SUMPTER SAMPLER

PROPOSITION WILL BE SUBMITTED THE NEXT WEEK.

Messrs. Arthur and Fritz are Pushing the Sumpter Enterprise—Visit Benefits which Sumpter, Miners in a Small Way and the District Generally will Derive from Such an Institution.

Now that Sumpter is taking the lead as a mining camp, with the installation of banking houses, hardware and general supply houses, for the accommodation of the miners and the miners' families, the surrounding mines and prospectors of the Sumpter district, which has divided paying mines for a distance of twenty miles east, and forty miles north and south, with this as the only natural outlet and trading point, it would seem that the time has arrived for this town to provide miners of small capital that securely assist in their success, sample works.

With the increased mining energy that has recently taken place, six mines have passed the experimental or prospect stage and demonstrated without a doubt that they are substantial mines. There are now in course of erection on these six different plants, reducing plants varying from twenty to sixty tons daily capacity. There are scores of other projects that are in active stages of development, showing high grade ore in varying quantities, which means increased shipments and concentrates to the different smelting points.

This being the favorable condition of affairs, Messrs. Arthur, Fritz, and H. H. Fritz, a recent arrival from Republic, Washington, to meet the demand of large workshops having ores of the highest grade and concentrates to ship, will endeavor to A before the local public and business men of Sumpter a sample proposition in the form of a stock company, to buy ores and bullion outright or half on commission, with a first-class irrevocable in connection, prepared to make assaying and mining tests in all branches. The advantage in holding a sampling is at Sumpter are that the latter will be kept on the lookout for there are scores of prospectors developing their mines who take out more or less shipping ore, varying from one to two tons and two tons a month, who cannot now ship at a profit small lots, that the fact that they have not the means to hold out long enough to take out considerable lots, therefore they are unable to get carload rates and reduced shipping charges, that a sampler would get ty ship- ping in quantities. By having a sampler here the miners would have in from one to two tons of ore, get their money in twenty-four hours, buy provisions and mining supplies and go back to their properties, turn out more and continue developing their mines.

Again, there is a call every day from mining men in quest of an office or sampler to get down and sample large lots of ore, from 100 to 1000 tons, which gives them a better average of a mine than a hand sample. Therefore, the business will be a paying one and the demand must be met. The reason of interesting the citizens of the enterprise is to get their cooperation and guarantee to the mining public that the business will be run on a strictly legitimate basis, as the books will be open for inspection at any time, and a report made to the stockholders monthly.

Messrs. Arthur & Fritz will get out a prospectors or report by next week and present same to the business men of Sumpter, who should give the enterprise their hearty support, as it will encourage the leasing of ground to mining companies, that is so successfully carried on at other mining camps. A pamphlet of information will be issued, figuring and explaining the cost of transportation and treatment of ores from the various districts, which will be circulated around the mines, enabling prospectors to tell the grade of ores that will be profitable to treat.

Sumpter Valley R. R. Offices Excursion.

A special train came up to Sumpter Monday afternoon bearing President Daniel Eccles, Vice President C. W. Noble, Superintendent F. M. Shuttler, and a party of friends and visiting guests, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Smith, of the first bishops of the Mormon church, Bishop George Bonney, W. W. Winter, and H. H. Young, the latter being cashier of the Desert National bank of Salt Lake. The trip was made more for pleasure and sight seeing than for business, and the excursionists took their departure, after a few hours stay, well pleased with what they saw in this progressive metropolis.

Opereata at Ella Opera House.

The operatic entertainment given by Rochester local talent before a Sumpter audience Saturday evening was well attended, highly appreciated and generously applauded, as it certainly deserved to be, and the many favorite expressions would indicate a hearty reception when the entertainers see fit to return to Sumpter. The orchestra, under the direction of Professor William Purdy, first violin, Miss Emma Barton, pianist, Sam Purdy, bass voice, G. R. Fruhe, clarinet, and A. G. Littleton, cornet, deserve special mention.

Annyer to locate at Granite.

E. H. Levy, a skilled assayman and mining man of wide experience, has secured a building at Granite and will soon open an assay office there. Mr. Levy has had, for a number of years in the Southwest, in western Washington and Alaska. Since last January he has been in business, examining many properties, but has failed to find what he wanted. Mr. Levy arrived in Sumpter last week, took a trip through the hills and returned to hole, location, after his suit, to be here again, in a few days, accompanied by Mrs. Levy. While in the mountains he tied up two properties for a short time, it being thought he is acting for friends on Paquet Sound and parties in Boise.

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