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The Officers and Directors are men of sterling character and high standing. The General Manager and Superintendent of the mine was for a number of years superintendent of the Monumental mine, bringing it to its present producing state. He also held the OLD ARRASTRA property for twenty years because of its merits, and retains a large interest in the new company.

INVESTORS DISCRIMINATE.

**Are Now Buying Mining Stocks Instead of
Speculating on 'Change.**

The rapidly-growing tendency of the thrifty public to invest in the more promising of the new mining companies explains, in a large measure, the apathy so manifest the past summer in the transactions on the stock exchanges, especially in the mining share market.

Evidence is not wanting that there has been a radical change, and that what is universally termed stock gambling has no longer the fascination of former years for men who aspire to wealth in the field of speculative investment. Men who have put their money into some favorite listed stock of the moment have been made to realize something of the hazard by the manipulation of the cliques—often awakening in the morning possessed of what they believed to be a fair investment, only to find themselves "wiped out" at the close of the exchanges for the day, followed by calls for additional margins, and if unable to meet the demands to learn that their account is closed. It's a nice little game, but the broker is always a winner, and, as a Lawsonian aphorism explains it, he gets all if it is played long enough, for there is a commission in buying and one in selling—a burning of the candle at both ends.

A man who puts his money out of his hands and leaves its control with the stock manipulators is not wise.

How different with the investor in some legitimate proposition where intrinsic value governs, when a dollar to-day is secured by an added one tomorrow from some other investor, both going into a well-defined system of development, whereby values are enhanced, with the ultimate aim of insuring profits to be returned in dividends. His investment is secure from manipulation by professional stock gamblers, he can

enjoy a refreshing sleep in the full belief that his money is safe from depreciation through the coming day, and the little ticker that has brought sadness and misfortune to so many has no terrors for him.

Of the millionaires who have won a competency in mining investments probably 90 per cent have done so before the stock manipulators began their work. They used their means as a legitimate investment in some good company, and have left the field of speculation to those lambs who have become infatuated by the ticker and blackboard of the bucket shop, and who discover, often too late, their mistake.

Legitimate mining is as safe and much more profitable than agricultural pursuits, when divorced from stock gambling influences. Trading on margins is quite another thing. The wise should be able to readily discriminate.—Boston Journal for Investors.

Big Body of Timber "Coming In."

East of Union, along Catherine creek and adjacent, is a great timber belt that will soon be brought into market. A large amount of the land has already been taken up and much more will be in the near future, by homesteading and by purchase under the timber and stone act. The timber is classed as among the best in the northwest, and is sure to be manufactured and taken to the markets of the world in the immediate future. The products of the timber will all pass through Union, as this is the natural outlet for it. Union is also the logical supply point for all that region, and when the mills begin to hum in converting the giants of these forests into merchantable products, Union will receive a benefit that will make the town grow rapidly into a city of considerable size and consequence. That day, the Republican predicts, is not far off.—Union Republican.

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