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Crptain Anderson Gives us a Great "Swell."

The Justice Gold Mining company, of this city, of which Captain A. W. Anderson is president, and W. Y. L. Rutherford, secretary, has just purchased an extension of the Justice property, located in the Sumpter, Ore., mining district. The extension-known as the "Rambler,"-is a driect continuation of the Justice ledge, the formation and character of ore being identically the same. Both are a rich free milling quartz. The Rambler already has a good camp established, such as cabins, blacksmith shop, etc. The one property practically supplements the other, inasmuch as the Rambler possesses a fine body of timber, far excelling that on the Justice. The possession of the Rambler, which is below the Justice, makes the latter much easier of access and gives a greater depth for tunneling purposes.

Captain Anderson is just in receipt of a letter from the foreman at the Justice mine, Mr. Edward Butze, from which the following excerpt is taken:

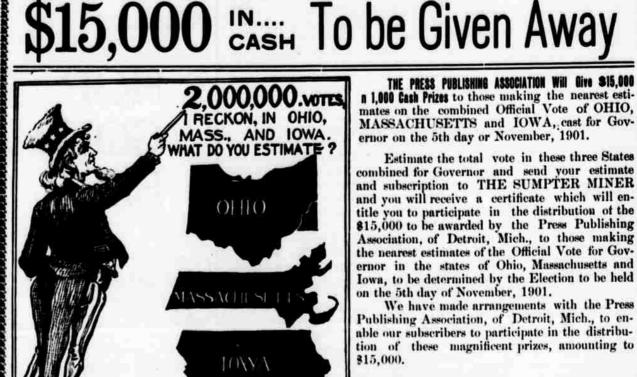
"There is no doubt but that the Rambler is an extension of the Justice ledge. I have sampled the Rambler, as it crops in two places, and it is identically the same rock as the Justice, which you will see by the samples I send you."

When Captain Anderson was seen by a reporter on the the Mining Record, at his office in the Safe Deposit building today, he said, in speaking of the Sumpter district :

"Everything in the Sumpter district looks very promising. The permanency of the ledges has been amply demonstrated by the scores of producing and dividend paying mines, all of which have sprung into existence within the last four years. One of the best evidences of the country's merits as a mining center is the City of Sumpter itself. The place is scarcely three years old and yet it numbers about 4000 inhabitants and is complete in public works and in every branch of mercantile business. They have a fine system of water works and electric lighting. There are two banks, two live newspapers, churches, graded schools, fine hotels, etc. A brick hotel to cover half a block is now under process of completion. It is one of the cleanest and best situated places I have seen in the West. Nowhere, except in a rich mining district, could a city of the size and importance of Sumpter spring into existence in so short a time.

"As regards the people themselves, they are energetic, wide awake, and public spirited. I never met a more congenial, hospitable class of people in all my travels through the West.

"Sumpter must certainly posses great merit as a mining camp to be able to attract so many Seattle men and so much Seattle money from our own rich mining section here at home."-Seattle Mining Record.



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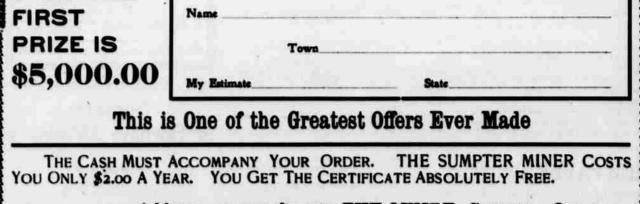
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Senator Clark Buys Russian Capper Mines.

An associated Press dispatch from St. Petersburg, of recent date, said that Senator Clark, of Montana, during his recent trip to Europe, went to St. Petersburg and Moscow incognito, and with an unnamed count invested 10,000,000 roubles in copper mines. When asked about the story, the senator said the matabout the story, the senator said the mat-ter had not yet passed the stage of in-quiry. Count Brotsky had proposed to him to buy a lot of valuable ground near Tomsk, on the trans-Siberian railroad. It is a district that is producing already 200,000 tons of coal a year and included some promising copper prospects. The matter will be looked into before it reaches the stage of negotiation. Brotsky is known as the sugar king of Russia.



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