In addition to the 800-foot tunnel above mentioned there are six others of various lengths, all of which have produced more or less ore of acknowledged richness.

The mine is situated at a considerable altitude on a spur of lofty

Salmon Mountain, and there is a commanding view of the surrounding country during transparent atmosphere. A tributary of the Coquille river flows near. The property is well watered, and an abundance of timber is at hand. The company has at present a small quartz mill, pulverizer and concentrator; also a saw mill of minimum capacity, all operated by power furnished from a six-horse steam engine. A blacksmith shop and assay office also stand among the cluster of buildings that ornament the elevation. In the country adjacent are several smaller mines and prospects, all of which appear to be bringing their owners good returns.

A visit to Salmon Mountain at this season of the year is well worth the pains of the sightseer, a journey that mining men of experience in particular make when on a trip through the county. We opine that the near future will show the place to be one of the important gold-producing properties of the rich and developing West.

### County Court Proceedings.

Continued from last week.

In Re Special Road Improvement R D No 6

Going & Harvey, hardware 2 40  
J H Price, meat 7 21  
P E Larson, groceries 18 50  
C A Rodine, groceries 11 75  
Alfred Rodine hauling freight 25 00  
Alfred Tyberg, butter 15 60  
C E Edwards, freight 5 75  
S C Rogers, beef 19 88

In Re Ferries,

Levi Nichols, ferryman, Coquille salary 90 00  
Ira Albee, ferryman South Slough salary 80 00

A N Gould, maps, plans, etc E Mild ferry etc 37 50

In Re Miscellaneous Expenses

A N Gould, labor, Assessor's office 15 00

Laura M Wise, Ex 8th grade Mas. 9 00

Minnie Hermann, same 9 00

Ida E Gamble, same 9 00

Remington Typewriter Co cabinet and machine, Supt. Office 146 50

L H Hazard, Ins. Prem. 35 00

Chas W Small, cleaning machine 13 90

C B R E R & N Co, ftr on books etc 2 90

R S Knowlton, sundries Court House 30 30

Glass & Prudhomme, Type chairs etc 13 45

J G Fish 2 tables Sheriff's Office 9 50

W C Laird, matting 32 50

Quick's Exchange, book racks 2 00

Pearl Bros, coal 116 50

Elmer Flanders, hauling rubbish 3 00

Mansell Drayage Co draying 4 75

I H Mehl & Co hardware 3 95

J A Lamb, hardware 9 35

Waltermier Bros, labor Ct House yard 45 00

McAdams Bros, hinges 6 00

W W Gage, board of prisoners 139 28

G A Robinson, sundries for prisoners 2 10

S B Cathcart, re-establishing corners 12 00

Z T Johnson, truant officer 20 00

H W Dunham, truant officer 10 00

Coquille Livery Co, posting election notices etc 22 00

Charles Myers, bailiff tax sale 56 40

Geo W Beale refund etc 11 25

Coquille Electric Co, lights to July 1st 17 00

In Re J P Courts, Concluded.

State VS Hatcher

E G D Holden, J P fees 4 30

Josephine Hatcher, witness 1 70

J E Perrott, Const fees 4 45

In Re Officers Salaries etc

W H Bunch, salary Supt. postage etc 260 73

C A Johnson, labor Sheriff's Office 125 62

W W Gage, special Dep hire 83 90

W Culin, health office 41 78

A G Thrift, labor Assessors office 126 00

J S Lawrence, labor Assessors office 110 00  
Belle Thrift, labor Assessors office 15 00  
Kathryn C Wells, labor Assessors office 180 00  
Jotty Watson, labor Clerk's office 82 50  
Ray Collier, labor Clerk's office 113 75  
Bessie Walker, labor Clerk's office 80 00  
R H Mast, labor Clerk's office 132 12  
M G Pohl, Fruit inspector Roads and Bridges 214 25  
Wm Ingersoll, labor R D 8 87 35  
Joe McCahy, labor R D 8 83 35  
W H Noble, R D 8 63 30  
Peter Menegat, labor R D 8 51 00  
Ole Oleson, labor R D 8 21 00  
Julius Larsen, for making canal R D 2 1900 60  
A Davis, for labor in R D H R Reed, on account Marshfield ferry 100 00  
C A Smith Lumber & Mfg Co lumber for Mfd ferry 422 75  
Levi Nichols, pike pole etc for Coquille ferry Coquille Wood & Coal Yard, team hire 4 00

