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desiring to place \$20 or more in four equal monthly payments can learn of an excellent opportunity to become interested in the purchase of a Mining property, situated in a good Mining district in Oregon.

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MORMON BASIN.

A Great Mining Section, Says Judge Newbury.

Judge Newbury returned Saturday from his mining property in the Mormon Basin district, known as the Morning Star group. He states that work will be started there within the next thirty days. The group includes the Morning Star, Atlantic and Puget Sound, three full claims located on the divide between Baker and Malheur counties. The work already done on the property consists of about 300 feet of tunnel, over 100 feet of shaft, besides numerous open cuts. There are four ledges showing good surface values in gold. According to Judge Newbury, the Basin presents a lively appearance. He says:

"At Durkee I saw four large parties of capitalists going out to look at various properties in the district. The placers at Rye Valley and at several points in the Basin are being actively operated, and there is a general look of prosperity throughout this region.

"A quartz mill is being built four miles northwest of the Basin, and preparations are being made to start work on numerous prospects.

"The California property owned by Portland people has been incorporated, and work will be resumed there within the next thirty days. This is situated about one mile from the Morning Star, at the head of California Gulch.

"There is another property on the Baker City side of the summit, near

the California, which was opened up last fall, where I am told \$300 was pounded out in a single day some time ago, and about two weeks ago seventy-five pounds of ore yielded \$280 in this way. This same company made a small mill run of thirty-one tons, it is stated, which produced \$1,800. The run was made at the Golden Gate mill which it has leased. All the ore so far discovered here is free milling. With judicious development this section is bound to come to the front."

WORK AT AUBURN.

Pump Started and Operations Being Pushed at Placers.

Superintendent Reed, of the Auburn Deep Mining company, started the pump on the property going Monday. It is a No. 7 Knowles, with a 100-gallon capacity. The water encountered in sinking will not probably tax the pump to its full capacity, but the object of the company is to be prepared in case of an emergency.

The shaft, it has been stated, is now down about 100 feet, and Superintendent Reed is confident that he will encounter bedrock within the next fifty feet. The new hoisting machinery, however, recently installed at the placers, has a capacity of 500 feet depth.

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