

Sunrise Mining Company

Sumpter, Oregon

Capital Stock \$1,000,000

THE SUNRISE MINING COMPANY are the owners of the Sunrise and Sunset mining claims in the Greenhorn District, two of the most promising properties in the whole camp. The extra inducements offered the purchasers of this stock are the large treasury stock fund set apart for the development of the mine. No salary will be paid any officer until the mine is on a shipping basis. Engineer's report and full particulars will be gladly furnished prospective investors.

Treasury Stock \$500,000

Until Tuesday, April 9, Stock is offered at the extremely low price of 1-2 cents per share.

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TROUT CREEK DISTRICT.

Rich Mineral Deposits Being Uncovered in Crook County.

The history of the discovery of mineral in the district is of very recent date. About eight years ago a man by the name of Wilson was herding sheep on the Jones ranch, about eight miles above the present site of Ashwood, and picked up a few pieces of float quartz, which looked to him as though they might be worth something. He took samples with him to Walla Walla, Washington, where he had them assayed and was surprised to find that they showed about \$35 in gold to the ton.

From that time dates the prospecting which has uncovered the richest belt of mineral in the west. Until 1898, though, no rich strikes were made and very few people outside of the community were aware that mineral was found here, and when told to outsiders, a sarcastic smile was generally the answer, as it was thought to be incredible that such riches lay undiscovered where sheep herders and stockmen had traveled for so long a number of years.

Yet in 1898 the discovery of a ledge of quartz by some of the members of a Walla Walla company, gave such promise that development work was commenced and capitalists became interested to such an extent that the Oregon King Mining company was formed and the prospect converted into the Oregon King mine, recognized by everybody to be the richest in mineral of any mine in the Pacific Northwest. About the time of this discovery, Tom Brown and associates discovered the St. Elmo ledge, which was very close to the King and which is now owned by the King company.

These discoveries led to much prospecting and other rich claims were soon located by James Wood, Milo Wood, W. T. Wood, W. H. Grater, Columbus Friend, Judge Childers, C. P. Maupin

and others; and now as prospecting and development continues, many rich and valuable strikes are being made. The success that has been attained by these miners has amply demonstrated the fact that for miles around the town of Ashwood is buried untold wealth, not alone in gold but in other minerals, such as silver, copper, zinc, etc., and for the man who understands mining with capital behind him, there are unlimited opportunities in the new mineral region known as the Trout Creek district.—Ashwood Prospector.

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