

TWO MILLION DOLLAR COMPANY

Colonel Donan Brought the Promoter Here and Will Write the Prospectus.

The Dispatch has just seen a letter from a well known eastern financier, whose attention was first drawn to Oregon and the Pacific Northwest by the advertising work of the O. R. & N. company in 1897. The descriptions of the eastern Oregon gold fields especially attracted him. He came west on a careful investigation, and found that all he had read was justified by the facts, and made some investments about Baker City and Sumpter.

He now writes that he is just completing the organization of a company, with a capital of \$2,000,000, for operations in eastern Oregon mines and mining development. He expects to be in Portland by February 20, to meet Colonel Pat Donan, of the O. R. & N., with whom he arranged to get up a prospectus for his company, and a book on the great mineral region in which it is proposed to operate. The book is to be profusely illustrated with the best engravings that can be made of typical mining scenes in Baker, Grant and Union counties, and will probably include some views in the Seven Devils region of Idaho.

This will be, in capitalization, the strongest company that has ever taken a hand in developing the wealth of Oregon's famous gold belt.—Portland Dispatch.

Watchman Now Owns the Mine.

The mining implements—picks, shovels, cars, etc., belonging to the Pacific Opal Mining company, whose mines were located on Burnt river, were sold at sheriff's sale yesterday on a judgment obtained by Thomas T. Stephens, for labor as watchman of the property and accounts assigned. It seems that E. P. Emerson, who was manager of the property, installed Mr. Stephens as watchman at a stated salary and left for the east. He afterward accepted the management of a copper property down south and failed to return or to liquidate to Mr. Stephens for services. Mr. Stephens secured a judgment on the personal property and then bid most of it in. In the meantime the assessment work was not done on the mines and Mr. Stephens relocated them, thus taking in all the buildings, machinery, etc., on the property. So that now the watchman owns the mines and buildings and practically all the implements.—Democrat.

Otter Group Sold in San Francisco.

It is authentically reported that H. W. Sloan has sold the Otter creek group to A. Bennison, of San Francisco, for \$40,000. The group comprises five quartz claims and forty acres of placer ground in the Susanville district, about one quarter of a mile from the Badger mine. Mr. Sloan is now in San Francisco to receive the second payment, which is said to be \$10,000. John Sloan has just returned from Susanville, where he has been for the past two months doing assessment work on the various properties included in the Otter group, the most promising of which is the Bull of the Woods. The company that purchased the property, of which Mr. Bennison is president, expects to make its payment in a few days. The payment is past due, but has been delayed a few days in order that the company could organize before making the payment, according to the agreement in the bond.—Blue Mountain Eagle.

Lorenzo Harrison Killed at Durkee.

Word was received here Saturday by Eugene Bartholf that Lorenzo Harrison, a brother of Sherman Harrison, who has been working on the Evening Star contract at Cable Cove, had been killed near Durkee by a horse falling on him. Mr. Bartholf sent a team to the Cove for Mr. Harrison, who came down late Saturday night and left Sunday morning for Durkee to attend the funeral.

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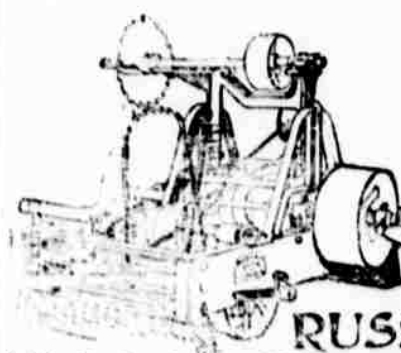
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