### Officers Etc

Geo Hartley, for horse drowned, Coquille ferry 75 00

S B Klahn & Co, Justice Docket 19 50

John F Hall, salary as Judge, 2 months 166 66

E A Anderson, salary as Commissioner 139 10

Lloyd Spires, salary as Commissioner 105 10

W T Dement, salary as Commissioner 26 80

State of Oregon: } ss.  
County of Coos: }

I, James Watson, County Clerk, ex-officio Clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Coos, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct synopsis of the bills of expense audited and ordered paid by the County Court at the July, 1908, term of said Court, and of the whole thereof as the same appears upon the Journals of said Court now in my office and custody.

Witness my hand and official seal of said Court affixed this 15th day of July, 1908.

(Seal.) JAMES WATSON,  
County Clerk, ex-officio Clerk of County Court for Coos County, Ore.

### Get Ready for Colonist Rates

The colonist rates from all points in the East to all points in Oregon commence September 1 and continue until October 31. Every commercial organization and every citizen of Oregon should begin to make these rates the subject of every letter that goes out of the state. The fare is \$30 from Missouri River points, St. Paul, Duluth and Winnipeg; \$33 from St. Louis and \$38 from Chicago with proportionate rates from every point in the United States.

### Account For Bryan.

Little Helen had been having some simple "star lessons" at school, and one night begged her father to come outdoors with her and see how many constellations she could name.

"There, papa," she cried, "are the Great Bear and the Little Bear, and there, winding in and out between them, is the Dragon which guarded the golden apples. That group that looks like a broken-backed chair is Cassiopeia. She was so pretty that the sea nymphs were all jealous of her and Jupiter put her up in the skies." She paused suddenly and turned to the southeast, where Orion blazed in glory.

"And that papa," she continued with some hesitation, "is Bryane—and how did he get there?"—Harper's Weekly.

### She Likes Good Things

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Franklin, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers sold at R. S. Knowlton's drug store. 25.

### BASE BALL SCHED LE.

Following is the schedule of the Coos County League for the balance of the season:

AT COQUILLE  
Coquille vs. Marshfield Aug. 16  
Coquille vs. Bandon Aug. 30

AT MARSHFIELD  
Marshfield vs. Coquille Aug. 9  
Marshfield vs. Bandon Aug. 23  
Marshfield vs. North Bend Sept. 6

AT NORTH BEND  
North Bend vs. Bandon Aug. 9  
North Bend vs. Coquille Aug. 23  
North Bend vs. Marshfield Aug. 30

AT Bandon  
Bandon vs. North Bend Aug. 16  
Bandon vs. Coquille Sept. 6

Summer complaints and other serious ailments common in hot weather can be traced to the stomach nine times out of ten. Keep the stomach in good order right now by keeping a bottle of Kodol handy in the house all the time. Take Kodol whenever you feel that you need it. That is the only time you need to take Kodol. Just when you need it; then you will not be troubled with sour stomach, belching, gas on the stomach, bloating, dyspepsia and indigestion. Pp 8 by R. S. Knowlton.

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### Notice

Notice is hereby given that all persons owing bills for board and lodging at Hotel Coquille are requested to come forward and settle the same with the undersigned at once.

MRS. M. A. TUPPER  
Coquille, Oregon, July 28, 1908.

### For Sale

Ranch of 160 acres grass land, 100 acres fenced and sown to tame grass, some good meadow. Plenty of good running water, some fruit, Fair house, other out buildings on good road. Three miles from store and post office, at landing on the Coquille River.

Price \$10.00 per acre. Time will be allowed on part payment if desired; or a good true team of young horses of not less than 1250 lb's each will be taken at a reasonable price.

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### FOR SALE.

A good dairy ranch, five miles below Bandon. A fine chance for anyone wishing to go into the dairy business. 30 or 40 acres of good beaver dam land; 160 acres in all. A fine stream of water running through the place, plenty of fish, being near Boak lake, plenty of fruit and berries, also near the ocean and Sunset City addition to Bandon, good roads school handy. commands fine views of the Ocean, well broken from winds, shell fishing handy. Old age cause of wishing to sell. For particulars see Ed Taylor, on the place.

### Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold.

A. S. Nusbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success. E. J. Slocum

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