

TALK OF THE TOWN.

H. K. Wheeler was in Baker City yesterday.

"Coolgardie" Smith left this morning for Butte, Montana.

J. T. Pardee left today for his home in Phillipsburg, Montana.

Neil Sorenson is back from Portland, where he has been for a month or more.

Simcoe Chapman headed a party of ladies who visited the smelter Tuesday afternoon.

P. J. Hannon, a representative business man of Portland, is in the city, returning from a trip to Granite.

Mrs. C. S. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murphey left Saturday for Spokane, where they will reside in future.

J. N. Esselstyn, the mining engineer of Baker City, was in town yesterday doing business with Broker Ed Dwyer.

Charley Moore returned today from his former home in Oregon City, where he has been visiting for ten days past.

William Stinson moved his residence across the river, where Mrs. Stinson wanted him to build when they first came to Sumpter.

E. C. Gove has rented a house here and will bring his family from Spokane to reside permanently. Miss Gove arrived several days since.

General C. S. Warren left this forenoon for Butte, where he will remain until after the election, pulling for the Rockefeller-Republican crowd.

W. C. Calder reached home yesterday from the coast, where he has been for several weeks past. He went to Baker City today and will probably return tomorrow.

Roy Miller arrived yesterday from La Grande and has assumed the position of cashier in the First Bank of Sumpter, which he has filled before and will now hold permanently.

Another one of the 21,000 pound boilers for the Red Boy was started for the mine yesterday. J. W. Cowden took some excellent photographs of the outfit, with its twenty-six horses.

The Owls will organize a nest here this evening, preceeding the meeting with a comic costume parade through the streets. Just what kind of a proposition this order is has not yet been revealed.

Mrs. McEwen is taking the lead in working up a ball to raise funds for the Galveston storm sufferers, and it will therefore be a success. It will be given in Ellis Opera house Friday evening of next week, the 28th.

Superintendent F. F. Grimes, of the Diadem, passed through town yesterday on his way to Montana. It is said that men have to hide out in that state at present in order to prevent representatives of Dailey, Clark and Rockefeller from shoving big bills into their pockets while they

are not looking, and many of the boys are returning for a season.

C. S. Warren, jr., and Frank P. Thomes came in Saturday from the Diadem, where they have been at work for six weeks past. The former left Monday for the same vicinity, where he will remain for a couple of weeks doing assessment work on some properties in which he is interested.

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In the matter of the estate of William H. Palmer, deceased, to John Palmer, Bert Palmer, Dan Palmer, Fred Palmer and Jennie Palmer, and generally to all persons known or unknown.

In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you, are hereby commanded and required to be and appear in the above entitled court on or before the 21st day of October A.D. 1900, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why this court shall not make an order directing and authorizing that the following described premises be sold, to wit: The undivided one-fourth interest in and to The Tip Top, Grand Prize and Gold Hill quartz mining claims, as located and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Conveyances of Baker county, said property being situated about two miles northwest of Sumpter in Baker county, State of Oregon.

By order of the honorable W. W. Travillion, Judge of said court.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said court this 19th day of September, A. D. 1900. FRANK GEDDES, Clerk. [Seal] By JAMES CHORD, Deputy.

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