

TALK OF THE TOWN.

The brick work on the new hotel is nearly finished.

Roy Miller returned this afternoon from a trip to La Grande.

Dr. Tape came in this afternoon from Hot Lake. He says he hasn't started on the big hotel yet.

Mrs. Sadie White has gone to her former home at Oregon City, to attend the marriage of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ross came up from Baker City this afternoon, to visit the latter's mother, Mrs. Tedrowe.

Mrs. Dan McLaughlin and children left Monday for their former home in Genesee, Idaho, on a several weeks visit.

Bun Griffith returned yesterday from California, where he has been for some months past looking after his mining interests there.

A. M. Keltie passed through town yesterday on his way to the Mann placers, accompanied by C. M. Foster, of Baker City, who will survey the claims.

A car load of machinery arrived yesterday for the Ohio, a Craeker creek property. It consists of a double cylinder hoist, boiler and so forth. It has a capacity of going down 500 feet.

E. A. Case spent several days in Baker City last week, attending to the shipment of seven car loads of furniture, which he bought there from a bankrupt stock. It will be stored in the Wilson brick on south Mill street.

Miss Alexander, of Pendleton, who has been visiting Miss Edna Carleton at the Concord for several weeks, passed through town Sunday on her way home. Miss Carleton accompanied her as far as Sumpter, returning home the same day.

It was stated in these columns several weeks since that a deal was pending between A. P. Goss for the sale of his placer mine near McEwen to Salt Lake people. It has since been closed, but the details are not made public.

There was a hot rooster fight in town yesterday between two pure strain game birds. They fought twenty minutes and were parted. The floor was as bloody as a slaughter house. The fighters were Harley Woods' pride and a recent importation.

Miss Emma Worwick arrived from her home in Bellevue last week, having been telegraphed to come on account of

the sickness of her sister, Mrs. Brock. She received an ovation from her many friends, who were not aware that she was expected.

Charles Cook, blacksmith at the Mammoth mine, while riding to town yesterday, on the running gear a wagon, had his leg caught on a stump in the road, breaking several bones above the ankle. He was taken to the hospital here and placed under the care of Drs. Pearce and Anderson.

H. L. Stewart, who has been to the Atlantic seaboard for several months past in the interest of the California company, returned home yesterday. He reports having had a successful trip. Together with President Killen and some people from the east, he went out to the mine this forenoon.

S. T. Kennerly and A. J. Serby, of the Golden Eagle, arrived this afternoon from The Dalles, where they went to spend the Fourth. The former states that he tested the ore from the recent rich strike in the Double Eagle and is positive that it is sylvanite; that he is familiar with the ore, having worked it in Colorado.

New Map of the Cable Cove District.

Engineer W. H. W. Hamilton has just completed a new map of the Cable Cove mining district, 17x23 inches in size, showing the various properties there, the mountain ranges, water courses, wagon roads and trails. Blue prints of the same are for sale at THE MINER office at \$1.50 each, sent postpaid to any address on receipt of the price.

Quartz location notices, with affidavit of assessment work attached, for sale at THE MINER office.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
La Grande, Oregon, July 9, 1901.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

JOHN CALHOUN,
of McEwen, County of Baker, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 816, for the purchase of the sw 1/4, sw 1/4 sec 28, w 1/4 nw 1/4, nw 1/4, sw 1/4 of section No. 11 in township No. 10 S., range No. 18, E. W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Thursday, the 20th day of September, 1901.
He names as witnesses: George F. Gardner, of Baker City, Ore.; Lewis Gardner, Elmer Taylor, Robert Duvall, of McEwen, Ore.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of September, 1901.
E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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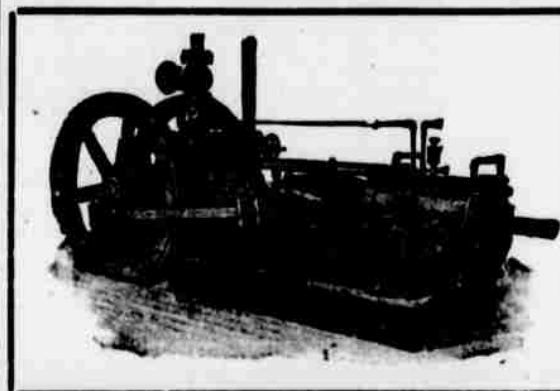
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