ANNOUNCEMENT

ON FEBRUARY 20TH, 1903, NEIL J. SORENSEN & CO. WILL FILL ALL ORDERS RE-CEIVED FOR STOCK OF THE

HIGHLAND GOLD MINES CO.

A Sumpter, Oregon, Corporation.

The First Allotment of 100,000 Shares will be Placed on the Market at That Date to be Disposed of at Six (6)

TO INVESTORS

Having been successful in financing the Friday Gold Mining Company, we now desire to announce that we have been appointed financial agents of the HIGHLAND GOLD MINES COMPANY, a Sumpter, Oregon, corporation, which recently purchased and now owns the Knapp Group of Mines, consisting of four claims, situated in the Bile Mountains of Eastern Oregon, on the main Elkhorn divide between the headwaters of Cracker Creek and Rock Creek, about eight miles from the City of Sumpter, Baker county, Oregon.

Colonel M L Lohmire, E. M., of Baker City, Oregon, one of the most competent and conservative mining engineers in the Northwest, after making a thorough examination of this group, speaking of the vein traversing the entire length of 3 claims, in his report, stated:

"There are no faults or throws, or any dislocations along its course, but it is a strong, continuous and well defined vein, showing in all the different tunnels, shafts and cuts to be well mineralized and distinctly defined. But few mines carry commercial values in gold and silver for so long a distance; in fact, I have seldom seen in my long years in mining experience, a vein so strong and persistent in carrying such fair values as this one for so long a distance along its course or strike.

"In submitting this report for your favorable consideration, I would say that as a whole there are but few mining propositions that have for the future better features, all in all, for developing into an A No. I Mine. The Bannock Burn claim alone will, without a doubt, develop into a great mining propositions that have for the future better features, all in all, for developing on the vein and the throw of its float from the appex.

"For the past three years I have examined many properties in the forting of the volume of the valuable ones."

In placing this stock upon the market, we shall not attempt to make our showing on account of the adjoining properties, or to make you believe we have a big mine, just because we happen to be on the same zone as the great North Pole, E.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO

NEIL J. SORENSEN & COMPANY

FINANCIAL AGENTS

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SUMPTER. OREGON

NEIL J. SORENSEN & CO., Sumpter, Oregon. GENTLEMEN:—I hereby make application to the HIGHLAND GOLD M	MINES COMPANY, of Sumpter, Oregon, through yourselves,
for	he purchase involves NO PERSONAL LIABILITY as the
set aside for me the number of shares above mentioned to be issued to me on February	Oth, 1903.
PAR VALUE OF SHARES \$1.00 EACH.	Name
Enclosed herewith you will find \$ in payment for the above subscription.	P. O. Address