

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robbins are at the Concord mine this week.

Richard Hinton, of The Dalles, is here visiting his brother John J. Jr.

F. J. Conroy returned some days since from Idaho, where he had been for several weeks.

John Gagen has succumbed to the prevailing fad and bought a dozen Belgian hares, all registered.

Mr. Bush, of New Orleans, brother-in-law of Paul Poindexter, visited the camp a portion of last week.

Attorney Richards returned today from La Grande, where he had been on business before the United States land office.

E. J. Dwyer was out to the Cougar mine Monday. He says that property contains the largest body of ore he has ever seen.

J. K. Pardee left yesterday for Montana, expecting to be gone a couple of weeks. He will meet General Warren in Butte today.

Miss Mildred Vaughan and Mrs. Alice Read, temporary residents of Baker City, were guests of Mrs. General Warren a portion of last week.

D. J. McDonald, mining expert for Governor Mackintosh, of British Columbia, returned Monday from a several days visit to the Red Boy mine.

John W. Larkins and R. S. Coe, of the Cougar mine, and Grant Thornburg of Granite, came down this morning on business and returned this afternoon.

The town has been full of Indian women during the past few days, who came in from the surrounding mountains, where the bucks are hunting, to buy provisions.

J. H. Brown and M. E. Baine returned Saturday from the Burnt river mining district, where they had been prospecting for a month. They are much pleased with the region.

E. E. Norval, of Abingdon, Illinois, who has been reading THE MINER for some months past, arrived in Sumpter this week with his family, and will go into business here.

Owing to the fact that Roy Miller has been too busy with other matters at La Grande to come here and assume the duties of cashier in the First Bank of Sumpter, Cashier Newlands has not yet gone to Portland after his family.

The unusual sight of a chain gang working on the streets of Sumpter was to be seen here today. The membership was limited to two offenders, one of whom had enough chain attached to him to keep an elephant from getting away.

Walter Looney returned several days since from Seattle, where he went with a carload of horses for sale. He left here more than a month ago, drove the horses to Pendleton and failing to dispose of them there, shipped to Seattle over the Northern Pacific.

Spokane fair press bulletin: Captain C. H. Thompson has consented to see that the different camps of eastern Oregon, where at present he is especially interested, are all represented at the exposition this year. In fact he says the Oregon exhibit will be far better this year than ever before. He expects not only an exhibit from every camp, but something from every mine.

Teachers' Institute September 5, 6 and 7.

Superintendent Privett sends out this notice: I hand you enclosed a program of the second annual convention of the eastern division, Oregon State Teachers' association, to be held at Baker City, Oregon, September 5, 6 and 7, 1900. The Baker county annual institute will be held in connection with this association, and it is hoped that all Baker county teachers will be in attendance. A number of the leading educators of the state will be present and the lines of instruction will be such as to benefit every teacher in attendance. A special feature of the association will be the presentation of graded rural work each day by J. M. Greenwood, superintendent of schools, Kansas City, Missouri. The school laws provide that any teacher who shall have closed his or her school for not more than three days in order to attend an annual county institute shall not forfeit his or her wages as teacher during such time as he or she shall have been in attendance at said institute.

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Dr. J. L. Reavis, dentist of La Grande, is in town after a four weeks outing in the mines. He will do some work for some of his La Grande patients before returning.

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