

BONDED FOR \$25,000

Littlefield's Ranch, Mines and Water Rights Involved.

David Littlefield, of Auburn, has bonded his ranch, placer mines and water rights, taking most of Elk creek, to Charles S. Warren and W. L. Vinson, of Sumpter.

The figures are withheld, but \$25,000 is supposed to be the consideration involved.

This is considered the best placer property in eastern Oregon, and the ranch property is one of the best in Baker county.

The water rights are of great value.

Reported Rich Strike in the Free Coinage.

The expectations of V. A. Schilling and Ed Cannon, owners of the Free Coinage mine, adjoining the Golconda, have at last been realized. A report from the mine, received in this city yesterday, announces the discovery of a vein of free gold quartz similar in every respect to that of the Golconda. This strike was made at the drift being run at a depth of 300 feet from the mouth of the tunnel. This cross cut is about 33 feet wide and six feet of it carries ore that gives an assay of \$146.38 to the ton, the rest of it averaging about \$18 to the ton. Messrs. Schilling and Cannon are very much pleased with the showing their property is making, and it would take a great deal, perhaps, to tempt them to dispose of their mine. They sold a small interest some time ago, and the proceeds of this sale is sufficient to enable them to thoroughly open up the mine and erect a mill. The Free Coinage was taken hold of as a prospect about the middle of last summer.—Portland Telegram.

Golconda's Latest Clean-up.

Mr. John T. English, manager and part owner of that reliable gold producer, the great Golconda mine, came in by last evening's S. V. R. train, bringing with him for deposit in the bank a sum in gold which would be a fortune for most men, if carefully and considerately handled. Manager English brought with him, so it is authoritatively stated, about \$10,000. This output is from a few days run of the new Bryan mill, and can scarcely be called the result of a full months mining operation. The output is very satisfactory to Messrs. J. G. and J. T. English, owners of the Golconda, who are beginning to reap the reward of their confidence in the Golconda and the Baker county gold fields.—Baker City Democrat.

Made \$15,000 Here in One Year.

John Rohrman, a brother of Charles Rohrman, the groceryman, went to Sumpter in September, 1898, and engaged in the brewing business, and bought a little real estate, investing \$1400, all told. He sold his property there a couple of weeks ago for \$7000. As business was good with him for the fifteen months while there, he cleaned up about \$10,000 in cold cash during that period. He left last Saturday for Austria, his fatherland, expecting to be absent a few months.—Pendleton Republican.

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